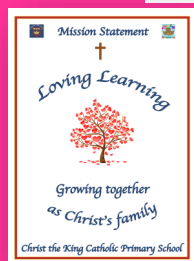




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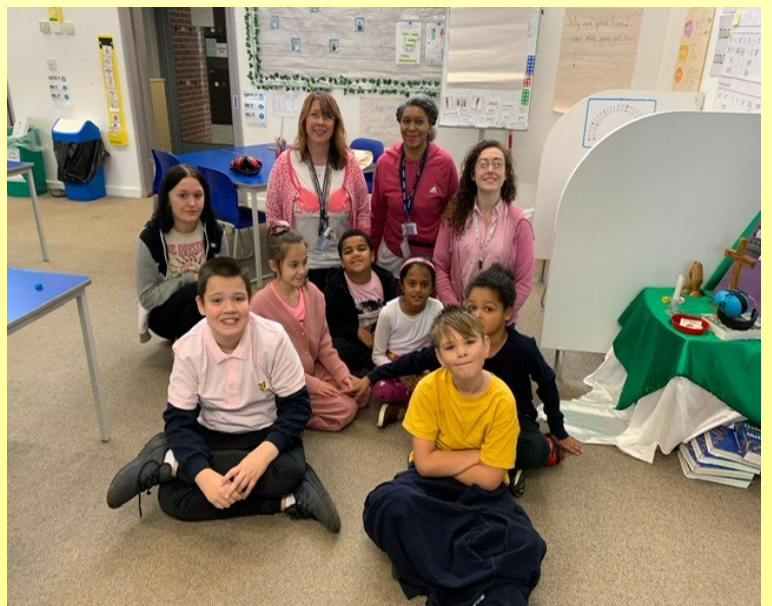
Thank you all for taking part in Wear it Pink 2021.

This is the 20th year of wearing it pink.
The Breast Cancer Charity is making a better future for everyone affected by breast cancer.

So far, we've raised over £185 in online donations and in school today we raised £235.20.

That is a total of £420.20.

Well done!





Reminder

**Parental Consultations
with Teachers will be available to book from
Tuesday 2nd November
2021**

**On 1st of November 2021
school is closed
for children for an
INSET Day.**

**Everyone is welcome
back to school on Tuesday
2nd of November
2021.**

**We wish all students and
staff a wonderful break.**

Squid Game



We have been made aware that there have been a number of incidents both locally and nationally of children replicating games from the Squid Game.

The Squid Game is a Netflix show, which has a rating of 15. It is quite graphic and has a lot of violent content.

Many clips from the show are also on other social media platforms.

We advise that children should not watch the show and ask parents to be aware of what online content their children may be watching.

Are you looking for a fun, structured and affordable session for your child to join?

Would you like your child to be active, make new friends and learn skills that will last a lifetime?

If so join the NEW!!! 47th Cub scouts group (Basingstoke rd.)

Beavers ages 6 -8

Cubs ages 8-10

Scouts ages 10-12

Coming soon....Squirrels ages 4-6

For more information contact:

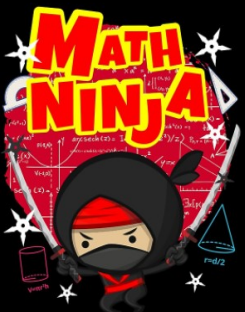
Claire McAuley via phone/text/WhatsApp on 07464 819482

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Leo	Ida	Jessica
Connor		Mojola
	Ibrahim	Daniel
Jamie C.	Charisa	Tim



Oliver
year 6



First Holy Communion 2021 /2022

If you would like your child to join the First Holy Communion programme please email

(Closing date 24th October 2021)

FirstCommunion@christtheking.reading.sch.uk

and register your interest.

You will be sent the relevant documentation for you to

complete and return to the above email address.

All children in Year 3 and above may apply.

There will be an information evening, this will be via Zoom and details will be sent nearer the time.



Please join our Facebook page for information sharing and to find out all the latest news .

