



Christ Church C of E Junior School Newsletter 20

Friday 9th February 2024

This week our Collective
Worship theme was:

Perseverance



Writer of the Week

Year 3- Yuven Chohan

Year 4- Milly Kang

Year 5- Myles Kolawole

Year 6- Umair Tariq

Our Vision

Grow and learn together with God by our side.



Spellings

Children will be receiving a spelling shed login. When you have your login, spelling games can be found via the link below:

https://www.edshed.com/en-gb/login?return_url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.spellingshed.com%2Fen-gb



For week beginning Monday 19th February children will complete list 19 for their year groups.

Spellings can also be found at:

<https://www.christchurchfederation.co.uk/junior-curriculum-maps>

RSE Policy Consultation

Parents were last consulted on our RSE Policy in 2020. Therefore as many of you would not have been part of our school community at that time we are offering all parents the opportunity to ask questions or share their views on the revised policy.

[https://
www.christchurchfederation.co.uk/post/
relationship-and-sex-education-policy-
rse](https://www.christchurchfederation.co.uk/post/relationship-and-sex-education-policy-rse)

Golden Jacket

Aarav Wilkoo has won the Golden Jacket this week! Look out for Aarav in the golden Jacket around school this week!



Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school everyday. We are currently giving out a high number of disposable cups everyday. This will help to your child to have easy access to water throughout the day and to reduce the plastic waste we are producing. Many thanks for your cooperation.



School Dinners

Next week back will be week 2

School dinners are £2.60 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.

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.



Monday 5th and Tuesday 6th February– Book Fair in the Junior hall. 3.30pm

Monday 5th– Friday 9th February– World book day costume to donations to come into school

Wednesday 7th February– PSHE parent workshop (no children are involved) @infant school 1.45-2.45pm

<https://www.christchurchfederation.co.uk/post/pshe-and-rhe-parents-information-session-personal-social-and-health-education-relationship-and>

Monday 19th February– Costume shop for World Book Day—Location TBC

Thursday 22nd February– World Thinking Day– Girl Guides, Brownies, Cubs, Scouts etc are welcome to come in their uniforms.

Thursday 29th February– Year 5 Creative Church in school– parents invited to attend. 1.30pm. Information to follow

Friday 1st March– Author visit- all year groups

Tuesday 5th March– Year 5 PE workshop at St Regis 9.30am

Thursday 7th March– World Book Day

Tuesday 12th March– Educational Communion Service 1.30pm– Year 6 parents of children taking part are invited to attend.

Thursday 14th March– STEM Show for Science Week

Friday 15th March– Comic Relief– come to school wearing red. £1 donation.

Thursday 11th April– Year 5 start the ‘The Junior Police Cadet School Officer’ course with PC Brittle. This will be 5 sessions, 1 hour per week.

Wednesday 17th April– Lower school trip to the Grand Theatre (The Boy at the Back of the Class)

Thursday 18th April– Upper school trip to the Grand Theatre (The Boy at the Back of the Class)

Thursday 18th April– Year 4 Bikeability

Friday 3rd May– 1.45pm School music concert. Information to follow

Thursday 9th May– Year 4 residential visit to Kingswood.

Week beginning 13th May– Year 6 SATS

Monday 20th May– Nurses in school sessions in years 4-6. Information to follow.

Tuesday 21st May- PC Brittle transition session with year 6

Wednesday 22nd May– Year 5 parent workshop at St Regis. 9.30am more information to follow.

Thursday 23rd May– Author visit- Onjali Qatara Raúf MBE (author of ‘The Boy at the Back of the Class’ following our trip to the grand theatre)

Friday 24th May– School closed. INSET DAY

Thursday 13th June– Year 5 Rivers trip– led by the Geography team at St Regis.

Wednesday 19th June– Class photos

Thursday 27th June– Sports Day

Wednesday 3rd July– Year 6 residential to Laches Wood

Wednesday 10th July– Year 6 attending the production on ‘Oliver’ at St Regis

Thursday 11th and Friday 12th July– Year 6 Bikeability

Friday 19th July- Break up for the summer

Monday 22nd July– INSET DAY



CRAFT 'N' CHAT

Free drop in event for children, young people and their parents and carers.

