



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL

FROM THE
CO-HEADTEACHERS

Friday 4th April 2025

ISSUE 27

DIARY DATES

Fri 4th April	End of Term School closes at 2pm THERE IS NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB ON THIS DAY
Sat 5 th Apr	9am CC Girls v Woodmansterne at Griffin Sports Ground
Mon 7th April - Mon 21st April	Easter Holiday
Mon 7th April - Thurs 17th April	Mr Brady's Sports Camp
Tues 22nd April	INSET DAY - School Closed to Pupils
Wed 23rd April	Children Return to School
Fri 25 th April	Nursery Trip to Brixton Library
Mon 28 th April	After School Activity for the Summer Term start this week

The Way of the Cross

As part of the children's Lenten observance, the children performed a moving re-enactment of Jesus' last days in The Way of The Cross. We enjoyed their dramatic interpretation as well as beautiful singing. The service was performed by Years 3, 4 & 5 and was an appropriate time for us all to reflect on the stations of the cross as we prepare for Easter. We would like to thank you all for attending our service and your continued support for everything the school does for the benefit of the children.

Easter Prayer Service

It was wonderful to see such a huge turnout for our Easter Prayer Services and Bonnet Parades in the main hall this week. We would like to thank parents for helping the children with making their fabulous bonnets and helping to make the event a memorable experience for the all. Once again we thank the Early Years and Infant staff for preparing the children with songs and prayers. Thanks also to Fr. Matthew and Fr Mebrate for attending the services and giving us an Easter Blessing.

And finally... just like that, the Spring Term is over! Thank you for your support this term, we wish you a peaceful and Holy Easter and we look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 23rd April for the Summer Term and children wearing their summer uniform.

Wellbeing Award

We are delighted to announce that Corpus Christi School has been awarded the Wellbeing award from Optimus Education. This is an independent validation of our work to support the children, families and staff of our school.

The assessor, Mark Jennet, who visited on Monday of last week, was so impressed by the children who gave him a tour of the school and spoke about the RULER project, our ELSA (Miss Lopeman) our Year Five and Six Diversity, Inclusion & Wellbeing Champions and the care that our school shows. He was delighted to hear about the staff and parent wellbeing working parties, 'Wellbeing Wednesday' open mornings and of course the support we now have from The Lambeth Mental Health Support Team. We thank Mrs Smart for all her hard work in enabling the school to achieve this award.



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**CHILD OF THE WEEK FOR THE
WEEK ENDING
28TH MARCH 2025**

**ATTENDANCE
MON 31ST MARCH - 4TH APRIL 2025**

NURSERY	Eliana B
CLASS 1	Hugo A
CLASS 2	Emma A A
CLASS 3	Anna M
CLASS 4	Daniel L
CLASS 5	Theodora D
CLASS 6	Piotr W
CLASS 7	Malachi E
CLASS 8	Sofia K
CLASS 9	Isla R
CLASS 10	Freddie M
CLASS 11	Oran O
CLASS 12	Leo M
CLASS 13	Lian R P
CLASS 14	Estrella P

CLASS	%		
		5	96.8
12	99	6	96.2
2	98.9	14	95.5
11	98.7	1	94.6
8	98.5	4	94.4
7	98.0	3	93.5
9	97.9	13	93.3
10	97.6	N	92.0

Congratulations to Class 12 on their excellent attendance.

Whole school average 96%



Well done to our football team winning their match last Saturday 5-1 against Bird in the Bush School, Oran 3 goals, Clement and Caden 1 goal each.

**HAPPY
Easter!**

We would like to say big 'well done' to the children for taking part in CAFOD's Big Lent Walk. Every child across the school took part on a sponsored walk to raise money to help people as they overcome poverty. Please help your child gather sponsorship money and fill out their sponsorship form. Money can be returned to the school office after the Easter break. Alternatively, you can make your donation to CAFOD via the QR code.



Well done to Blake Class 8 who decided to selling some of her crafts from her doorstep and the money she raised she donated to our Lenten appeal for The Catholic Children's Society, thank you Blake.

WELLBEING NEWS

Wednesday Open Mornings

As always if you have any concerns about child's or your family's wellbeing, please contact Mrs Smart, our senior mental health lead, ksmart@corpus-christi.org.uk if you would like further information or a chat or come along to our wellbeing Wednesday Open Morning 9:00am - 10:30am.

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Date for your Diary

Bingo Evening - Friday 16th May

Children welcome and how to buy your tickets will be published after the holiday.

Friday Lolly Sales during the summer term after school in the playgrounds.

