



CHRIST THE SAVIOUR NEWSLETTER

May 2020



Hello CtS,

It has been great to speak to lots of families this week to see how you're getting on and to let us know any further support that may be needed from the school.

We will continue to call you every now and then, while the school is closed, to make sure that all of our families are supported - but if you need anything before then please get in touch.

It has been a great joy to see the amazing work our CtS pupils have been producing whilst at home. I am so very proud of them.

We are really pleased with our new school website and we will use our Year group pages to showcase some of the fantastic home learning that has been

happening across the school as well as some interesting ways to pass the time during lockdown!

It has been really fun hearing what our staff have been up to. I have renewed my enjoyment of knitting, but that is not quite as exciting as my teenage daughter who has dyed her hair pink :)

Keep safe and we hope to see you soon!

Mrs Tramoni



FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If you are in receipt of means tested free school meals you should have received three emails from Edenred with a 16 digit e-code - you will need this to redeem your voucher. If you require any support with this please email nesiah@cts-school.org.

Email Demi Grant-Sinclair: grant-sinclair@cts-school.org if you think you may be eligible for means tested free school meals.



NEW SCHOOL WEBSITE

We hope you have enjoyed browsing through our new school website.

We will continue to add key information during the partial school closure on the home page and year group pages.

Our free mobile app will be available in the app store in the next few weeks.

www.ctsprimary.org.uk

A LITTLE HELLO FROM...

Hi CtS family!
Say hello to Iris, my labradoodle! She's been keeping me busy & safe at home! How are you? I've missed your stories, smiles and laughter & I've seen all the great projects you've been doing! We couldn't be prouder of each & every one of you for being so brave during this time, please please please continue to be the sunshine in the rain that makes the rainbows in the skies- we will be back together soon! Love from Ms V

MS VALENTIN



OUR TEACHING ASSISTANTS

Ms Rochford has really enjoyed taking her dog Bailey for daily walks and doing lots of sunbathing in the garden! Mrs Simonyan has been baking, gardening and best of all spending more time with her children! She is missing you all dearly! Ms Wall has been doing lots of reading and trying to improve her goalkeeping skills. She is missing everybody's smiling faces. Mrs Rice has created a new vegetable patch in her garden! She is hoping to grow potatoes, onions, carrots and lettuce! Ms Zita is walking and crafting a lot. She and her children attended a Van Gogh painting webinar and painted Sunflowers! Very impressive!



OUR ADMIN TEAM



Mrs Grant-Sinclair has been busy working from home and helping her children with their school work. Ms. Nesiah's cat, Oscar, celebrated his birthday and her family had fun making a salmon birthday cake. Mrs Nelson is doing lots of work for the new academic year as well as enjoying some painting and DIY. They miss you all and look forward to seeing you in the school office soon.

OUR TEACHERS



Mrs Cadman has been singing for her online worship church and has been doing home-exercise videos using weights - eek! Ms Gold has been gardening and is trying to learn to identify birds and flowers. Mrs McCulloch is busy keeping fit playing hockey and swing ball in her garden and going for cycles & runs round Gunnersbury Park. Sophie is really missing the pupils at CtS, but has been enjoying spending time on cooking, yoga and building her first ever lego set! Mr Chalmers is keeping healthy and active with a daily run. He looks forward to playing some sport with you all soon!

All our lunchtime staff miss seeing you! Linda has been keeping herself busy baking scones and looking after her dogs and cat. Traci is now Miss T and homeschooling - they keep busy by doing lots of exercise and going on long dog walks. Sharon is spending time teaching her dog Toby new tricks & enjoying reading. Mr Brooks has been building quite a few advanced LEGO sets; finally reading all the Harry Potter books and running lots for his health and well-being.

OUR LUNCHTIME STAFF



OUR WELFARE TEAM

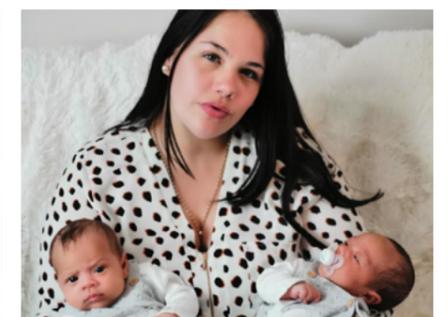


Life has indeed been very different over the past few weeks and we have missed you popping into the welfare room. At home, my boys and I have been busy making and eating lots of cakes and buns! I have loved seeing the beautiful rainbow posters in windows when I go out for my daily walk each day. Please keep drawing them. Keep safe and well and we will see you soon. Love from Mrs Halliwell

WELCOME TO THE CTS FAMILY



We are thrilled to announce the birth of the first Christ the Saviour babies! Ms Johnson and Mr Durrell welcomed their beautiful twin girls Ariella and Brielle on the 19th April, 2020. We know you'll join us in wishing a huge congratulations to Mum, Dad and proud sisters Meya and Sofia. They're excited to see you all soon!



