

# Holy Trinity Newsletter 7th October 2022

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NEXT WEEK—VISITORS, COMMUNITY EVENTS & CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT					
Monday 10th October Year 2 Visit to Goodwood Farm, all day					
Wednesday 12th October	Year 5	Visit to the Science Museum, am			
Wednesday 12th October	Year 3	Sculptural Walk at Battersea Park, all day			
Thursday 13th October	Year 4	Hooke Court meeting for parents, 9.10am, Sedding St			
Friday 14th October	Year 3	Visit to the Science Museum, am			

October is Black History Month where we remember and celebrate the contributions of black individuals to our society and put a spotlight on their lives and stories. The theme for this year's



Black History Month is Time for Change: Action Not Words, and there are many resources available to support you speaking with your children about Black history.

Newsround has created a short video to explain why Black History Month was created and how it is celebrated across the United Kingdom:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/63114341

CBeebies have also created a series of videos exploring Black history, retold by presenters and well-known characters from their cartoons:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/curations/black-history-month

The Black History Month website also shares articles for adults, and shows where events are happening to celebrate the month across the UK:

https://www.blackhistorymonth.org.uk/

At Holy Trinity, we embrace our diverse and inclusive culture and are committed to creating enduring positive change for our children, which we accept is needed now, more than ever. Our aim is to recognise and celebrate the contributions of people of all backgrounds in the history we teach. We invite you to reach out to us throughout the year,

you to reach out to us throughout the year, suggest how we can learn from lesser told perspectives and traditions, and to always challenge stereotypes, so that we may help all children and families celebrate the beauty in difference. Miss Edgeworth





#### **Students Of The Week**



**Reception Class: Micaiah & Leonardo** 

Year 1: Emil & Ivy Year 2: Isaac & Ayra

Year 3: Whole Class Award Year 4: Enrique & Laura Year 5: Ryan & Astar

Year 6: Ali & Mael

#### **Communications**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I wanted to just remind you about communication procedures with teachers. We ask that if you have to pass a message to teachers that you write notes and ask for meetings whenever you need to, but please do not e mail them directly. Please feel free to e mail the leadership team or the school office or phone the school office whenever you need to. This is to ensure that teachers can concentrate on teaching rather than answering emails.

Now that we have School Comms, we are able to message individuals and groups of parents in that way and teacher s will use this when they have a quick message for you (teachers will not use their personal e mail). Reception Class parents can continue to use Class Dojo in the way that Miss Martin discussed at your class meeting.

With best wishes, Mrs. Hawkins

Attendance Week beginning					
	26th September				
Class	%	Lates			
RCM	92%	4			
1JD	94%	2			
2ZP	98%	2			
3MQ	99%	5			
4AJ	94%	5			
5CH	99%	2			
6TM	94%	3			

Have you dropped in your empty jam jars yet?

We are still collecting empty (and clean) jam jars for an upcoming Christmas fundraiser. We would be so grateful for any spare you might have. The children will be making some delicious treats to sell at our Christmas Fair at the end of term! Please drop off in the office.

#### **Dates for your diary**

Tuesday 18th – Harmonize Refugee Celebration, Southbank 11-3pm

Wednesday 19th - Open morning for prospective parents,

9.15am, Cadogan Gardens

Monday 24th October- Friday 28th October Half Term

Monday 31st October - INSET DAY only staff in school.

Tuesday 1st - Friday 4th - Times table week

Monday 7th - Year 5 at Fulham Palace, am

Tuesday 8th - Years 1 & 3 Parent Meetings (1st date)

Tuesday 8th - Year 6 at The National Army Museum, am

Wednesday 9th - Years 2, 5 & 6 Parent Meetings (1st date)

**Thursday 10th - Reception & Year 4 Parent Meetings** 

Friday 11th - Remembrance Assembly, 10.30am, Church or Hall

Mon 14th - Fri 18th - Friendship Week

Monday 14th - Year 3 at Fulham Palace, am

O | Monday 14th - Year 6 at The Poppy Factory, All day

V Tuesday 15th - Years 1 & 3 Parents meetings (2nd date)

Wednesday 16th - Years 2, 5 & 6 Parent meetings (2nd date)

Thursday 17th - Reception & Year 4 Parent meetings (2nd date)

Thursday 17th - Year 1 at The Tower Of London, all day

Fri 18th - Thurs 24th - Book Fair, Cadogan Gardens Building

Friday 18th - Children In Need

Mon21st - Fri 25th - RE Week

Wed 23rd - Fri 25th - Year 4 at Hooke Court

#### Mindfulness

#### Mindfulness sessions for parents/families

The Bi Borough Inclusion service is running a short mindfulness course for parents/families every week from Monday 31st of October until Monday 5th of December inclusive(6 sessions).

