



Christ the King Catholic Primary

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



**Miss Nyilas class went to The Haymarket Theatre in Basingstoke to watch
The Owl who came for Christmas.**



**Christ the King Catholic Primary School & Nursery,
with The ARK, A Specialist Resource
Lulworth Road, Reading RG2 8LX**

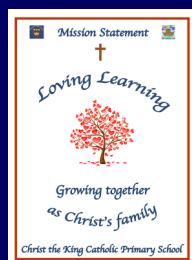
Tel. 01189015434

Head Teacher Nikki McVeigh

Email admin@christtheking.reading.sch.uk

Website www.christthekingreading.co.uk

Blog Site ctkreading.net





We will sadly be saying goodbye to Mrs McCaul on Monday.
We would like to thank her for her hard work and support she has given whilst with us at Chris the King.
We wish her the very best in her new job.

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 be gunge the teacher on the last day of school.



Who will you choose?

Term dates 2024

9th December - Presents for Parents

11th December - Reception Nativity 9.30am and 2pm

12th December - Nursery Christmas Performance at 11am and 2.15pm

13th December - Christmas Dinner - Christmas Jumper day

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.

Stars of the Week

Miss Scott: Lewis

Miss Yan: Adrian & Dolce

Miss Lockwood: Alice & Nora

Miss Thompson: Eva Rose & Kian

Miss Pearce: Kathleen & Kamari

Mrs Gooch: Whole Class

Mrs Casey: Juliusz & Georgie

Mrs Powell: Molly & Myra

Mrs Bloom: Fatima & Alex

Miss Nyilas: Arabella

Miss Sutton: Archie

Reading Points

100 points - Caleb

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: Juliusz, Jemimah, Shay

Nidan: Kade, Lilly-Mai, Lukasz

Sandan: Sadia, Gesilla, Steven, Vanessa

Yondan: Edward

Godan: Rayaan, Mikey, Stephanie, Bradley, Henry

Gospel

Luke 3: 1-6

Now in the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Caesar, Pontius Pilate being governor of Judea, and Herod being tetrarch of Galilee, and Philip his brother tetrarch of Iturea, and the country of Trachonitis, and Lysanias tetrarch of Abilina;

Under the high priests Annas and Caiphas; the word of the Lord was made unto John, the son of Zachary, in the desert.

And he came into all the country about the Jordan, preaching the baptism of penance for the remission of sins;

As it was written in the book of the sayings of Isaias the prophet: A voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight his paths.

Every valley shall be filled; and every mountain and hill shall be brought low; and the crooked shall be made straight; and the rough ways plain;

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.

Thank you

Christmas Dinner 13th December

Christmas Dinner order slips have been sent home this week. Please make sure these are returned no later than Monday 9th December. Even if your child does not pay for meals you still need to return the order form. Thank you

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.



0118 449 2641
info@u-sports.co.uk
www.u-sports.co.uk

Spring 2025

Christ the King Catholic Primary School

BOOK NOW

<https://eastberkshire-termtime.classforkids.io/term/697>

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,

uSports





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