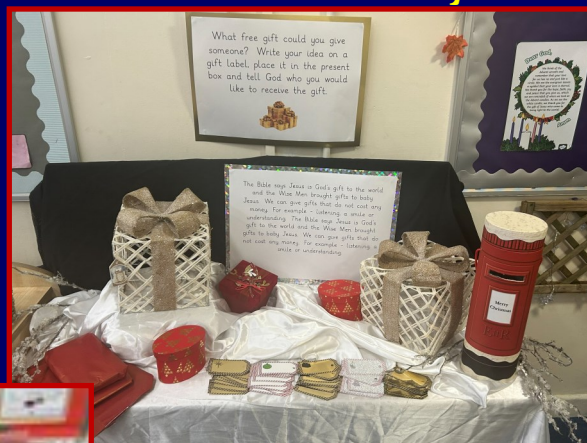
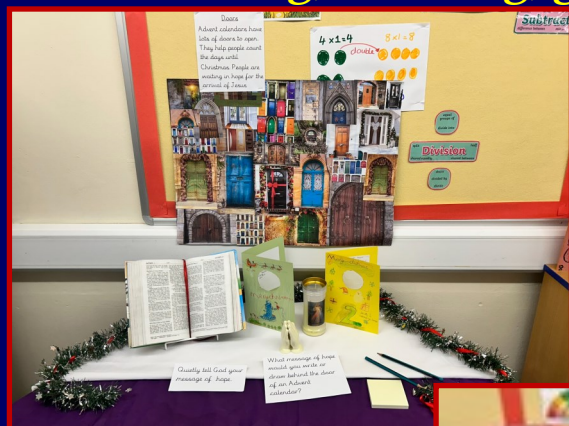




Christ the King Catholic Primary

“Loving, learning, growing together as Christ’s family”



Each class created an Advent Prayer Table.

**All the children visited each table and were encouraged to write
Messages and Prayers**



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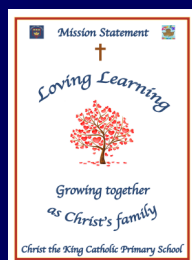
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Term dates 2024

16th December - KS1 Nativity 2pm

17th December - KS1 Nativity at 9.30am

18th December - KS2 Nativity at 2pm and 6pm in Church

20th December - 1.15pm KS2 Playground - Gunge the teacher

20th December 2024 - School closes at 1.30pm

7th January 2025 - Start of School Term

What's On

Information on activities and clubs in our area are on the school website. Please click on School Community and then What's On.

Next week we will sadly be saying goodbye to

Mrs Makepeace and Louis Pugh.

We would like to thank them both for their hard work and the support they have given whilst with us at Christ the King.

We wish them well for the future.



Stars of the Week

Mrs Uminska: Whole Class

Miss Scott: Aramiyah & Kooper

Miss Yan: Bella & Avnoor

Miss Lockwood: Alex & Lucas

Miss Thompson: Rasheed & Kyairo

Miss Pearce: Aahil & Logan

Mrs Gooch: Ewa & Olesia

Mrs Casey: Owen & Leon

Mrs Powell: Henry & Table1

Mrs Bloom: Whole Class

Miss Nyilas: Fathima

Miss Sutton: Travis

Gunge the Teacher

Tickets will be on sale in the KS2 playground afterschool each day. Tickets are £1.00. When buying a ticket you choose who you would like to be gunged.

The teacher with the most tickets will then pull out a ticket and the pupil named on the ticket will then gunge the teacher on the last day of school.

Today was Christmas Dinner day. Everyone was invited to wear their Christmas jumper to school.



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Maths Ninjas!

To earn the title Maths Ninja you must develop your powers of concentration and practise your skills to master calculation and dominate numbers so that you face Maths with no trace of fear.

With skill and patience you may earn these ranks:

Shodan (red) 11 out of 15 in 1 minute.

Nidan (white) 22 out of 25 in 1 minute.

Sandan (yellow) 33 out of 35 in 1 minute.

Yondan (orange) 44 out of 45 in 1 m 30 sec.

Godan (Green) 55 out of 55 in 1 m 30 sec.

Rokudan (Blue) 66 out of 70 in 1 m 30 sec.

Shichidan (Brown) 77 out of 80 in 2 minutes.

Hachidan (Black) 88 out of 90 in 2 minutes.

Kudan (Purple) 99 out of 100 in 2 minutes.

Shodan: Henry, Carmelo, Michelle-Lilly, Jesse, Jaxon

Nidan: Caleb, Rion, Luca, Diego, Ollie, Nethan, Cameron,

Sandan: Amelia, Isabella, Genelia

Yondan: Samuel, Nicola, Newel, Franek

Godan: Nikola

Shichidan: Tenzing

Hachidan: Wiktor, Zach

Kudan: Isaac

Shodan (2) - Kassie

Gospel

Luke 3: 10-18

And the soldiers also asked him, saying: And what shall we do? And he said to them: Do violence to no man; neither calumniate any man; and be content with your pay.

And as the people were of opinion, and all were thinking in their hearts of John, that perhaps he might be the Christ;

John answered, saying unto all: I indeed baptize you with water; but there shall come one mightier than I, the latchet of whose shoes I am not worthy to loose: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and with fire:

Medication in the mornings

If your child is unwell and requires medication in the morning (Calpol, Nurofen) then your child is not well enough to attend school and should be kept home.

Please ensure you call the school on 0118 9015434 and leave a message on the absence voicemail, leaving your child's name, class and reason for absence.