Starting at 10:30 for an hour each week we will explore the breath and how we can use it for keeping us grounded in the present moment. We will learn a little about how our brains react and why, and how different breathing and moving techniques can alleviate stress by bringing us back to awareness. Rather than worrying over events that have not yet happened or over things that have already happened, we can learn ways of anchoring ourselves in the here and now and letting go what we have no or little control over. Please encourage your families to attend! Sign up for the course, please email

<u>cgelenter@westminster.gov.uk</u> or znoakhes@westminster.gov.uk.



#### PART TIME CHEF ASSISTANT NEEDED

Might you be interested in joining our buzzy and busy Kitchen team?

We are looking for a **CCHT Part Time Kitchen Chef Assistant** to work 5 days a week (hours to be discussed) across both schools. Duties to Include prepping, cooking, serving and encouraging children to eat and being an advocate in the food culture at Christ Church and Holy Trinity Schools.

Please contact Head Chef, Katie Dance for further information or to apply for the role: <a href="mailto:kdance@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk">kdance@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk</a>



#### INDIVIDUAL PARENT MEETINGS

Tuesday 8th November - Thursday 17th November

#### More details to follow

#### **Reception Class**

Thursday 10th November and Thursday 17th November Year 1

Tuesday 8th November and Tuesday 15th November **Year 2** 

Wednesday 9th November and Wednesday 16th November Year 3

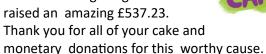
Tuesday 8th November and Tuesday 15th November **Year 4** 

Thursday 10th November and Thursday 17th November Year 5

Wednesday 9th November and Wednesday 16th November **Year 6** 

Wednesday 9th November and Wednesday 16th November

We are so excited to update the total made at our Macmillan Coffee Morning. Together We raised an amazing £537.23.



#### Hooke Court Meeting for Y4 Parents Thursday 13th October, 9.10am



Year 4 parents and carers are welcome to come along for an information meeting regarding Year 4's residential trip to Hooke Court in Dorset.

#### **Grandparents Afternoon**

Thank you so much to all the grandparents and family members who are coming along to our special afternoon today. We do hope you enjoy looking around our school and seeing the work our children are doing. We can't wait to share photos of this lovely event in next week's newsletter.







I will be running the Royal Parks Half Marathon on this Sunday October 9th in the hope of raising much needed funds to support 'Time to Talk' provision from Schools Today.

To provide this much needed services costs the schools £25,000 a year



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#### **Free Family Cookery Taster Sessions**

Would you like to cook together with your child healthy, low cost and tasty meals? Change4Life and Al Manaar are offering three different taster sessions during October half term, for parents and children who are 5 year old + All the ingredients are provided and you will eat together what we cooked at the end of the session.



## Change4Life

Family Cookery

Taster Sessions



Free healthy eating and cooking session

for children and parents!

at Al Manaar, The Muslim Cultural Heritage Centre

244 Acklam Road, London, England, W10 5YG

Monday 24 / Wednesday 26 / Saturday 29 October 11:30am-2:30pm





#### **Register Now!**

Online: https://forms.office.com/r/ YO48800nmz

Any questions? Email change4Life@rbkc.gov.uk

Or scan here













## Two schools in the heart of Chelsea, dedicated to our children

















For more information and to book a tour at one of our schools please contact:

Christ Church C of E Primary School on 020 7352 5708 or email: info@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk Holy Trinity C of E Primary School on 020 7881 9860 or email: htinfo@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk

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#### The Good Schools Guide says of Christ Church:

'A village school in the heart of London' and the charm lingers on, with lollipop cherry trees and a butcher's boy bike poised to deliver lunches to a nearby nursery. However, step inside and you have a Narnia experience.

#### SIAMS Inspection Report

The sense of community emanates from every aspect of the school. The strong Christian values underpinning all activities provide an excellent moral framework within which the pupils thrive.'

## CHRIST CHURCH & HOLY TRINITY PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Invites you to a Open Morning on

Wednesday 19th October 9.15am- 10.30am at
Holy Trinity Cadogan Gardens site.

