



From the Headteachers



Half Term

As half term approaches, we would like to thank all our staff for working so hard to make the children's return to school such a success. Everyone worked diligently to ensure the school opening was planned carefully to ensure that our school could operate on both sites with as little disruption to the children's learning as possible. The inconvenience of having to travel to both sites for some families has been accepted without complaint by Corpus Christi's parents who as always showed great support, flexibility and understanding. Hopefully we will have confirmation from the Department of Education in the coming week regarding funding for the essential works on the junior site at Corpus Christi. Next Wednesday we will write to you regarding revised times for the beginning and end of the school day which will begin from Monday 31st October.

Parents Evening

On Tuesday and Thursday of this week we had Parents' Evening for all children. The beginning of the school term is arguably the most important meeting of the year and allows parents to speak to their child's teacher about how their child has settled into their new class and year group, as well as discussing progress and next steps in the children's learning. We hope that you found it useful.

Cake Sale

Thank you to all our parents and children who baked and brought cakes and bought them all back again! Thanks to the parents' association for the willingness to organise the sale on both sites for the benefit of the school. The competition cakes were amazing – thanks to all who entered. The winners of the competition will be announced at next week's assemblies.

Language of the Month is Hungarian

If you have anything you would like to share on our Board of Languages, send it into class with your child and we will take a copy, or alternatively, sent it to Mrs Tomoriva (Class 5)

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sat 14 th Oct	11am CC v Bird-in-Bush School at Rosendale Road
Tues 17 th Oct	Harvest Festival
Thurs 19 th October – Fri 27 th Oct 2023	October Half Term
Mon 23 rd Oct – Fri 27 th Oct	Mr Brady's October Half Term Sports Camp at Corpus Christi Trent Road

Announcements

Primary School Application for September 2024

You can now apply online for your child's Reception place in Primary School for the term September 2024.

If you are a resident in Lambeth please follow [this link](#) to complete the e-admission online form. If you live outside the borough, please contact your local council.

The e-admission must be completed by **MONDAY 15th JANUARY 2024**.

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 Tuesday 31st October 2023. Please check the secondary school's websites for details of open days. 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

Sickness

A reminder that if your child is sick (vomiting and/or diarrhoea) in the morning before school or on their way to school they should not attend school for 48 hours. Whilst we need to ensure children are attending school all of the time, being in school with a sickness bug is not helpful to other members of the school community.

Child of the Week for the week ending 6th Oct 2023

Nursery	Penelope B
Class 1	Gabriella A
Class 2	Yosias A
Class 3	Claudia L A
Class 4	Ethan S
Class 5	Elias S
Class 6	Elias P
Class 7	Dina P
Class 8	Gabriel H R
Class 9	Fiadh D
Class 10	Valentina S P
Class 11	Lian R P
Class 12	Rafferty R-P
Class 13	Louis J
Class 14	Selihom S

Attendance Tuesday 9th October 2023 - Friday 13th October 2023

CLASS	%
8	100
11	100
7	99.2
12	99.2
9	99.1
4	99.0
10	98.3
13	98.1
5	97.9
14	96.8
2	96.1
3	95.5
1	95.2
6	93.3
N	89.6

Congratulations to Classes 8 & 100 on their 100% attendance.
Whole school average 97%

Parents' Association

We have started planning events for the Autumn Term.

Friday 3rd November

Sparkly Discos

Tickets will be on sale through ParentPay next week.

Christmas Trees

Buy your Christmas tree through our Christmas Tree scheme and raise funds for the Parents Association. We are looking for some parent volunteers to help with the deliveries. If you can help,

Diane Simms- 07746501945
dianegilhenry@hotmail.com

More information on how to order will be sent on Monday.



Saturday 2nd December **Christmas Fair**

Mr Brady's October Half Term Sports Camp

Mon 23rd Oct – 27th Oct 9.15am – 3pm.

The Sports Camp will take place at Corpus Christi School, Trent Road.

£20 per child, siblings half price. [Click here for the booking form](#), forms are available from the school office at Corpus Christi Trent Road.



On behalf of Corpus Christi Church, we are accepting donations for the Norwood and Brixton Food bank on Friday 3rd November. Donations of food can be brought to both school sites, thank you.

Saturday Dance & Drama Club

Places still available, [click here](#) for more information.

Parents' Zone

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

National Height & Weight Programme

Today parents of children in Reception and Year 6 received information about this national programme. You only need to respond to the letter if you **DO NOT** wish your child to included.

Annual Flu Immunisation Programme

Your child's annual flu vaccination is now due, information was sent to all parents of children from Reception to Year 6 last week with information about the programme and the consent links.

Please use the link provided to access the electronic consent form <https://sav.hrch.nhs.uk/flu/2023/la mbeth>

The Immunisation Team will be visiting Corpus Christi School Friday 10th November 2023.

Guitar lessons

We have some places for children in year 2 to learn guitar. The lessons will begin after half term. Please email office@corpus-christi.org.uk to add your child's name to the waiting list.

Childcare Required

A Corpus Christi parent is looking for after school childcare to start immediately. Must be in walking distance of Corpus Christi School, Trent Road. For more information please email:

anapaula.marreiros@outlook.com
or telephone Ana: 07917 800630

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