6th, 13th and 27th June



School Uniform Sale

Thank you to everyone who was able to pop along on Monday to the pre-loved uniform sale in the Church Hall. We raised £274 for the Parents' Association.

Movie Night

The junior children had a great evening at our recent movie night. We raised £895 before expenses.

PARENTS' ZONE



Years 6 Leavers' Hoodies

Year 6 Leavers' Hoodies are now available to buy on your ParentPay account.

A lovely memento for the children to wear on their Y6 residential trip making them easily identifiable at PGL. The hoodies are soft, comfortable and easy to wash.

Brighton Marathon

Helen Grimes (Grandmother of Lila C5 and Sadie C4) is running the Brighton Marathon on 6th of April for MIND. Helen would appreciate your sponsorship.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/helen-grimes-2brighton?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL



Easter Sports Camp

Mr Brady's Easter Sports Camp

Monday 7th April - Friday 11th April
and

Monday 14th April - Thursday 17th April

Booking forms are available from the school office and the school website.

Easy Funding Raising

Did you know that you can support our school MIDAS fund without any additional cost to yourself when you shop online by creating a supporter account and following the instructions to set up a reminder button, this takes 2 minutes [click here](#).

If you would like to contribute to CC MIDAS fund please [click here](#) for more information about the fund and how your donations are used at school to enhance your children's learning.

Communications

If you have moved recently, changed your mobile number or email address, please ensure you keep the school updated with the new information.

If you are going to be away for any period of time and another adult will be looking after your child, please also make sure the school has full contact details, this is very important if we have to contact a responsible adult in an emergency.

Outstanding Balances

We ask that you check regularly your ParentPay account to ensure your balances on any service your child accesses at school is up to date, breakfast club, after school care club and music lessons.

Payments for residential trips for Years 5 & 6 should be up to date with deposits paid. The final payment is due on Monday 7th April. If you have any queries or concerns regarding the trip please speak directly to your child's class teacher. Any concerns regarding payment please contact Ms Ruiz or the school office.

Dominoes at Brixton Library

Year 6 Partnership with Brixton Immortals

We are very fortunate to have created a link with our local domino club, The Brixton Immortals. Members from the club have visited Year 6 twice already to teach the children the history and rules of dominoes. The club has arranged additional practice sessions in Brixton Library and all families are very welcome to attend.

Saturday 12th April and Saturday 26th April

Saturday 10th May and Saturday 31st May

The sessions will run between **11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.**

The sessions will provide you and your family with a wonderful opportunity to play dominoes together - led and guided by our local domino experts!!



STAR FOOTBALLERS

WORK HARD - PLAY HARD - HAVE FUN

Coach Ciarán

As a FA qualified football coach, Ciarán develops boys and girls to become the best version of themselves in a fun, engaging and hard-working environment. For more information about the sessions he runs at local parks please [click here](#).

After School Care Club Contact Numbers: 07727 658527 or 020 7274 4744 Option 2

Corpus Christi Trent Road

SUMMER UNIFORM

From Wednesday 23rd April 2025 the children return to school wearing their summer uniform.

Nursery children wear blue P.E shorts with their polo shirt and sweater.

Girls from Reception to Year 4 wear the Corpus Christi summer dress & straw boater.

Girls in Year 5 & 6 wear the Corpus Christi school blouse available from school or a plain blue blouse, with either skirt or culottes.

All boys from Reception to Year 6 wear grey shorts (no combat patch pockets) available from High Street stores & Corpus Christi socks which are available from school.

With the exception of the girls plain blue blouses & boy's shorts, all these items are available to purchase from the school uniform shop.

BY CLICKING HERE

The school office will be open between 9am and 2pm during the Easter holiday for collection of orders.



School Term Dates

2024-2025



Term	Term Dates	Holidays & Inset Days
Autumn 1	3rd September - 24th October 2024	Inset - 2nd September 2024 Inset - 25th October 2024 Half Term 28th - 1st November 2024
Autumn 2	4th November - 20th December 2024 2pm Close	Christmas Holiday 23rd December - 3rd January 2025 Inset - 6th January 2025
Spring 1	7th January - 14th February 2025	Half Term 17th - 21st February 2025
Spring 2	24th February - 4th April 2025 2pm Close	Easter Holiday 7th April - 21st April 2025 Inset - 22nd April 2025
Summer 1	23rd April - 23rd May 2025	Half Term 26th - 30th May 2025 Bank Holiday 5th May 2025
Summer 2	2nd June - 18th July 2025 2pm Close	Summer Holiday 21st July - 29th August 2025
2025-26	Start - 2nd September 2025	Inset - 1st September 2025

At the end of each full term we close at 2pm and there is no after school club.
Please ensure that any holidays are booked out of term time.