



## From the Headteachers

We trust all had an enjoyable summer break and were pleased to see your children return to school on Tuesday. Thanking you in advance for your continued support and co-operation, it is much appreciated.

### Wellbeing

Welcome back to school!

After the long holidays, the return to school can always seem a little regimented, but there are also positives - often routine can offer stability which in turn supports good wellbeing.

Thank you to all parents who took the wellbeing award survey at the end of the summer term. The results have been collated and Mrs Smart will report back on your suggestions and what you think the school is already doing well.

The children have been re-introduced to RULER, our emotional intelligence learning programme, this week and we hope to invite parents in to learn more about the RULER programme very soon.

If you have any concerns about your child's or your own wellbeing and wish to speak with someone at school, please do contact Mrs Smart - our Senior Mental Health Lead, on [ksmart@corpus-christi.org.uk](mailto:ksmart@corpus-christi.org.uk) or drop in on Wednesday mornings from 9:00 - 10:30 when she will be available to talk.

### Attendance

We were delighted that so many children achieved 100% attendance for last summer term's attendance. The children were very pleased to receive their attendance badges. Many children also achieved 100% for the academic year. We have introduced badges for children who achieved over 99.5% attendance for the academic year, with juniors to receive theirs at Monday's assembly. Unfortunately, medical appointments are counted as an absence, so please consider how appointment times could be taken outside school time or before/after registration (8.50 am and 1.30 pm).

School gates are open from 8.40 am, so please aim for your child to be at school soon after this time, so they are ready for registration at 8.50 am and present for the teacher's explanation of the early morning work. They will be marked late after 8.50 am and will miss their teacher's explanation of the work. Good punctuality is an important life skill.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

<b>Mon 9<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>New Reception Children join us Nursery Children begin to join us  After School Activities commence</b>
<b>Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>	<b>Swimming Lessons Commences for Class 10</b>
<b>Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>	<b>9am Year 1 Parent Meeting – Upper Hall</b>
<b>Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>	<b>9am Upper Juniors Years, years 5 &amp; 6 Parents Meeting – Upper Hall</b>
<b>Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>	<b>9am Class 13 Assembly</b>

## 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 Tuesday 31st October 2024. 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](mailto:office@corpus-christi.org.uk)

### 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](mailto:office@corpus-christi.org.uk) with a proof of address.

### Class Assemblies

We are very pleased to be able to hold class assemblies for our parents once again. The first assembly will be Class 13's on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September. Future assembly dates will be published on our website next week and you will also be informed by your child's class teacher.

## Child of the Week for the week ending 6<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024

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

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2023

CLASS	%
7	100
8	100
12	100
14	100
4	99.1
9	99.0
13	97.0
5	97.0
10	96.7
3	96.6
5	93.8
11	93.0

Congratulations to Classes 7, 8 12 & 14 on their 100% attendance.  
Whole school average 98%

## Parents' Zone

### After School Activity Clubs Autumn Term 2024

#### Commence Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September

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 3.15pm, they will be supervised in school and then taken to their activity at 3.30pm. If your child then goes onto After School Care Club, they will be brought there by CC Staff.

#### 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.

#### Attendance Awards

Today at assembly 134 children received their 100% attendance badge for their attendance during the summer term 2024, well done.

40 children received a 100% gold badge for being at school each day last year, well done to them too.

## 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.

The Parents' Association

### Saturday Club at Corpus Christi School

Each Saturday 9.30am - 1:30pm  
Reception – Year 4 plus older siblings/relatives/family friends.  
£15 PER SESSION – subsequent siblings £10 Term Time only  
Please email Hannah and Sophie to book or for more information:  
[DDSCbrixton@gmail.com](mailto:DDSCbrixton@gmail.com)

More information about the club is attached to the newsletter.

Term dates for 2024 -2025 are published on the school website, please follow the link below.

[Term Dates | Corpus Christi Catholic School \(corpuschristischool.co.uk\)](https://www.corpuschristischool.co.uk)

Please note that there will be an Inset day on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024 before the October half term.



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