



Christ the King Catholic Primary

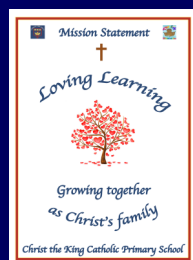
“Loving, learning, growing together as Christ’s family”



**Years 2 to 6 attended church on Wednesday to celebrate
All Saints Day.**



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Year 5 went on a residential trip to Ufton Court this week. They enjoyed a variety of activities.



Term dates 2023/2024

Autumn Term 2023

6th November to 10th November - Yr 6 Level 1 & 2 Bikeability

8th November 9:15 and 5:30 Visits for Reception Starters in September 2024

17th November 08.50 - PTFA meeting

7th December - Ark day trip to Ufton

12th December - Nursery Nativity 11.30am - 12pm

13th December - KS1 Nativity 9.30am and 2pm

14th December - KS2 Nativity in the church at 2pm and 6pm

15th December - Reception Nativity 9.30 am and 2pm

20th December - End of Term, School Closes at 1.30pm

Spring Term 2024

8th January 2024 - Inset Day

9th January - Start of School Term



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OPEN DAY VISITS

Reception Starters

September 2024

**Wednesday 8th November at 9:15am &
5.30PM**

**Please telephone the school on
0118 901 5434 or email**

admin@christtheking.reading.sch.uk

to book your place.



Christ The King Christmas Craft Fair

 Everybody Welcome 
Straight After School

Friday 8th December 3:30pm - 5pm

 Santa's Grotto
****Only £3 Per Child
Including a Gift****

 Guess the Weight
****Festive Cake to be Won****

 Craft Stalls
****Perfect for Christmas Gifts****

 Chocolate Tombola
****Win a Sweet Treat****

 Festive Refreshments
****Snacks & Drinks****

 Along With So Much More....So Please Come Along To Celebrate & Support 

****Grotto tickets must be bought in advance from school with a family time slot - details to follow****



Coats

As the weather is changing please ensure your child comes to school with a coat.

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.

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

You will also be required to complete a medication form.

Breakfast club are asking for donations of dolls, board games and puzzles. If you have any of these items that are no longer being used and would like to donate them, please hand them into the school office. Thank you

If your child has come home in the school's spare clothes, please would you wash them and return them to school. We are now running low on spare clothing especially in Key Stage 1. If you have any spare clothing that your child has outgrown and would like to donate it to school, please bring it into the school office.

Thank you

PTFA Event dates

17th November– PTFA meeting 08.50am

**1st December–Non-Uniform day for donations for
Presents for Parents**

8th December - Presents for Parents

8th December - Christmas Craft Fair after school

15th December—School Disco

**More information regarding each event will be sent out
nearer the date**

Gospel

Matthew 23: 1-12

The greatest among you must be your servant.

**Anyone who raises himself up will be humbled, and anyone who
humbles himself will be raised up.**

Stars of the Week

Miss Lockwood: Asterina & Rasheed

Miss Yan: Georgie & Bryson

Mrs Gallian/Miss Sutton: Carrick & Eva-Rose

Miss Nasrallah: Leighton & Elliot

Miss Thompson: Eunice & Zach

Mrs Gooch: Stephanie & Rayaana

Mrs Casey: Whole class

Miss Pearce: Fatima

Mrs Bloom: Ana Maria & Ewan

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.

This Weeks Ninja

Sandan: Shakeel

Yondan: Caio

Godan: Lennette

Rokudan: David

Shichidan: Ana Maria, Lia & Josh

Hachidan: Regan

Kudan/Sandan: 132 questions: Theo & Natalie

CENTRE *for* AUTISM

Wellbeing Hub Launch

Thursday 9 November 2023 – in person and online event

In person: 19:00–21:00, G10 lecture theatre, Palmer Building,
Whiteknights Campus

Online: 19:00–20:15

Please join us for the launch of the new Centre for Autism Wellbeing Hub at the University of Reading. The aim of the Hub is to support autistic young people and their families to lead their best lives.

During this hybrid event, we will give an overview of the project and set out how our local community will be involved in shaping its future direction. It will include talks from:

- **Professor Robert Van de Noort**, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Reading
- **Professor Carmel Houston-Price**, Head of the School of Psychology and Clinical Language Sciences
- **Sarah O'Brien**, autistic advocate, academic, published author and University of Reading alumnus
- **Dr Fiona Knott** and **Dr Jo Billington**, Wellbeing Hub project leads

Refreshments will be available afterwards for those attending in person.

For more details and to book your place, please [visit our website](#).

Alternative provision

New task and finish group

We are developing a network to support alternative provision (AP) in Reading.



Join us

Wednesday 8 November 2023, 9-11am

Churchend Academy, Usk Road, Reading RG30 4HP



The Government's recently published '**SEND and alternative provision improvement plan: right support, right place, right time**' sets out proposals for a system that offers children and young people the opportunity to thrive and fulfil their potential to lead happy, healthy and productive adult lives. The paper seeks to establish a new SEND and alternative provision system, setting nationally consistent standards.

The review recognises that at their best, alternative provision schools are experts in supporting children and young people whose behaviour or needs can present a barrier to learning, and how too often, the role of alternative provision is unclear and is often used too late or in a way that is not focused on individual children's needs.

Aims of the group

- Make sure the requirements of the BFFC commissioning framework are met and provide good practice guidance for all stakeholders
- To guarantee quality provision and the best outcomes for our young people
- To provide a safe learning environment for all children
- To establish a clear and robust strategy in the local authority's approach to commissioning AP
- Establish a change in practice to achieve long-term benefits for young people.

See you there!

Further dates will be arranged.

If you'd like to join the group, please email

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READING PRIMARY SCHOOLS SPORTS TOURNAMENTS 2023 - 2024

FOOTBALL & CRICKET TOURNAMENTS

Reading School, Reading FC Community Trust & Berkshire Cricket Foundation are teaming up to provide schools with regular competitive opportunities throughout the academic year.

Football tournaments

- 2nd November - Yrs 3 & 4 from 9:00 - 12:00 at Reading School
- 2nd November - Yrs 5 & 6 from 13:00 - 16:00 at Reading School
- 28th March - Yrs 5 & 6 from 9:00 - 12:00 at Prospect Park astro
- 23rd May - Yrs 5 & 6 from 10:00 - 14:00 at Reading University SportsPark

Cricket Tournaments

- 17th October (Dynamos Cricket) - Yrs 5 & 6 from 9:30 - 13:00 at Reading School
- 28th March (All Stars Cricket Skills) - Yrs 1 & 2 from 9:30 - 13:00 at Reading School
- 21st May (Rapid Fire Cricket) - Yrs 3 & 4 from 9:30 - 13:00 at Reading School

How to sign up

<https://forms.office.com/e/9Xjcr2wrQu>