Cadogan Gardens London SW3 2RN

Come along and meet some of our children and staff and hear about why our schools are such happy and successful places of learning.

You may even get to sample an example of our delicious school lunches too!

Please e mail htinfo@ccht.rbkc.sch.uk if you would I like to attend.

Christ Church and Holy Trinity Primary Schools, both in the heart of Chelsea, are two single-form entry primary schools that became a

federation in 2019. They are under the direction of one Federation Head one Senior Leadership Team and following one curriculum, all of which have been consistently judged as Ofsted Outstanding.



#### What the parents say:

'The teachers, parents and children contribute to a community spirit that spills out into after-school clubs, events and celebrations. The level of success is evident in the statistics, inspections and reports but this is about heart and soul; Christ Church and Holy Trinity is full of them.'

'A precious gem; a rare thing. Christ Church and Holy Trinity are schools where every single decision is taken only if it's 100% right for the children.'

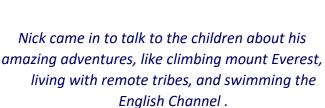


Please scan for further details on our website.



#### Nick Carter, the explorer and adventurer **BOOK FOR SALE**

## **ON SCHOOL GATEWAY**





Nick uses his amazing adventures to teach children how to take more courageous decisions in life; and how

kindness, bravery and resilience can be used to make every day more meaningful.

Nick has just published his first children's book (£10) that tells the stories behind his biggest adventures to date (the Amazon, exploring the deepest caves, living without money, and so on) and explains how to develop

important adventure values yourself. The book also nudges children to go out and experience these values through age-appropriate missions. You can purchase this book on School Gateway for delivery in the next two weeks to school.













#### Weekly Headlines



Most Accurate	Fastest	Most Active	Rank Amongst Local schools		
Year 4 AJ	Year 5 MB	Year 2 ZP	18		
Individual Class Leaderboards					

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Year 2 z₽	Year 3 ma	Year 4 AJ	<b>Year 5</b> сн	Year 6 ™
Walter	McKayla	Sanidhya	Ryan	Sophia

#### Christ Church

Year 2 EH	Year 3 NK	Year 4 EA	Year 5 мв	Year 6 ен
Isabelle	Charlie	Yeon-Ho	Udval	Louis



#### Weekly Headlines



Holy Trinity					
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Margot	Zselyke	Angel			
Christ Church					
Year 1 ob	Year 2 ен	Year 3 NK	Year 4 EA	Year 5 mb	Year 6 ен
Mariam	Ivan	Yaseen	Sophie		



#### Recommended Read



#### Cats: Understanding Your Whiskered Friend ages 6-8 & up)

Author: Dr John Bradshaw Illustrator: Clare Elsom Publisher: Andersen Press

Libby the cat lives with her owner Miss Lewis, who adopted her as a stray. She has a great life, going out at night to explore the neighbourhood and coming back to snooze, followed by her daily routine – breakfast, toilet, playing, going outside, sniffling and snuffling – and plenty of cuddles, of course.

This enjoyable read is a mix of a fictional story about Libby the cat and her life with Miss Lewis, intertwined with facts and information about cats from author Dr John Bradshaw, a biologist with a special interest in cats. Throughout Libby's story, Dr John tells us all about the different types of cats you can have as a pet, ideas for interesting toys, why cats may get anxious about their toilet habits, why they miaow, what and how they like to eat – and much more.

A perfect read for anyone with a cat for a pet, or for a child interested in becoming a cat owner, Cats: Understanding Your Whiskered Friend is a genuinely fascinating read. Cheery black and white cartoon-style pictures by Clare Elsom are peppered throughout Libby's story, bringing a sense of fun as well as highlighting useful information.



## Learning in Reception at Holy Trinity Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

This is what the children have been up to this week:

English - This week, we listened to the story The Great Big Book of Families by Mary Hoffman.

The children drew a picture of their families and labelled the different members.

'mum' 'dad' 's' for sister 'b' for brother

They pretended to be architects and built their homes using sticks and plasticine! They did a great job!

They also shared what their favourite meal was and wrote a shopping list with all the ingredients!

Some children are using sound lines to spell words and others are focusing on spotting the initial sound in words.

Next week, we will read the story *The Colour Monster* and we will learn about feelings and emotions.

We will be making sensory bottles- could you please send a small, empty plastic bottle for this project. Thank you

Maths - Reception have been counting objects as well as recognising and writing numerals.

They seem to be so excited every time we sign our number formation song!

