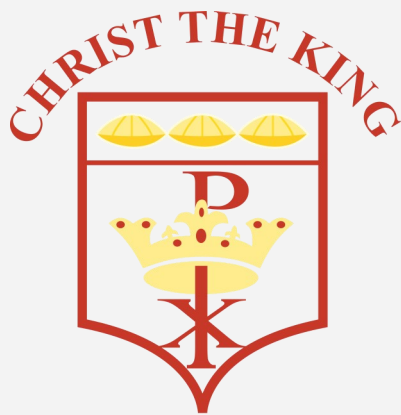




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Vacancy

We have advertised for a teacher to replace Mrs Kassam when she goes on maternity leave. Full details are on our website, with a closing date of 30th Oct.

www.christthekingreading.co.uk/staff-vacancies/



Aspire 2 Day

Thursday's Aspire 2 Day was a great success, with the children really entering into the spirit of thinking about what they would like to be when they grow up. (picture below).



Children Helping Children

The annual concert at The Hexagon is closer than it might seem, and preparations have begun. We are delighted to have already secured the assistance of Reading Buses and Purple Hare for various logistical assistance during the day, but would be grateful for

**NO
NUTS!**

Some of our
children are
extremely allergic.

any other offers of help-particular those that would keep the costs down, be it practical or through programme sponsorship. Email Mr. Cosgrove for more information:

head@christtheking.reading.sch.uk



Important Reminders

You may have already noted the frequent reminders that we are a nut-free school. We have children who could become quite poorly even if they touch a tiny piece of nut. As such, we made the decision to request no nuts, or nut-based products such as peanut butter and Nutella, be brought in to the school.

Halt Term is next week.

Our After School club is becoming extremely popular, with over 40 children on some nights. Please remember to book and pay (online) to avoid disappointment,



We started our week in Portuguese
and finished in Chichewa

"Bom Dia" "Madzuka Buanji"



October/November at-a-Glance

Mon 23rd Oct. **Half Term** until Fri 27th Oct.

Tue 7th Nov. **Parents' meetings**—Reception, Year 1 & Year 2
Bookings online—more details soon.

Thu 9th Nov. **Parents' meetings**—Years 3—6 (as above).

Tue 14th Nov. **Individual pupil photos** and families by request.

Wed 22nd Nov. **School Choir** performing at [The Hexagon](#).

Sun 26th Nov. **Feast of Christ the King**. Parents & children
invited to mass to help celebrate our feast day.

The Parent-Teacher association is beginning to prepare for the year ahead; there is still plenty of time to offer, if you wish to get involved. See the front page for the PTA email address or call the secretary on 07506 593 627.



Enterprise Day

20 children from year 5 went on an Enabling Enterprise visit behind the scenes at The Oracle. Our children had a fantastic time and were brilliant ambassadors for the school. A report from the day is at:

<http://enablingenterprise.org/archives/22685>

as increasing numbers will soon mean those who don't book may not have a place.

Breakfast Club is still available at £2.50 per morning—all welcome (there is no need to book for this). Payment for this is also made online,

Please make sure that all personal items belonging to children are named. This is a real help to us—and should also mean that fewer things get lost!

At the end of the day we ask parents to wait behind the cones or the planting boxes until your children are sent to you. This is safer for all. If adults mix with children in the lines it is much more difficult to keep track of the children.



Congratulations!

Kelsea and Charlie Gillas (right) who, on Sunday 1st October, took part in their first kickboxing grading. They only started kickboxing this summer and at their first grading they skipped their first yellow belt and went straight to green. One of their kick boxing instructors is also an ex CfK pupil.



Maths Ninjas

Shodan

Ethan Darcy, Preston Grigg

Nidan

*Luis Silva,
Jonathan Opoku-Anokye*

Schichidan

Caoimhe Rose

To gain her brown band as a Maths Ninja with the rank of Schichidan, Caoimhe had to write correct answers to 77 Maths questions in less than 2 minutes.
Congratulations!



Parents – why don't you have a try at some of the Maths Ninja grading tests, on our website?

<http://www.christthekingreading.co.uk/maths-ninjas/>