Wednesday 14th February 2024
Drop in any time between 10:30am and 14:30pm

Location:
Wolverhampton Art Gallery, Lichfield Street,
Wolverhampton, WV1 1DU

Parking Information:
-Although there is no direct parking on location, pay and display is available in and around Wolverhampton. Active travel is encouraged and if you show a bus or train ticket you will receive a discount in the Art Gallery's cafe!



STEM Show

As part of Science week we have booked a STEM show for the children. The show looks absolutely fantastic and will be a great learning opportunity for the children. If you are able to do so, please make the contribution of £2 via your child's School Comms. Your contributions are very much appreciated.



Mrs Nash's Challenge!

As I will be turning 21+19 this year, I will be doing a Skydive in aid of 'The Haven'. The Haven provide a life line for women and their children who are fleeing abuse. Any support would be very much appreciated!

https://www.justgiving.com/page/jemma-nash-1706813516198?utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=page%2Fjemma-nash-1706813516198&utm_source=whatsapp&utm_campaign=pfp-whatsapp



Sports Fixtures

Please find below the sports fixtures which have been organized for this year. New additions will always be in bold. A Microsoft form will come out to you before the event to confirm attendance and arrangements. Only children who are playing in that particular match will receive the form. I try, where possible to get this information to parents a minimum of a week before the fixture.

Mixed Football

Warstones– Monday 26th February

Netball

19/02/23- Wolverhampton Grammar School– Away

18/03/24– Newbridge prep and St Andrews—Home

Girls' Football

Woodthorne– 17/06/24

Palmers Cross– 15/04/24

The Royal– TBC



Parents & Friends Association (PFA) Update

This is the first of our updates for all parents in the newsletters so bear with us, we will get better!

BOOKFAIR

The Scholastic Bookfair is returning next week after school on the dates below. All parents welcome at both schools, please feel free to visit the either.

Mon 5th, Tues 6th & Wed 7th Feb in the Junior School Hall

Thurs 8th Feb in the Infant School Hall

COSTUME SHOP – WORLD BOOK DAY COSTUMES AND ACCESSORIES

Have you got outgrown costumes and accessories at home which would be suitable for World Book Day? You could help us and other parents! We will be holding our very first Costume Shop! Next week we will be collecting any unwanted costumes and accessories which will then be for sale in school on the date below with all funds going straight back to school.

COLLECTION - Monday 5th-Friday 9th February

(Please ensure all donations are in a clean, wearable condition with no rips please and secured in a bag or box)

COSTUME SHOP - Monday 19th February (location TBC)

We are planning on holding more in the future for Inspiration/Fabulous Finale/Christmas Jumper Day, etc. but due to limited storage, we can only take World Book Day costumes at this time.

QUIZ NIGHT!

After a break, the immensely popular Quiz Night is coming back! Want a fun night out with a difference? A battle of the parents? Most useful/useless knowledge possessed by a team? Then this is your chance! Start planning your team now, more details will be released soon. (Please note, this is strictly an over 18's event due to the sale of alcohol) **** Date TBC ****

NEXT MEETING DATE(S)

Do you have a great fundraising idea? Want to help raise funds for the children? Or just fancy finding out more about what the PFA do? Then please join us at one of our next meetings. Everyone is welcome!

Tuesday 20th February at 7pm Royal Oak Public House, School Road WV6

Tuesday 9th April at 7pm Christ Church Junior School Hall

Have a question? Please contact us on ccfederationpfa@gmail.com

Explorify

Art Competition

Turn curiosity and creativity into a work of art

Competition winners will have their creations made into an Explorify Start with Art activity and receive a £50 book token!

Explorify is eager to see artworks from all educational settings, including home learners. Winners will be carefully selected from two categories:

- Age 7 and under
- Age 8-12

Enter by 31 March 2024



Scan for competition details and tips for success.

"READING IS A PASSPORT
TO COUNTLESS ADVENTURES."
- NEIL GAIMAN



**LIBRARY IS OPEN AFTER
SCHOOL THURSDAYS UNTIL 4PM
MRS WALKER WOULD LOVE TO
SEE YOU AND YOUR FAMILY**

FIRST VISIT

COLLECT YOUR BOOKMARK AND YOUR FIRST STICKER

GET A STICKER EVERY VISIT

EVERY 7 STICKERS YOU RECEIVE YOU GET A PRIZE.



