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## From the Headteachers

### **Black History Month**

At Corpus Christi School we always celebrate our diversity and recognise the importance of Black History Month.

We start with a visit from Freshwater Theatre on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October. Reception and Year 1 children will be learning about African Stories, whilst Years 3 & 4 children will be learning through a Black History celebration.

If you or a family member wish to come into school and share a story of your family's history please contact Mr Calvey.

mcalvey@corpuschristi.lambeth.sch.uk

#### Holiday Dates 2020-2021

The school's holiday dates for 2020-2021 have been agreed with the school's Governing Body and are now on our website. Once again we would ask you to avoid internet searches of general school holidays or those in Lambeth as ours may differ. Please note that the children will have an extended holiday next autumn 2020. School finishes for all children on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October (Inset Day Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Oct) and all children will return to school on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

## **Announcements**

#### **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 Thursday 31st October 2019.

#### **Applications for Reception Class 2020**

Nursery parents need to apply online through your home borough for your child's Reception Class place 2020. The application process is now open and closes on Tuesday 15th January 2020.

#### **Winter Uniform**

From Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September the children in Years 1- 6 wear their winter uniform. Please check the school's website for details.

Children in Reception Classes 1 & 2 began the school year in their winter uniform therefore there is no change for these children.

#### **INSET DAY**

A reminder that the school will be closed on Friday 18th October for Staff Training. Half Term Monday 21st Oct—Fri 25th Oct.

This week Freshwater Theatre Company came into school and Year 1 explored the British Isles with Baxter the Bear.



### DATES TO REMEMBER

| Mon 30 <sup>th</sup><br>Sept | ALL CHILDREN<br>WEAR THEIR<br>WINTER UNIFORM            |
|------------------------------|---|
| Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> Sept    | 9.30am kick off CC<br>v Fenstanton at<br>Rosendale Road |
| Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct    | Year 5 Trip to<br>Kensington Palace                     |
| Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Oct      | 9am Class 13<br>Assembly                                |
|                              | 7pm Bingo Evening                                       |

#### Parents' Evening Appointments

Tuesday 15th Oct 4.30pm - 7pm

Nursery 3.30pm start

#### Wednesday 16th Oct 3.45pm-6pm

Letters with your appointment will be sent out soon. If you have a preference to which evening you wish to attend please let the school office know by email: office@corpuschristi.lambeth.sch.uk

We will try to accommodate your request.

Once appointments are made we cannot change them.



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

Find us on twitter@ccbrixton

Class 14 had a nonsense assembly this morning about the life and works of Edward Lear, well done to all.

## Parents' Zone

**Babysitter Available** 

Ex CC pupil available for babysitting on most evenings, weekends and holidays for pupils at the primary school, I have experience of babysitting.

I am a year 12 student at Ursuline High School and live a close to Corpus Christi School.

For more information please phone Alex on 07895 997859.

#### Gospel Christmas 2019

Brixton Community Church, Lambert Road Sat 7 Dec 7pm - 10pm Visit:

www.evenbrite.co.uk/e/christian -aid-gospel-christmas-2019tickets-71637775515

Early bird tickets before 15 Nov
An evening of gospel music,
celebratory carols & artists. A
Christmas appeal to give mothers
living in poverty throughout the
world a hopeful future.

# Attendance 16<sup>th</sup> Sept -20<sup>th</sup> Sept 2019

| CLASS | %    |
|-------|------|
| 1     | 100  |
| 2     | 100  |
| 6     | 100  |
| 7     | 99.7 |
| 3     | 99.6 |
| 10    | 99.6 |
| 5     | 99.3 |
| 8     | 99.3 |
| 14    | 99.2 |
| 4     | 99.0 |
| 9     | 98.9 |
| 13    | 98.5 |
| 11    | 97.6 |
| N     | 95.0 |
| 12    | 92.7 |

Congratulations to Classes 1, 2 & 6 on their 100% attendance.

# Merit Awards for the week ending 20th Sept 2019

| Nursery P/T | Aurelia-Mae L |
|-------------|---------------|
| Nursery F/T | Arthur T      |
| Class 1     | Etta W        |
| Class 2     | Jowell M C    |
| Class 3     | Lara C        |
| Class 4     | Jimi P        |
| Class 5     | Chuwujindu O  |
| Class 6     | Kaeto O       |
| Class 7     | Molly W       |
| Class 8     | Kolaiah A     |
| Class 9     | Alek H        |
| Class 10    | Skyla S       |
| Class 11    | Hannah W A    |
| Class 12    | Caitlin B     |
| Class 13    | Jacopo S      |
| Class 14    | Molly L       |

## Parents' Association News

## **Dates for your Diary**

#### Parents' Association meetings

9am Fri 4<sup>th</sup> October 7pm Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> November 7pm Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> November

# 7pm Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October Bingo Evening

A fun filled evening for all the family and a chance to win a cash prize!



We are asking for families to start collecting £1 coins and 50p's to bring along on the evening as changing £10 & £20 notes can be difficult.

Entry is free.

Tickets will be available to pick up from Monday 23rd September so hurry and get yours as numbers will be limited and there is no entry without a ticket.

2pm Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Nov All Saints Day themed Cake Sale

12 noon – 4pm Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Nov Christmas Fair

If you would like to get involved with any events please register your interest by clicking on the following link:

https://app.ptsocial.com.register/Corpuschrisitbrixton

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