



From the Headteachers

Curriculum Information

Next Friday Phase Group Leaders will send out information to parents relating to the children's curriculum for each year group. This will include important dates for the term.

Punctuality

Presently, there is a ten-minute arrival window at the beginning of the school day at Corpus Christi which is from 8.45am to 8.55am. Pupils arriving after 8.55am need to be signed in at the school office. A child is late if they arrive after the school bell has sounded at 8.55am and will be marked as such. Pupils arriving after 09.05am will be marked as "unauthorised late" which is counted as an absence. We ask that you co-operate with school staff on duty at the school gates and support the school's policy on punctuality. Any queries about lateness should not be taken up with staff on gate duty but with the office team or headteachers.

Uniform

We wrote to parents last week about the school's expectations in relation to uniform. Despite this there has been a few issues this week with children forgetting pieces of uniform and a small number of children who have had to be reminded that their hair needs cutting. The school uniform, worn by all children, is an important and distinctive feature of the school. We place an emphasis on achieving high standards of dress and appearance because we believe it encourages the children to take pride in themselves and their school. We ask parents to ensure that their children always wear all parts of the uniform daily – this includes blazers, caps, and boaters. Girls should keep long hair tied back, and boys' hair should be above the collar and the ears and not have any dramatic changes in length i.e. it should blend from shorter to longer without any dramatic changes in length or lines of demarcation. Hair styles should be neat and discreet. Jewellery is limited to watches and plain gold or silver stud earrings. We thank all parents for complying with our uniform policy.

Jubilee Bank Holiday

As you may already be aware next year there will be an additional Bank Holiday to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. As this date falls within the summer half term holiday already set, Lambeth School's will need to reduce the teaching year by one day elsewhere in the school calendar. Consequently, the school will now be closed to all pupils on Monday 1st November 2021.

DATES TO REMEMBER

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| Mon 13 th Sept | After School Activity Clubs Commence Extended Daycare open to Reception children who have confirmed places Year 3 – Visit to Windmill Park |
| Tues 14 th Sept | 2.30pm – 3.30pm Years 4, 5 & 6 Band Commences |

Announcements

Free School Meal Eligibility

You may be entitled to FSM and do not know it; please ask the School Office for the necessary form to complete.

Children from Reception to Year 2 are entitled to universal free school meals, you still may be able to attract Pupil Premium Funding for the school. Please ask at the School Office for more information. Children from Year 3 to Year 6 are charged for a school dinner at £2.40 per day.

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 Sunday 31st October 2021. Some secondary schools are providing virtual tours for prospective parents as open days/evenings may not be possible. Please do check the secondary school's websites for more details.

Passport and/or official documents

We are often asked to verify documents for children and parents, including passports. We are very happy to do this for our families and ask for a contribution of £15.00 which will be donated to the school fund to use on purchases/services for the children.



Year 6 spent a lovely two days at South London Scout Centre for their teambuilding sleepover. More on Instagram.

Child of the Week for the week ending 10th Sept 2021

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|-------------|-----------|
| Nursery P/T | ALL |
| Nursery F/T | CHILDREN |
| Class 1 | ACROSS |
| Class 2 | THE |
| Class 3 | SCHOOL |
| Class 4 | FOR |
| Class 5 | SETTLING |
| Class 6 | IN |
| Class 7 | WELL |
| Class 8 | TO |
| Class 9 | THEIR |
| Class 10 | NEW |
| Class 11 | CLASSES ! |
| Class 12 | |
| Class 13 | |
| Class 14 | |

Attendance

Monday 6th September - Friday 10th September 2021

| CLASS | % |
|-------|------|
| 1 | 100 |
| 4 | 99.6 |
| 6 | 99.6 |
| 12 | 99.6 |
| 13 | 99.6 |
| 9 | 99.2 |
| 10 | 99.2 |
| 14 | 99.2 |
| 11 | 99.1 |
| 2 | 98.9 |
| 5 | 98.4 |
| 7 | 95.7 |
| 8 | 94.7 |
| 3 | 93.6 |
| N | 91.9 |

Congratulations to Class 1 on their 100% attendance.
Whole school average 98.2%

Parents' Association

Dear Parents and Carers

It's lovely to see everyone back, and welcome to all our new families. We plan to start meeting again soon and running PA events and activities. Details will be in the newsletter and all parents and carers are encouraged to get involved. Please get in touch for more information.

Email Lara at laramartins25@gmail.com or Yashoda at yashoda66@hotmail.com. See you soon!

The Parents' Association

ADVANCE NOTICE

Additional Bank Holiday for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in June 2022 - Revised School Term and Holiday Dates.

We can add an additional day to our school holiday calendar. The school will now be closed to pupils on **Monday 1st November 2021.**

Term dates for 2021 -2022 are published on the school website, please follow the link below.

<https://www.corpuschristischool.co.uk/termdates>



You can follow Corpus Christi School on Instagram and twitter. Keep up to date with the latest news, trips and events that happen during the school year.

Find us on twitter@ccbrixton

Parents' Zone

If you would like to place an advert in our weekly newsletter, please email office@corpus-christi.org.uk

Babysitter Available

Babysitter available to collect child/ren from Corpus Christi School, Wednesdays and/o r Thursdays

Please contact Mrs Gutierrez for more information

07442 835409 after 3.30pm.

After School Activity Clubs Autumn Term 2021

We are very pleased that we are able to provide after school activities clubs again and we know the children are looking forward to attending these.

All the clubs operate from 3.30pm – 4.30pm. Your child does not need to be collected from school at 3.10pm, they will be supervised in school and then taken to their activity at 3.30pm.

Saturday Performing Arts Club

Each Saturday here at Corpus Christi School
9.30am – 1.30pm
Reception to Year 6 children.

£15.00 per child per session
Siblings £10

Please email Hannah or Sophie to express an interest in this club on DDSCbrixton@gmail.com

If you have any concerns regarding the welfare and safety of any child at Corpus Christi School, please do not hesitate to contact one of our Safeguarding Officers. Any issue will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Mrs J Connery, Mr R Coyle, Mrs K Smart, Mrs S Cole or Ms S Ruiz