



TFL Gold Accreditation

We are delighted to announce that Corpus Christi has achieved the Gold accreditation through Lambeth's Travel for Life Programme.

This is a fantastic achievement and recognises the school's commitment to promoting active, sustainable and safe travel in our school community. Over the years our families have taken part in many activities to encourage walking, cycling, scooting and promote the use of public transport. Some of our current Year 6 were Travel Ambassadors last year and helped promote and organise many of the activities. Achieving the Gold accreditation is a wonderful recognition of the collective effort of the whole school community. A huge thank you to Ms Martin for helping us in reaching this important achievement.



The Big Future

The Children's Commissioner for England, Dame Rachel de Souza, has launched a survey so you can have your say on what it's like to be a child or young person in England today. Your views will be presented to Government, to help them make life better for children. [Follow this link](#) to complete the survey. More information can also be found on the [Children's Commissioner's website](#).

Mr Brady's October Half Term Sports Camp

The camp will be available for children from Reception to Year 6 from Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October. If you would like your child to attend [please click here](#) for more information and the booking form. Forms are also available from the school office.



CHILD OF THE WEEK FOR THE WEEK ENDING 9TH OCT 2026

CLASS	%
N	Barney S
1	Helena W
2	Bodhi L
3	Nii-Armah A
4	Rowan M
5	Ashari J
6	Danny F
7	Cerys S-F
8	Albi A
9	Yasmine O
10	Piotr W
11	Blake P
12	Jorge P T
13	Alida-Lilli P
14	James w

ATTENDANCE MONDAY 12TH OCT - FRI 16TH OCT 2026

11	100
14	100
8	99.6
13	99.6
N	99.1
4	98.9
1	98.5
7	98.4
10	97.9
6	97.2
9	96.4
12	96.0
5	95.1
2	94.4
3	91.2

Congratulations to classes 11 & 14 on their 100% attendance.
Whole school average 97%

Term Dates 2027 - 2028

Term dates for the academic school year 2027-2028 have been agreed by the Governors and they are now published on the school's website.

Free school Meals

From September 2026, all school children from households in receipt of Universal Credit attending school are entitled to receive a free school meal. Whilst children are not charged for school lunches, the school receives additional funding from the government for the children who are eligible. If you think you may be eligible, please [click this link](#) to complete the application form or call into the school office for a copy.

Communications

Please ensure the school office has up-to-date contact details for yourselves and other family members whom we may have to contact. If you have recently moved home, you must update your address with the school too. Please send an email with to office@corpus-christi.org.uk with a proof of address.

WhatsApp Groups

Parent WhatsApp groups can be very useful and help you all to keep in touch. Please do not share on these groups information about the school that is not correct. If you are unsure about something that is taking place in your child's class, please contact the school office in the first instance.

Flu Vaccinations

The immunisation team will be visiting our school again on 13th November for the 'catch up' of flu vaccinations. Once the link is available it will be emailed if you wish your child to receive the vaccine. The flu vaccine is available to all school aged children from Reception to Year 6.

Years 4, 5 & 6 Residential Trips

The payment item is now available on your ParentPay account. Please pay attention to the dates payment is required by. Concession have been applied to Pupil Premium accounts. If you have any queries or concerns regarding the trip please speak directly to your child's class teacher. Any concerns regarding payment please contact Ms Ruiz or the school office.

Educational Trips Contributions

We ask for an annual contribution towards the trips your children will experience throughout the coming year. This contribution also goes towards educational visitors who come into school and provide enriching workshops and lessons for the children. Without your financial support the school would not be able to offer such a variety of learning opportunities. We thank you for your continuing support.

Royal Academy of Music

We are delighted to continue working with The Royal Academy of Music on their Community First Strings Experience (CFSE), transporting their well-established early years strings programme for 4-7-year-olds to Corpus Christi. This is a fantastic opportunity for the children and the school, as the Royal Academy bring their teaching skills to Corpus Christi. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children have begun their music learning and we will subsidise the programme, however we do ask for a contribution per term from parents, or you may wish to pay the full year contribution in one lump sum. You can make the payment using your ParentPay account; we hope you will agree that this is a fantastic opportunity for your child, and we look forward to your support.

Reception - £60 per year, £20 per term
Year 1 & 2 - £75.00 per year, £25.00 per term

ROYAL ACADEMY
OF MUSIC

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Secondary School Transfer

Year 6 parents need to apply online through your home borough for your child's secondary school place. Please ensure you complete this by midnight Saturday 31st October 2026. Please check the secondary school's websites for details of open days. If you live in Lambeth please read [this guide on applying for a Secondary School Place](#).

If your child is going to attend any open days and/or exams, please let the school office know. You can email office@corpus-christi.org.uk

Primary School Applications for Reception 2027 - Apply Online and On time

The application process is now open for children joining Primary School September 2027. You **MUST** make an application to your home borough for your child's school place, if you live in Lambeth please follow [this link](#). For full information about how to make your application please read [Starting Primary School in Lambeth](#).

If you are applying for a place at Corpus Christi School you also need to complete an online [Additional Information Form](#).

Nursery applications also require an [Additional Information Form](#), you do not need to apply through your home borough. Closing date is 15th January 2027.

If you have any questions about nursery or primary applications please contact Mrs Tatton in the school office.