Alphabet Code:

Sounds that we know: /s/, /a/, /t/, /p/, /i/, /n/, /m/, /d/, /g/.

Have a lovely weekend

Miss Martin



#### Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 1

#### Friday 7th October 2022

What a busy week! From making Christmas cards to welcoming in grandparents, we haven't stopped! We have all had a brilliant week, producing some excellent writing and art work in geography, RE and in our card making.

This week in English we challenged ourselves with writing a retell of A Tiger Who Came to Tea. We first looked at editing sentences, noticing when to use a capital letter, to begin sentences and for proper nouns. Then we pushed ourselves to include as many amazing adjectives as possible. Next week we will be moving onto writing our own versions, what this space!

In maths we completed our topic of looking at addition within 10. We focused on choosing the greater number to add on from, recognising that the two parts have to be smaller than the whole and forming addition sentences correctly. We are excited to learn about subtraction next week!

In geography we looked creating maps of our local environment- our classroom! We paid special attention to the location of the furniture, the distance between them and what pieces were bigger than others. Then we labelled our drawings, it was amazing how accurate they all were!

In Alphabet Code we looked at all the different codes for  $loo_l$ . We discovered oo as in moon, or as in do, ew as in chew, we as in glue and u-e as in June. Next week, we will be investigating all the codes for ll.

We had such a wonderful end to the week by visits from some of our grandparents. We shared our RE learning with them by looking at how we are all unique and what our friends and grandparents unique. We decorated a clothes peg and gave it to someone else to represent us as humans who look similar but are decorated and different in the most wonderful way.

What a busy week Year One, well done! Have an amazing weekend! 🐵



#### Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 2 Friday 7th October 2022

In English we enjoyed sharing our wonderful stories with each other and have practiced our intonation when reading to a crowd. We have been focussing on our comprehensions skills and we are now underlining key information in a text and extracting key words and phrases. We also enjoyed our new traditional tales unit and explored a known tale of the three little pigs.

Our beautiful Poppies our on display in our classroom and we were very proud to show them in our special mentions assembly. Thank you to all of the grandparents who were able to join us for our Art lesson this week, it was fantastic to have you with us.

This week in Maths we continued adding numbers up to 40 using column, or vertical, addition, but with regrouping. We played a game to help us learn how to regroup where we rolled a dice and put that number of ones down on our place value chart. Once we got to ten ones we had to exchange them for one ten and put it in the tens column on our place value chart. We then used our regrouping knowledge to add a two-digit and one-digit number with regrouping using vertical addition. Keep practising at home! .

In Geography, we are getting ready for our trip on Monday to Goodwood farm. We learnt more about the dairy industry and even tasted some milk. We thought of some questions to ask the farming team we can't wait to ask them on Monday.

In RE, we thought about the Lords Prayer and the phrase 'Give us this day our bread'. We learnt about the story of Moses receiving bread and considered that Christians believe that God cares for our wants and needs. We sorted this and had an interesting discussion about friendships, sunlight and food.

During our PE lessons we have been developing our teamwork skills through football and passing. We known to use the inside of our food when drippling the ball.

Thank you for a wonderful week. Rest up, we have a busy day on Monday 😊

Reminder: Goodwood farm trip Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October Please bring: **W**ater, healthy snacks, wellington boots, wear PE kit, school coat and trainers.

We will be leaving at 9AM and aim to return by 5PM. It is a long coach journey, if your child experiences travel sickness please provide us with any medication you feel will help.







#### Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 3

#### Friday 7th October 2022

In Maths, we focused on addition with regrouping. We began by focusing on addition with regrouping in ones, where we exchange ten ones for one group of ten, before moving onto to addition with regrouping in tens. We tried to remember to exchange ten tens for one hundred and add this to the hundreds column. We will continue to practise this in class before moving onto subtraction with regrouping.

In English this week we began the planning process for our retelling of Taking Flight. We started by creating a text map as this enabled us to clearly sequence each key event of the story. We then wrote notes on our story mountain and tried to include key vocabulary that would help us with our retelling. Finally this week, we wrote the beginning of the story independently.

This week, we were incredibly lucky to have adventurer Nick Carter in our school. Nick Carter came to Holy Trinity to talk the children about his adventures, some of which included climbing Mount Everest and completing a run across the Sahara. Nick also shared how his dreams were made possible by teamwork and kindness from others along the way, and he shared some interesting insights into what it means to be brave.