WOW WORK AT HOME

Let's celebrate some of the fantastic work you have been doing at home. Keep it coming!

Maths today: Baking cookies to learn fractions-yummy Maths!



The Plumbs practised their fractions with some delicious baking.



Parker in Beech class taking his Superworm on an adventure.



Micah in 1MF has been practising his arrays!



Shakai in Oak class has been crafting!

History

I collected a handful of change from my mum's money box. She has lots of different currencies. These are the coins I chose.



A British 1p = 1p
A Euro = 100c
An old British half penny = 1/2d
A Singapore coin = 10c
A Euro - French = 100c

How old is the oldest coin?
The oldest coin is the British half penny because it is 65-70 years old.

How many coins are older than you?
All of them are older than me.

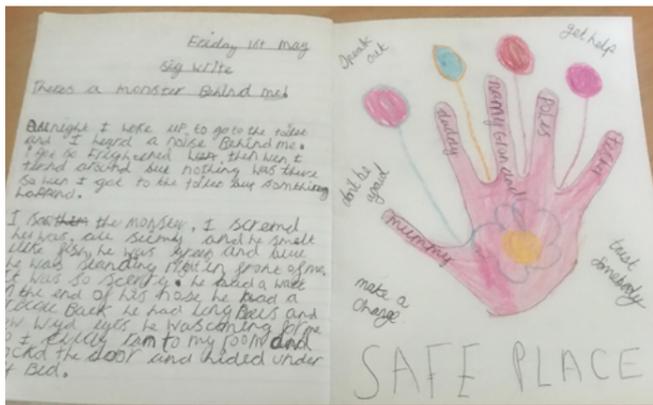
Emily in 6LY put a lot of effort into her history work.



At the Grove, the children made a beautiful rainbow display in honour of our unique gifts.



Emilia in 6LY and Izabela in 4MT with their DT project.



Sienna in 3CA's wonderful Big Write



Hubert in 3LY made flashcards to practise his times tables.



Theana in 2FW prepared an informative story map on the Great Fire of London.

Reading Recommendation

Boy in the Tower by Polly Ho-Yen

London. Tower blocks. Alien invasions. Friendship: what's not to love? This story is mysterious, emotional, action-packed and relatable. And the best part? Miss Goodman will be reading this story every day on her YouTube channel! We know you'll be on the edge of your seat...



Storytime with Miss Goodman

Remember that you can read every day with Miss Goodman on Youtube. She posts two new stories each day. Subscribe to get a reminder!

[Storytime Youtube Channel](#)

CHRISTIAN VALUES REFLECTION: LOVE

In these uncertain time, we must hold our faith dear and trust in God.

1 Corinthians Chapter 13 vs 4,5

"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs."

In his words to the Corinthian Church, Paul reminds his listeners that love is not a feeling but an action: it is the patient action; the gentle, kind word of praise; the helpful hand that best expresses our love for those around us, particularly in times like these. Nothing speaks love at the moment quite as much as an emptied dishwasher, a cleaned toilet or a box of tidy toys!

In reminding us what love is not, Paul also helps us to realise that it is in those moments when we chose not to act on a selfish impulse, when we bite back the sharp comment or the impatient response, that we actually show the most love. It is in exercising self-control in those daily moments of tension, stress or anger that we can perhaps most powerfully express the selfless, Christ-like love that the Bible calls us to.

Let's pray that with God's help we may all seek practical opportunities to purposefully love those around us in the days and weeks ahead.

CTS FOODBANK

The foodbank is open to all families known to CtS - everyone is welcome.

We are aware that the national pandemic is having a wide reaching financial impact on a large number of our families and we have been working together with our PTA to establish a foodbank open to all families at Christ the Saviour.

Simply turn up at the Broadway Site on **Wednesday, 13th May from 10am to 12pm.** There will be fresh fruit, dried goods, milk, bread, eggs and cleaning products available for you to select.

Baby Parcels

If you would like to collect a baby parcel containing nappies, wipes and formula please let us know in advance by emailing Demi Grant- Sinclair at grant-sinclair@cts-school.org. Please let us know the formula you use and the age of your baby.



Donations Welcome

Mon 11th May - 9.30-3.00 - Broadway Site
or email christthesaviourpta@mail.com.

Any of the following are warmly welcomed:
pasta, rice, tea, coffee, cereal, biscuits, squash, juice, pasta sauce, toilet rolls, washing powder, sanitary towels and tampons, cleaning spray, shower gel, deodorant, handwash, soap.

[PTA JustGiving page](#) 