



# CHRIST THE SAVIOUR C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

## **Welcome**

I would like to extend a warm welcome to two new members of our admin team: Alison Davis and Clare Hawkes. Alison and Clare joined our admin team in August and helped senior staff and the other members of our admin team - Demi Grant Sinclair, Susan Nelson and Sangeetha Nesiah - prepare for the start of our new term. I am grateful for all the support our admin team is giving the school at the moment and sorry that parents are not currently able to pop in and welcome new staff in our usual way.

## **Covid-19 Update**

As cases of Covid-19 are rising in Ealing we are grateful for every day that we are at school and open to all pupils. I am pleased to report we have had no further positive cases of Covid-19 amongst pupils or staff so far this term.

Thank you for supporting our school risk assessments through maintaining social distancing when dropping and collecting your children at school and for keeping to our drop off and collection times - it is very much appreciated. As the weather starts to turn, we advise parents to invest in a nice warm raincoat or winter coat (black or red please) so pupils do not get cold or wet when they are waiting for collection at the end of the day. Please remember that hoodies or tracksuit tops are not allowed to be worn to school.

## **Remote Learning**

In order to ensure that learning is continued when individual pupils or a whole class bubble are self-isolating, we have created a new page on our school website which includes details of our remote learning plan. This is a dynamic plan and will adapt during the year as we respond to feedback from pupils, staff and parents on the effectiveness and impact of our remote learning routines.

Staff are already being proactive and are introducing new teaching and learning strategies to prepare our pupils for the routines that will be in place should a whole class need to self-isolate.

## **Global Learning Curriculum: Black History Month**

We are proud of the global learning curriculum we have established at CtS over the last few years. The aim of our global learning curriculum is:

*To provide children with the opportunity to learn about the world, to ask questions and make links between people's lives throughout the globe. We encourage pupils to take an active interest in their local, national and international community. We aim to develop educated global citizens who are aware of, understand and respect the wider world, and their place in it. Pupils learn to value and appreciate other cultures, traditions and viewpoints, and are encouraged to discuss and think critically about the contemporary issues and current affairs which impact our global community.*

The 1st October marks the beginning of Black History Month in schools across the country. Our curriculum is rich in learning experiences of other cultures and actively promotes opportunities to explore diversity. This month we will be exploring the heritage, traditions and history of our black community in our global learning lessons and assemblies. Pupils will learn about the Christian value of Justice and God's call for all people to "Act justly, love mercy and walk humbly with your God" (Micah Chapter 6 vs 8). We hope that children will be inspired by what they learn and think about how they can act justly in all that they say and do.

### **Parents' Evening**

Our Parents Consultation Meetings will take place online this year on Wednesday 21st and Thursday 22nd October. Maths and English exercise books will be sent home the week before and parents will be able to book a ten minute online appointment to meet the class teacher between 4pm - 7pm. Details of how to book this appointment will be shared with parents next week.

### **PTA**

Our fantastic PTA have been supporting the school community in even more ways over the last few months as we have grappled with the impact of Covid-19 on many family lives. The PTA will continue to support the school in offering a Food Bank - open to all families known to CtS - on Wednesday 7th October at the Broadway Site between 11am - 1pm.

They will also run another second hand uniform sale on Friday, 16th October between 9.30am-11am at the Grove Site, in front of the Nursery.

The PTA Annual General Meeting will take place on Wednesday 14th October online at 8pm. Do email the PTA directly for more details or if you would like to offer help and support this year:

**[christthesaviourpta@mail.com](mailto:christthesaviourpta@mail.com)**

With best wishes,

Mrs Tramoni