SEND short breaks for half-term 25-29 October

The following services are offering short breaks for children and young people with additional needs living in Reading borough. Please contact the service directly for cost details and to book a place, using the links provided.

Chance to Dance Stars CIC – SEND Activity Days: 25-27 Oct, dance and drama activity days for ages 5+.

Multi-sports camps delivered by RFC Community Trust: 25-27 Oct, taking place at The Avenue School from 10.30am-2pm for ages 8-16.

SEND play sessions with RFC Community Trust: 25 & 27 Oct, taster sessions for children with SEND including soft play, arts & crafts, outdoor play and a forest school. Held at The Avenue School, for children aged 5-7.

Make Sense Theatre: 27-29 Oct, drama and multi-sensory theatre workshops at The Avenue School for ages 5-18.

Reading Rockets Basketball SEND Sessions: 27-29 Oct, junior and adult basketball sessions at John Madejski Academy, for ages 8-17 and 18-25.

Gospel

“Jesus said to him in reply, “What do you want me to do for you?” The blind man replied to him, “Master, I want to see.”

Jesus told him, “Go your way; your faith has saved you.” Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.”



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Christ the King Catholic Primary School

HALF TERM CHILDREN'S BOOK EVENTS AT FOURBEARS BOOKS IN CAVERSHAM

Monday 25th October, A F Harrold 10.30-11.30am

A funny man with a funny beard saying funny poems to funny kids. 6+

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/af-harrold-author-event-at-fourbears-books-tickets-185850914087?fbclid=IwAR2jbgBFf3ZazyXIMOXTGcqxz1-rKf8ypeMfpnpj-qBVVmGYdd_nYosXBE

Iszi Lawrence 1.30-2.30pm

Find out about Suffragettes with a secret weapon and amazing Spitfire pilots. 7-11

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/iszi-lawrence-author-event-at-fourbears-books-tickets-186619593227?aff=ebdssbdestsearch&fbclid=IwAR34th0BTE0_EjXv48pJBH0KTB8n_hFwrG7sDvlip8_8MWAs1PpS6C_XJ

Tuesday 26th October , Tim Tilley 10.00-11.00am

Create your own mini forest journal with author of 'Harklights' a magical eco story. 8+

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Chris Routh & , Sarah Stuffs 7.30 - 9.00pm

A guide to the wealth of books for young readers aged 5-11. Parents & carers.

Free but pre-booking essential via Fourbears on info@forbearsbooks.uk or 0118 948 1747

Wednesday 27th October, Kate Poels 10.00-11.00am

Join our fun creative writing workshop for budding young authors. 7+

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/creative-writing-session-with-kate-poels-author-event-tickets-188432826657?fbclid=IwAR1EKHqboJXImSaRFanG2EwU9VvbD89Q97_fp4YbCiUp8CJaMZaM3pFJVPI

Thursday 28th October, Holly Webb 10.00-11.00am

When the museum's visitors are gone for the day, it's time for the cats to come out to play. 6+

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/holly-webb-author-event-at-fourbears-books-tickets-189647088547?fbclid=IwAR1EKHqboJXImSaRFanG2EwU9VvbD89Q97_fp4YbCiUp8CJaMZaM3pFJVPI

Friday 29th October, Mike Facherty 10.00-11.00am Patch Peg's Pirate Yarns

Avast ye lubbers, all young pirates come and join our boarding party at the good shop Fourbears Books. 4-9

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/mike-facherty-author-event-at-fourbears-books-tickets-189653417477?fbclid=IwAR3Sg1YkBI7cwRol4hwnwqyV4sH4tdmG8jD5WUfAbtAydSSsH9ljqagMMgE>

Saturday 30th October, Fiona Barker 10.00-11.00am

Discover the underwater world of Setsuko and her friend the whale. 5+

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/fiona-barker-author-event-at-fourbears-books-tickets-189664911857?fbclid=IwAR3V_PSV6S493pvFV-HDUoVqM5oF5a8IAh2juZSY3lpCbN4zicmWZFq1iXU



What parents need to know about AGE RATINGS

bbfc

If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.