For PSHE this week, we learnt about our amazing brains. We discovered that our brain is always changing and how every new experience we try helps our brains to build new pathways. In PSHE, we will be focusing on what it means to have a growth mindset.





#### Reminders:

Reading books and homework are to be returned to school on Wednesdays.

Local Area Walk for Year 3 – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October.

Trip to Science Museum- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October. Good questions to ask your child this week are:

- · What is regrouping?
- What facts do you remember about the brain?

Have a lovely weekend 😉



#### Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 4

#### Friday 7th October 2022

Highlights of Year 4 this week include:

#### Maths

This week pupils:

- Solved two-step word problems by using models that represent the problem.
- Read Roman numerals to 100 (I to C) and learnt that, over time, the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and place value
- Made-up two-step word problems using given words and numbers in addition and subtraction.

#### English

This week pupils:

- Wrote another diary entry. Each child chose between writing their diary entry from the perspective of an archaeologist or a camel!
- Decided between using a table, or bullet points, to plan their diary entries.

#### Art

Using watercolours, Year 4 painted their Christmas cards designs ready to send to the printers. Watch this space...

#### RE:

Revisited the story of Moses and the burning bush and considered the key message behind it.

#### Special visitors:

Year 4 (and the rest of the school) welcomed Grandparents and other significant carers into the classroom. It was great timing for Year 4 as pupils also had the opportunity to share their learning in assembly. They did this by sharing their knowledge of the seven processes of living things.

Have a super weekend!



#### Learning in Year 5 at Holy Trinity Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October

In English this week, we focused on adding description in our writing through Show, Not Tell. This is a strategy where we can describe how a character is feeling without explicitly telling the audience e.g. Mr Bumbles eyes bulged and his fists clenched by his side. We also recapped our understanding of fronted adverbials – adverbs or adverbial phrases that are used at the front of a main clause. We came up with sentences that involved adverbials of time (At suppertime, / In the evening.), place (In the great hall, / Beside me,) and manner (Cautiously, / Slowly.).

In Maths, we recapped our factors, multiples and prime numbers. Next week, we will be moving onto long multiplication. So, keep practising those times tables!

In History, we explored how Christmas was celebrated 180 years ago in the Victorian Era. We realised there were some similarities between the traditions of today and in the past, but also many differences – including the fact that many children received fruit and nuts as a present at Christmas. We used our understanding of the Victorian Christmas to inspire our Christmas card design.









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PSHE this term, we have been learning about identity and all the parts that may make up someone's identity (hair colour, culture, languages spoken, gender, where you live, what things you like/dislike). This week, we thought about how someone's identity (or how others perceive them to be) can lead to stereotyping. We had an interesting discussion about gender stereotypes - pink is a girl's colour; boys like to play in the mud etc. We realised in fact, that colours, activities and clothes can be for everyone.

#### Reminders:

Wednesday 12th October - Trip to Science Museum.

Have a great weekend, Miss Harman Holy Trinity 997 Amazon Wishlist





#### Learning at Holy Trinity Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

In English this week in year 6, we learnt about our final writing tool, embedded clauses. An embedded clause adds extra information in the middle of a sentence (The church, which stood at the top of the hill, was dark and haunted.) We were then ready to write our opening, using all the devices we have learnt about (personification, embedded clauses, 'ing verbs, fronted adverbials and 'show not tell') we have started our first two paragraphs describing the journey to the church, what gripping start and we can't wait to read what happens next.

In Maths, we learnt about estimating to multiply and divide, revisiting the  $\approx$  approximately equals symbol. We started by estimating the multiplication of 6 and 7-digit numbers (3568  $\times$ 21  $\approx$  4000  $\times$  20 = 80 000). We found that estimating a division problem is slightly different and we need to know our multiples (times tables) to find near multiples. 3510  $\div$  5 we know that 3500 and 4000 are both multiples of 5, but 3510 is closer to 3500. So, 3510  $\div$  5  $\approx$  3500  $\div$  5 = 700

In Science, we learnt about micro organisms, recapping our learning from the previous week. We checked our bread to see if any mould had developed, comparing the results in the different locations. Ms Edgeworth taught us about how mould grows. We will continue to monitor the growth of the mould.

In History this week, we learnt about code breaking during the war. Becoming detectives, we were put to the test to crack a code working in teams, deciphering the complex text we were assigned.

In RE this week, we learnt about the third holy sacrament, marriage. Next week, we will be learning a little bit about the Christian beliefs on life after death.

#### Have a wonderful weekend!

