



From the Headteachers

Self-Isolation Changes

From Monday 17th January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a LFD test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education setting immediately on day 6.

The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be [reported to NHS Test and Trace](#). If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests or anyone who continues to have a temperature will need to complete the full 10-day period of self-isolation.

Further [information on self-isolation for those with COVID-19](#) is available.

Punctuality

The start of the school day at Corpus Christi is 08.45am and children come directly into class at this time and begin their schoolwork immediately. However, to avoid congestion at school gates, there is an arrival window which means children can arrive at school and be marked present up to 8.55am. Best practice is to aim to bring your children to school by 8.45am, so that they can access the 'Early Work Boards' and have a settled and industrious start to the school day. If you regularly arrive at 8.55am the children are missing valuable learning time daily, which can add up to 50 minutes lost learning on a weekly basis.



This week children in Reception Classes worked in pairs to build a sturdy house for the 'Three Little Pigs'.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sat 15th Jan

**FOOTBALL
CANCELLED**

Announcements



Language for the month of January is
SPANISH.

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, send it to Mrs Tomoriova (Class 5) mtomoriova@corpus-christi.org.uk

Examples: a book, a screenshot of a book in Spanish, Spanish music, your children singing in Spanish, a photo in traditional clothes, a recipe in Spanish etc.

'Herne Hill Kids' Lit Fest

The 'Herne Hill Kids' Lit Fest' will be running from 1st - 6th February. There is an exciting programme for the featuring after-school, evening and weekend events and they have secured several author visits for children. For more details about the event here:

<https://www.stationhallhernehill.org/programme-and-tickets>



IF YOU NEED TO CONTACT THE AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB STAFF AFTER SCHOOL HOURS, PLEASE RING 07727 658527

Merit Awards for the week ending 7th Jan 2022

Nursery	Jacob R
Class 1	Daniella A
Class 2	Antonella F
Class 3	Hannah L B
Class 4	Aurelia-Me L
Class 5	Oscar C
Class 6	Etta W
Class 7	Florence A-C
Class 8	Imogen B W
Class 9	Rosie P
Class 10	Abeil H
Class 11	Samuel W
Class 12	Eldana T
Class 13	Javaughna W
Class 14	Francesco S

Attendance Monday 10th January 2022 - Friday 14th January 2022

CLASS	%
2	100
10	98.8
9	98.4
7	98.3
13	97.9
11	97.0
5	96.8
3	96.6
12	96.2
1	95.8
N	95.8
6	94.4
8	94.4
4	90.6
14	87.9

Congratulations to Class on their
100% attendance.

Whole School Average: 96%

Parents' Zone

Welcome Project

The London Welcome Project is a non-profit, member-driven social centre for asylum seekers, refugees, and migrants, as well as members of the local community. We aim to provide our visitors, many of whom are marginalised and vulnerable, with a safe, welcoming space where they can relax, make friends, and make meaningful links with the local community.

We are looking for volunteers on Wednesday mornings, afternoons or if you are available all day to help at the centre. For more information, please contact Foufou on 07949603968 or foufou.savitzky@learningunlimited.co

Year 4 & 6 Residential Trip

This year we have a planned Year 4 trip to Butlins in Bogner Regis from Monday 9th May – Wed 11th May and Year 6 trip to the PGL centre on the Isle of Wight from Monday 23rd May – Fri 27th May.

These trips are now available to pay on your ParentPay account and you can make monthly installments to help spread the cost.

Please ensure you are up to date with your payments by February half term.

Dinner money is charged at £2.40 for children in Nursery and Year 3-6.

Charges for

Spring Term 1 (5th Jan – 11th Feb) £67.40.

Spring Term 2 (21st Feb – 1st Apr) £84.00.

If your circumstances have changed and you might be eligible for free school meals, please contact the school office.

Primary School Transfer

If your child was born between 01/09/2017 and 31/08/2019 your child should be starting primary school in September 2022.

Nursery parents need to apply online through your home borough for your child's primary school place.

This is known as a common application form. Please ensure you complete this by **midnight Saturday 15th January 2022**. If you apply after this date the likelihood of gaining a place at your preferred school may be significantly reduced therefore, apply online and apply on time.

Parents' Association

The PA will be meeting via zoom on Thursday 20th January 8 – 9pm

All parents and carers are welcome to join in. We will be talking about events including our plans for a Spring Fair.

Details of the meeting will be shared by Class Reps. Alternatively, you can request the details by emailing Lara on laramartins25@gmail.com or Yashoda on yashoda66@hotmail.com.

Date for your diary

Friday 11th February we will have our Valentine's Cake Sale.

More details to follow next week.

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