PEGI



RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:



Universal, suitable for all ages



Parental Guidance required



Suitable for people aged 12 and over



Suitable for people aged 12 and over, provided they are accompanied by an adult



Suitable for people aged 15 and over



Suitable for people aged 18 and over



Adult content only available in specially licensed cinemas and specialist retailers

WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:



www.pegi.info



www.pegi.info



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PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:



LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

10 APPS TEENS ARE USING THAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW



Calculator%

This app looks like a calculator but functions like a secret photo vault.



Omegle

A free online chat website that promotes chatting anonymously to strangers.



Yellow

This app is designed to allow teens to flirt with each other in a Tinder-like atmosphere.



Whisper

An anonymous app where the creators promote sharing secrets and meeting new people.



Ask.fm

Ask an anonymous question and get an answer. This app has been linked to the most severe forms of cyberbullying.



Hot or Not

Strangers rate your profile. Goal is to lead to a hook up.



Burn Book

Post anonymous rumors about people through audio messages, texts, and photos.



Wishbone

An app that allows users to compare kids against each other and rate them on a scale.



Kik

Messaging app. Kik has built in apps and web content that would be filtered on home computer.



Instagram

Many kids are now creating fake accounts to hide content from parents. Kids also like to text using Instagram because messages are deleted once a user leaves conversation.

FOR MORE INFO: APPSOLUTELYAPRIL.COM



ENJOY OCTOBER HALF TERM AT READING MUSEUM!

Saturday 23 October - Saturday 30 October

The Big Pumpkin Trail at Reading Museum

Hunt high and low for the pumpkins hidden throughout the Museum - each with a unique decoration. Even our youngest visitors will enjoy this fun trail! Then collect your prize from Reception and take away your trail sheet to colour in at home.

Families. £1 per trail (book your trail online)

Saturday 23 October - Saturday 30 October

Musical Mayhem Trail with 1971 Reading Festival Craft!

Celebrate our latest exhibition, Reading Festival 1971. Follow the clues to find the Musical objects on display throughout the Museum and explore the fabulous Festival instruments on display in the Art Gallery. Find the hidden letters as you go and unravel the mystery word! Then collect your Festival craft pack to take away and make at home.

Families. £2.50 per trail pack (book your trail and craft pack online)

For more fun virtual craft ideas please see our website

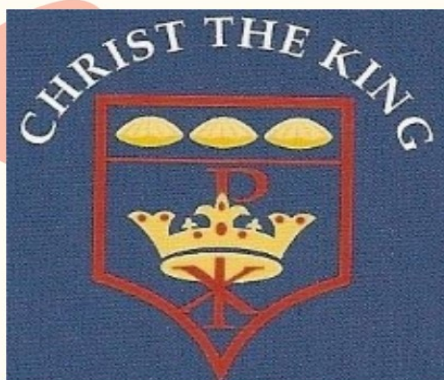
www.readingmuseum.org.uk

Don't miss our special Monday opening!



RM READING
MUSEUM





Open Day

Reception Starters
September 2022



Thursday 25th November
915am

REGISTER VIA THE SCHOOL OFFICE 0118 901 54 34 OR
VIA NEWSTARTERS@CHRISTTHEKING.READING.SCH.UK

ENTER VIA DURHAM CLOSE RG2 8NS



AUTUMN TERM	
25 th – 29 th October 2021	Half Term-School Closed
1 st November 2021	INSET Day- School Closed
17 th December 2021	End of Term, School Closes at 1:30

SPRING TERM	
4 th January 2022	INSET Day-School Closed
5 th January 2022	Start of School Term
21 st -25 th February 2022	Half Term-School Closed
8 th April 2022	End of Term, School Closes at 1:30

SUMMER TERM	
25 th April 2022	INSET Day-School Closed
26 th April 2022	Start of School Term
30 th May – 3 rd June 2022	Half Term School Closed
20 th July 2022	End of Term, School Closes at 1:30