Starting secondary school in Lambeth 2027/28

Information for parents/carers of children born between 01/09/15 and 31/08/16, or taught as a year 6 child during the 2026/27 academic year, who will be transferring from primary to secondary school in September 2027



Apply online and apply on time
Deadline: **Saturday 31 October 2026**
lambeth.gov.uk/admissions
If you apply after this date the likelihood of gaining a place at your preferred school may be significantly reduced.

Starting primary school in Lambeth 2027/28

Information for parents/carers of children born between 1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023, who will be starting reception in the 2027/28 academic year.



Apply online and apply on time
Deadline: **Friday 15 January 2027**
lambeth.gov.uk/admissions
If you apply after this date the likelihood of gaining a place at your preferred school may be significantly reduced.

Important dates for your diary for this coming term.

Diary dates are published on our website, please do check as changes are sometimes necessary. 

Fri 16th Oct	9am Class 10 Assembly
Mon 19th Oct	Year 2 Trip to National Portrait Gallery Year 1 Trip to Brixton Library C7 Parents' Evening Appointments
Tues 20th Oct	School Photo Day C7 Parents' Evening Appointments
Wed 21st Oct	Parents' Association Cake Sale
Thurs 22nd and Fri 23rd Oct	INSET DAYS - School Closed to children
Mon 26th Oct - Fri 30th Oct	Mr Brady's Half Term Sports Camp Half Term



School Photo Day

On Tuesday 20th October the school photographer will be in school to take annual photographs of the children.

Children will have an individual photograph taken and one with siblings together.

More information on how to order your child's photographs will be available after photo day.

Please ensure children are looking their best.

Language of The Month

Polish is our new Language of the Month. With over 321 million speakers worldwide, Polish is a West Slavic language spoken by over 38–50 million people, known for its 32-letter alphabet, seven grammatical cases, nasal vowels, and complex consonant clusters.

Mr Kader has encouraged the children who speak Polish to become class experts and teach their classmates new words. If you have any interesting Polish artefacts at home, please do send them in with your child to share with their class.



We invite you to look at our Privacy Notice for pupils and parents which can be found on our website, [please click here](#). This privacy notice describes how we collect and use personal information about pupils, in accordance with the UK General Data Protection Regulation (UK GDPR), section 537A of the Education Act 1996 and section 83 of the Children Act 1989.



PARENT GOVERNORS ELECTIONS



We are currently looking for 2 Parent Governors to start their term in January 2027. Parent Governors are voted for by the parents of the school. Could you see yourself in this pivotal role, helping deliver the strategic aims of the school and bringing your existing skills to a new environment



Responsibilities

- Set the strategic direction of the school
- Ensure leadership decisions align with the school's mission and policies
- Ensure money is well spent
- Ensure the school meets statutory and regulatory requirements
- Identify areas of improvement and ensure actions are taken
- Attend meetings as often as 6 times per year

We need Governors who

- Enjoy a challenge
- Have transferable skills to share
- Understand and support the ethos of the school
- Are able to attend meetings, usually late afternoon/early evening and engage with the school throughout the year

Timeline

- 4/11/26 Info drop in session at 8.45am
- 9/11/26 9am Deadline to register your interest in becoming a Governor
- 12/11/26 Voting Day

TO REGISTER SCAN BELOW





Join us for Autumn Cake Sale

Wednesday 21st October 2026

All Children are to bring their cakes into their class
on Wednesday morning.



Competition cakes can be brought straight to the
Main Hall in the morning.

Prizes for the best decorated, best tasting, and
best overall cakes.



Children will need a small amount of money to
buy the cakes back again!

Bakers, please mark gluten/dairy free cakes,

AND REMEMBER NO NUTS, thank you.



**ALL CAKES FOR THE COMPETITION WILL BE
SOLD AFTER JUDGING UNLESS OTHERWISE
ADVISED.**

See you there!





SPARKLY DISCOS

6TH NOVEMBER 2026

NURSERY & RECEPTION
2:15PM - 3PM - £3.00

YEAR 1 - YEAR 3
4PM - 5:30PM - £6.00

YEAR 4 - YEAR 6
5:45PM - 7:15PM - £6.00

TICKETS AVAILABLE ON
PARENTPAY

CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL
TRENT ROAD

School Term Dates

2026-2027



Term	Term Dates	Holidays & Inset Days
Autumn 1	Wednesday 2nd September 2026 - Wednesday 21st October 2026	Inset - 1st September 2026 Inset - 22nd October 2026 Inset - 23 rd October 2026 Half Term 26th Oct - 30th Oct 2026
Autumn 2	Monday 2nd November 2026 - Friday 18th December 2026 2pm Close	Christmas Holiday 21 st December 2026 - 1 st January 2027 Inset - 4 th January 2027
Spring 1	Tuesday 5th January 2027 - Friday 12th February 2027	Half Term 15th - 19th February 2027
Spring 2	Monday 22nd February 2027 - Thursday 25 th March 2027 2pm Close	Easter Holiday 26 th March - 9 th April 2027 Inset - 12th April 2027
Summer 1	Tuesday 13th April 2027 - Friday 28 th May 2027	Bank Holiday 3rd May 2027 Half Term 31 st May - 4 th June 2027
Summer 2	Monday 7 th June - Wednesday 21 st July 2027 2pm Close	Summer Holiday 22 nd July - 31st August 2027
2026-27	Start - 2nd September 2027	Inset - 1st September 2027

At the end of each full term we close at 2pm and there is no after school club.

Please ensure that any holidays are booked out of term time.