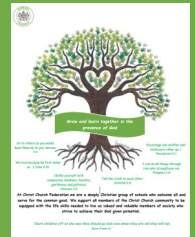




Christ Church C of E Junior School Newsletter 25 Friday 8th May



This half term our Collective Worship theme is:

Perseverance

I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.

Philippians 4:13

School Dinners– Next week will be week 3

School dinners are £2.65 per day which is payable on School Gateway. If your child would like a school dinner, they can order one daily. All they need to do is inform their class teacher during the dinner register.

All meals are freshly prepared on site and there is always the choice of jacket potatoes or sandwiches if your child does not like the main menu option that day.

Exciting News: Pep the Poet is Coming to Visit!

We are thrilled to announce that Pep the Poet, an inspirational children's poet, will be visiting our school on Monday, 16th June. Pep has a wealth of experience in helping children overcome challenges and live happy, grateful lives. His workshops are not only educational but also highly engaging and empowering, leaving participants feeling inspired and confident that anything is possible!

This is a valuable opportunity for our students to explore the power of poetry and personal growth. To help cover the costs of these workshops, we are kindly asking for a £2 contribution, which can be made via the School Gateway. Due to budgetary constraints, without contributions from parents, such enriching experiences would be out of reach.

There will be the opportunity to purchase a signed book, information on this to follow.

We deeply appreciate your support in making this event possible and look forward to seeing the children benefit from this wonderful experience.



Year 6 Creative Church

The theme of the year 6 Creative Church which will be held in the school hall on 22nd May at 2.00pm will be Pentecost. Please complete the form if you would like to attend.

<https://forms.office.com/e/u29mGzJk7B>

Parent Viewing of Puberty Video

On 20th May the school nurses are in school delivering sessions about growing up, to year 5-6. These are age appropriate and skilfully led by the nursing team. **In the year 6 session**, the children learn about how babies are made. The nurses show the children a short video during this session. The video is approximately 2 minutes long and is made for educational use for children in year 6. The video will be available for year 6 parent viewing in school on Monday 19th May **at 3.15pm** if you wish to watch it yourself. Children will be asked to wait in a nearby classroom with adult supervision.

Dates for your Diary (new information in bold)

In order to make it easy for parents to find the information needed. Diary dates will be on the newsletter every week. Any new additions/ amendments are in bold to make them easy to identify and add to your diary.

Tuesday 20th May– Year 4 trip to Bradford Estates– CANCELLED

Wednesday 21st May– Educational Communion Service. Year 6 parents of children taking part are invited to attend. 9.15am

Thursday 22nd May– Year 6 Creative Church in the hall 2.00pm. Theme– Pentecost. <https://forms.office.com/e/u29mGzJk7B>

Friday 23rd May– Star Awards Assembly– you will be notified if your child will be receiving an award.

Friday 23rd May– Break up for Half term

Monday 2nd June– INSET DAY

Tuesday 3rd June– School reopens to pupils

Tuesday 3rd June– School nurses. Sessions with year 5 and 6– information to follow.

Wednesday 4th June– Annual music concert in school– Information to follow

Wednesday 11th June– Year 4 Gurdwara trip– information to follow

Wednesday 18th June– Class photos

Thursday 19th June -Sports Day Years 3/4 9.30am and Years 5/6 1.30pm

Friday 20th June– Summer Fair after school

Wednesday 9th– Friday 11th July– Year 6 residential to Laches Wood.

Monday 14th, Tuesday 15th and Wednesday 16th July– Year 6 Bikeability

Wednesday 25th June– Children's University Graduation for children who attend extra curricular clubs with Mr Gray

Monday 21st July– INSET DAY

Fundraising Appeal

Due to the increasing running costs and the reduction in education funding we would appreciate voluntary parental contributions towards our school fund.

If you would like to make a donation please do so through School Gateway.

The funds raised will go towards school based projects such as a replacement oven at the infant school, outdoor play structures, paving or ICT Equipment.