**THE WORLD
belongs
to
THOSE WHO
read**



Week One Menu

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	PORK SAUSAGE WITH MASHED POTATO & GRAVY	HOMEMADE BEEF LASAGNE WITH HERBY DICED POTATOES	ROAST CHICKEN WITH ROAST POTATOES & GRAVY	MILD BEEF CHILLI CON CARNE WITH FLUFFY RICE	FISH FINGERS & CHIPS
VEGETARIAN	VEGAN QUORN CUMBERLAND SAUSAGE, MASH & GRAVY	VEGETARIAN LASAGNE WITH HERBY DICED POTATOES	CAULIFLOWER & BROCCOLI CHEESE BAKE WITH ROAST POTATOES	VEGETABLE ENCHILLADA WITH FLUFFY RICE	CHEESE & TOMATO PIZZA & CHIPS
JACKET / DELI OFFER	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham
SEASONAL VEGETABLES	PEAS OR COLSLAW	SWEETCORN OR MIXED GREEN SALAD	GREEN BEANS OR CARROTS	BROCCOLI OR SWEETCORN	GARDEN PEAS OR BAKED BEANS
DESSERTS	LEMON SPONGE & CUSTARD	SHORTBREAD FINGER WITH FRUIT WEDGES	ICED CHOCOLATE SPONGE	APPLE CRUMBLE & CUSTARD	FRESH FRUIT SELECTION

AVAILABLE DAILY Bread Basket, Fresh Salad Bar, Water, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt & Jelly.



Week Two Menu

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	BEEF BURGER IN A BUN WITH 1/2 JACKET POTATO	BBQ CHICKEN & FLUFFY RICE	ROAST TURKEY ROAST POTATOES & GRAVY	CHICKEN WRAP WITH POTATO WEDGES	FISH FINGERS & CHIPS
VEGETARIAN	CHEESE & TOMATO PINWHEEL WITH 1/2 JACKET POTATO	VEGETABLE BIRIYANI	VEGAN QUORN CUMBERLAND SAUSAGE, ROAST POTATOES & GRAVY	MARGHERITA PIZZAS WITH POTATO WEDGES	BBQ VEGETABLE & BEAN WRAP & CHIPS
JACKET / DELI OFFER	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Salmon Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham
SEASONAL VEGETABLES	FRESH SALAD OR COLSLAW	PEAS OR BROCCOLI	GREEN BEANS OR CARROTS	SWEETCORN OR FRESH SALAD	GARDEN PEAS OR BAKED BEANS
DESSERTS	JAM SPONGE & CUSTARD	MINI SULTANA COOKIE WITH FRUIT SLICES	PINEAPPLE UPSIDE DOWN CAKE & CUSTARD	CHOCOLATE BROWNIE	FRESH FRUIT SELECTION

AVAILABLE DAILY: Bread Basket, Fresh Salad Bar, Water, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt & Jelly.



Week Three Menu

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	HAM PIZZA WITH 1/2 JACKET POTATO	MEXICAN CHICKEN WITH FLUFFY RICE	TOAD IN THE HOLE WITH CREAMY MASH & GRAVY	BEEF BOLOGNAISE WITH WHOLEMEAL PASTA	FISH FINGERS & CHIPS
VEGETARIAN	MIXED BEAN FAJITA WITH 1/2 JACKET POTATO	MACARONI CHEESE WITH WARM BAGUETTE	VEGETABLE MINCE COBBLER WITH CREAMY MASH & GRAVY	VEGETARIAN CHILLI WITH FLUFFY RICE	VEGETABLE FINGERS & CHIPS
JACKET / DELI OFFER	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham	JACKET POTATO Grated Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo DELI OFFER Cheese, Egg Mayo, Tuna Mayo or Ham
SEASONAL VEGETABLE	FRESH SALAD OR COLSLAW	PEAS OR BROCCOLI	CARROTS OR GREEN BEANS	SWEETCORN OR BROCCOLI	GARDEN PEAS OR BAKED BEANS
DESSERTS	SHORTBREAD BISCUIT	CHOCOLATE SPONGE & CUSTARD	BANANA TRATBAKE	CHOCOLATE COOKIE	FRESH FRUIT SELECTION

AVAILABLE DAILY: Breadbasket, Fresh Salad Bar, Water, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt & Jelly.