

CHRIST THE SAVIOUR C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday, 10th March 2023

Dear Parents,

Our planning for PSHE (Personal, Social, Health and Economic education) in the Spring Term includes children choosing a charity and planning a fundraising event for the chosen charity. We carry out this fundraising event to coincide with Lent so children are able to recognise their acts of service and the impact this has on others. Each year group has selected their own charity with pupils showing their usual levels of commitment and passion to helping others and showing a strong understanding of their social responsibility. Chosen charities include: The Log Cabin in Ealing which provides a setting where children and young people with additional needs or disabilities can meet and socialise; Young Minds, a charity providing young people with tools to look after their mental health; The Rainbow Trust supporting seriously ill children and their families. Thank you for encouraging your child and helping them to raise money for the charities they have chosen with their peers.

Thank you also to our parent volunteers who have recently engaged with Ms Norris to review our RSE policy (Relationships and Sex Education) which sits within the wider context of our PSHE curriculum. The amendments that were suggested within this working party will be shared with our Governing Body at the end of March. Thank you for your support and participation in this policy review.

Parents' Evening - Change of Date

A reminder that our new dates for Parents' Evenings are next week: Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th March 2023.

Online bookings are still open, please contact the admin team if you have any problems with bookings. We are always happy to arrange alternative appointments for parents who are unable to access the online system - please contact your class teacher or the admin team directly.

Children will bring their books home in book bags this evening (Friday, 10th March). They should be returned to school on Monday, 13th March to enable them to continue to record their school learning.

Parent Questionnaire Feedback

Thank you to the parents who responded to the parent questionnaire we sent out in the Autumn Term. There were no general themes across the school although we know that the move to online parents' evenings after the pandemic has been very popular for some parents but less so for others who would prefer a face to face meeting with the class teacher. The intention of the parents' evening is to give parents valuable feedback on their child's learning at school and ways to support them at home. Teachers hold regular meetings with parents throughout the year and if you feel there is more information you would like to know about your child's learning after your appointment next week do get in touch with the class teacher or Head of Year to arrange a follow up appointment - and we will try to get this arranged before the Easter holiday. A reminder that the year group and curriculum pages on

our website contain lots of really helpful information including reading recommendations for different year groups, knowledge organisers as well as our approach to teaching different curriculum subjects.

To ensure parents have increased opportunities to get into school to experience their child's learning environment we have re-introduced our open afternoons and hope you will enjoy looking through your child's books in their classroom.

A reminder of these dates can be found below:

Tues 28th March, 2-3pm - Year I and Year 2

Wednesday 29th March, 2-3pm Year 3 (this will coincide with the Year 3 Easter Celebration)

Thurs 30th March 2-3pm Year 4, 5, 6

Reception workshops

Reception parents will have an opportunity to look through their child's learning journeys during our parent maths and writing workshops which will take place on the following dates:

Writing Workshops & Stay and Play Session Monday 20th March Ash & Elm Class 9-10am Monday 27th March Beech & Oak Class 9-10am

Maths Workshop & Stay and Play Session Thursday 20th April Ash & Elm Class 9-10am Thursday 27th April Beech & Oak Class 9-10am

A huge thank you to our large group of parent volunteers who are helping across the school with daily reading, support with multiplications and number bonds. This is having a really positive impact on the progress of the children!

Easter Activities

We are inviting children to take part in a fun, voluntary Easter activity at the end of term.

Grove Site Pupils are invited to make an Easter bonnet and wear this to school on Thursday, 30th March. There will be an opportunity for children to make a simple bonnet in class on the day if they are unable to make one at home.

Broadway Site Pupils are invited to design and create an Easter garden and bring this to school on Thursday 30th March. There will be a display in the Atrium for parents to view these before visiting classrooms at the end of the day.

Please ensure your child's bonnets and gardens are clearly labeled with your child's name and class.

With best wishes,

Mrs Tramoni Headteacher