All of these projects require significant funding. Any support from parents would be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks,

Year 4 Residential Visit To Boreatton Park

Thank you for lending us your children!
We had the most amazing trip with them!
It really is a pleasure to be in their
company. We made so many amazing
memories!



Water Bottles

We are currently finding we have several children coming to the office each day for a disposable cup. Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school daily so that the cost and the environmental impact of using disposable cups can be reduced.

Many thanks

Reminder: Healthy Snack for Break Time

This is a friendly reminder that children should be bringing fruit for their break time snack. We encourage healthy eating habits and want to ensure that all children have a nutritious option to enjoy at break time

Thank you for your support in helping us promote healthy choices for our children!

Science Fair at St Nicholas' First School

Year 5 and 6 Science Stars have had a wonderful day today representing our school at a local school science fayre. They taught children from other schools how to extract DNA from strawberries and were able to do their own research at various table top activities. Well done!





Week One Menu



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	Beef Pasta Bolognese Served with Carrots & Peas	Chicken Curry Served with Rice Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Pork Sausages with Mash Potato, Sweetcorn, Cauliflower & Gravy	Fish Fingers Served with Chips Baked Beans, Peas & Tomato Ketchup
VEGETARIAN	Vegetable Curry Served with Rice Carrots & Peas	Macaroni Cheese Served Warm Baguette Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Roast Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Vegetarian Sausage Served with Mash Potato Sweetcorn, Cauliflower & Gravy	Cheese & Tomato Pizza Served with Chips Baked Beans & Peas
POTATO PASTA DISH	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce
DELI BAR	Sandwich with your choice of filling Ham / Cheese / Tuna Mayonnaise	Baguette with your choice of filling Ham / Cheese / Tuna Mayonnaise	Sandwich with your choice of filling Ham / Cheese / Tuna Mayonnaise	Baguette with your choice of filling Ham / Cheese / Tuna Mayonnaise	Sandwich with your choice of filling Ham / Cheese / Tuna Mayonnaise
DESSERTS	Chocolate Cookie & Apple Slices	Iced Sponge & Custard	Vanilla Ice-Cream & Fresh Fruit	Shortbread & Apple Slices	Fruity Friday

AVAILABLE DAILY:

Wholemeal Bread, Fresh Salad Bar, Water,
Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt and Fruit Jelly.



Week Two Menu



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	BBQ Chicken with Rice Peas & Carrots	Beef Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges, Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Beef Lasagne Served with Sweetcorn & Cauliflower	Fish Fingers Served with Chips, Peas & Baked Beans
VEGETARIAN	Veggie Nuggets Served with Potato Wedges, Peas & Carrots	Quorn Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges, Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes Green Bean, Carrots & Gravy	Vegetable Lasagne Served with Sweetcorn & Cauliflower	Cheese & Tomato Pizza Served with Chips, Baked Beans & Peas
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DESSERTS	Flapjack & Orange Slices	Jam Sponge & Custard	Shortbread & Apple slices	Apple Crumble & Custard	Fruity Friday

AVAILABLE DAILY:

Wholemeal Bread, Fresh Salad Bar, Water, Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt and Fruit Jelly.





Week Three Menu



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	Chicken & Vegetable Noodles Served with Sweetcorn & Peas	Hot Dog in a Bun Served with Wedges Potatoes Cauliflower & Sweetcorn	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Chicken Wrap Served with Potato Wedges, Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Fish Fingers & Chips Served with Baked Beans & Peas
VEGETARIAN	Vegetarian Lasagne Served with Peas & Sweetcorn	Mixed bean Vegetable Noodles Served with Cauliflower & Sweetcorn	Roast Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Vegetable Nuggets Served with Potato Wedges Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Cheese & Tomato Pizza Served with Chips, Baked Beans & Peas
JACKET POTATO/PASTA DISH	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potatoes With a Selection of Fillings or Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce
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DESSERTS	Chocolate Sponge & Custard	Oaty Cinnamon Cookie	Banana Muffin	Chocolate Orange Shortbread & Apple slices	Fruity Friday

AVAILABLE DAILY:

Wholemeal Bread, Fresh Salad Bar, Water, Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt and Fruit Jelly.