Reception Nativity and the Music concert have been filmed and uploaded to our website. They can be found in the Parents section under videos.

<https://christthekingreading.primarysite.media/media/music-concert-1>

<https://christthekingreading.primarysite.media/media/music-concert-2>

<https://christthekingreading.primarysite.media/media/reception-nativity-2024>

<https://christthekingreading.primarysite.media/media/reception-nativity-christmas-2024-2>

Medication

If your child has been prescribed medication by the Hospital or GP and it needs to be taken during school hours, please ensure it is given to the school office and not any other member of staff. Please note antibiotics will only be administered if the dosage is 4 times a day, every 6 hours.

The medication needs to be in its original packaging with a pharmacy label on.

You will also be required to complete a medication form which is available from the school office.

Reminder - Gates close at 8.50am

The Ark gate and Exbourne Road gate will be closed and padlocked at 8.50am every morning. Anyone arriving later than 8.50am will need to enter through the Durham Close entrance and will be recorded as late.

The gate cannot be opened once locked.

Please ensure your children enter the school through the correct entrance.

School Dinners

The price of a school meal is £2.65 per day.

This is payable by either cash or cheque (payable to Caterlink) and should be paid daily or weekly in advance.

If your child is going to be late into school and would like to have a school dinner, please ensure you phone in to order a meal before 9.30 as meals are cooked to orders placed.

Thank you



People who suffer from nut allergies can develop a severe, potentially life-threatening allergic reaction.

If someone has a nut allergy it is not just eating nuts that can cause a severe reaction, just being touched on the skin or smelling the breath of someone who has had nuts or a product containing nuts can trigger anaphylactic shock (which can cause breathing and swallowing difficulties).

First aid staff in the school are trained to use the Epi-pens (an injection of adrenalin) which is required immediately if this happens.

We cannot have nuts in school in any form.

Please can we ask that you have no nut products in the lunch boxes or brought into the school as treats. Snacks containing Nutella or similar spreads are not allowed.

For example Peanut butter sandwiches, Chocolate spreads, Cereal bars, some granola bars, Cakes that contain nuts, Biscuits / Cookies that contain nuts, Satay Sauces, Nutella spread or snack containing Nutella, Boxes of variety chocolates.

This list is not exhaustive, so please check the packaging of products closely. We appreciate that this is an additional thing to check and we know that you recognise the importance of it. We do have to insist we are a nut free school.



It's here! The Winter edition of the new look **SEND Local Offer Newsletter 2024**. It's packed with lots of information including blogs from:-

- Blog - Ramona Bridgeman, Special United/Me2
- Blog - Joyshree Saikia, Community Engagement and Research Officer at Brighter Futures for Children
- Blog - Joanne Brown, Travel Trainer & Assessor
- News items, what's on/events available throughout the Christmas holiday's
- Early Years - updates from the sector
- What's on, events and workshops
- Preparing for adulthood - 16-25 updates
- Short breaks, support services and much more... please remember, this is just a snapshot of the wealth of information that can be found on the www.readingsendlocaloffer.org

Please feel free to give us feedback on this latest edition, all suggestions are welcomed! If there are any topics you would like us to include in the next newsletter, please do let us know. We will continue to update the newsletter, as new events and activities are sent to us up until the end of August.

Information can also be found here [SEND Local Offer - Newsletter](#) | [Reading Services Guide](#)

Short Breaks for the Christmas holidays can be found here - [SEND Short Breaks \(all ability activities & overnight breaks\)](#) | [Reading Services Guide](#)

SEND Local Offer 16+ Guide - [SEND Local Offer 16+ Guide](#) | [Reading Services Guide](#)

Please keep visiting the SEND Local Offer for updates on local services www.readingsendlocaloffer.org

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CAMPS



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Venue Details | Bookings | Days & Dates



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Google Reviews

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Drop Off From 8:30am

5-12 Year Olds to 3pm

£27.50 Per Day

4 Year Olds to 1pm

£21.50 Per Day

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How To Book Your Camp



uSportsWebsite

- 1 Search for the uSports website or scan the QR code**
If you aren't on the camp specific page already:
- 2 Click Parents > Holiday Camps > Berkshire Holiday Camps**
- 3 Use the search filters to find the venue or type of camp which you would like to book on to**
- 4 Click Find Out More for more information OR book by clicking the appropriate Book Now age for your child (4 years or 5-12)**

Once you click **Book Now** on the uSports website you will be taken to ClassForKids

ClassForKids

- 1 Log in or create an account**
- 2 Select which days you want your child to attend**
- 3 Enter your child's details**
- 4 Select complete order & then either pay by card or childcare vouchers. This is where you can also enter and discount codes.**

Discounts

10% SIBLING DISCOUNT

This will be applied automatically when you book more than one child under one booking

20% HAF DISCOUNT

If you usually receive HAF funding through Pupil Premium, email us to claim your unique discount code. There are no free HAF spaces during half term. Please note that there is no food provided with this booking

MULTI-DAY DISCOUNT

This will be applied automatically when you book all the days running in a week at one camp

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

uSports are pleased to announce that we will be delivering the following clubs

Dance Yr 1-6 After School Club | 15.20 – 16.20 | Monday

£6.00 Per Session

13.01.25 – 31.03.25 | 11 x Sessions | £66.00

Gymnastics Yr 3-6 After School Club | 15.20 – 16.20 | Tuesday

£6.00 Per Session

14.01.25 – 01.04.25 | 11 x Sessions | £66.00

See You There,

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