

CHRIST THE SAVIOUR C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Rooted in our Christian foundation, we are an aspirational community loving and serving God. We seek to recognise and develop our unique gifts in accordance with the biblical principles of inclusiveness, tolerance and love, preparing children to be educated citizens in a global world.

At the heart of our school vision is our desire to be a community that is characterised by love and service. We are currently learning about the Christian Value of love in our times of collective worship together; we have been reflecting on the words of St Paul in I Corinthians I3, where we are reminded that love is seen most clearly in actions; in simple acts of patience, kindness, selflessness and forgiveness. We are delighted that we see acts like this in our school every day. To mark Remembrance Day this week we reflected on the greatest act of love, the laying down of your life for another, and we remembered together those who have fought and died for our country. If you would like to join in and learn more about our school collective worship do go to the worship video page on our school website.

Anti-Bullying Week: Odd Socks Day on Monday

Making sure that all children in the school are aware of how to safely prevent, recognise and report incidents of bullying is an integral part of our PSHE curriculum throughout the year. However we welcome the opportunity at this time of year to provide an extra focus on the topic with national Anti Bullying week starting on 15th November. To mark the start of Anti Bullying week children are invited to come to school on Monday wearing **odd socks** - this reminds us that differences are to be celebrated. Each year group will have dedicated time in the week to learn about this year's Anti Bullying Week theme - One Kind Word; there will be many activities taking place throughout the school including class discussions, joining in with a UK wide online lesson, theatre performances and workshops.

Covid-19 risk assessment

Cases of Covid-19 have increased at the school this week matching local data. As a result we have increased control measures at school and we advise parents to take up the offer of free lateral flow tests to support everyone in our school community and to ensure asymptomatic pupils do not attend school. Children who present with Covid symptoms should remain at home and take a PCR test. A reminder that common covid symptoms are:

- A high temperature
- A loss of taste or smell
- A persistent cough

We are finding that other common symptoms amongst children are headaches and body aches. Although children in households where there has been a positive case are no longer required to self-isolate, we ask that parents engage in daily lateral flow testing for siblings who remain at school and are sensible in their choice of out of school activities to reduce the risk of transmission. If your child is absent from school due to covid but is well enough to do school work remotely please look at the Remote Learning page of our website with details of how to access their remote learning.

School Vacancy - Site Manager

We are looking for an experienced Site manager to join our vibrant and inclusive staffing team, more information about this position can be found on the staff vacancies page of our school website. Please

share this information with anyone you know who may be interested. https://ctsprimary.org.uk/about-us/our-school/staff-vacancies/

Forthcoming PTA events

Do put the following dates in your diary:

Friday 26th November - PTA Quiz night on the Broadway site from 8pm. Gather a team together and come along and see if you can beat the teacher's table. Tickets are now on sale on ParentPay.

Friday 3rd December - our Christmas Fair will be taking place after school at the Broadway site.

Best wishes,

Mrs K Tramoni Headteacher

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