



# Holy Trinity Newsletter

## 15th December 2023



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### FIRST WEEK BACK - VISITORS, COMMUNITY EVENTS & CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT

Tuesday 19th December	All	Holy Trinity Christmas Service, 2.15pm, Holy Trinity Church
Thursday 21st December	All	Last day of school for Christmas, school ends at 1.30pm
Thursday 21st December	All	<b>NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS ON THIS DAY</b>

## Holy Trinity C of E school

### Christmas Fair

**CHRISTMAS STALLS \* SANTA'S GROTTTO \*  
CHRISTMAS \* RAFFLE \* TOMBOLA \*  
\* MULLED WINE \* MINCE PIES \* GLITTER  
FACE ART \* TATTOOS \*  
\* HAIR BRAIDING \* SELFIE BOOTH \*  
HOT DOGS \* GAMES & MORE \***

**Saturday 16th December 2-5pm  
Holy Trinity School, Cadogan Gardens,  
SW3 2RN**



## Friday 15th December Christmas Jumper Day

*Thank you for sending your children to school wearing a Christmas/Festive jumper today, they look great!*

*We are very grateful for your wonderful donations the Save The Children Charitty. If you haven't made a donation yet but would like to, please follow the link below to donate with Gift Aid or make a payment on the School Gateway.*

<https://christmas.savethechildren.org.uk/fundraising/CJD230013499>



- J** Monday 8th - Back to school after the Christmas break  
**T**uesday 16th - 4AJ Visit to Neasden Temple  
**A** Wednesday 17th - 2ZP Visit to Marble Arch Synagogue  
**N** Monday 29th - 6JD Visit to the Natural History Museum  
**T**uesday 30th - V&A Pattern Workshop

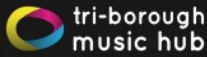
The raffle ticket tab on the School Gateway will close today at 12pm.



After this time, you will be able to purchase tickets by cash at the Christmas Fair on Saturday.

Any tickets purchased on the School Gateway will come home with your children today.





# Music Production Class

Day Tuesdays  
Time 4:15pm-5:00pm  
Venue Lyric Theatre, Hammersmith  
School Year 4 - 6  
Cost £55 \* 50% remission available for Free School Meals

Want to know how to create music that can be used for beats, games or podcasts? Or maybe you are a musician or singer who wants to know how to record and compose your own music? This course will teach you how to use a range of music production software programmes (BandLab, GarageBand, Logic Pro X) to compose, record, edit your music and upload it or share it with your friends. You will get free access to an Apple MacBook and gain valuable skills along the way. Limited places available!

Course running from 9th January 2024

Booking closes on Monday 18th December 2023. Don't miss out, sign up now!

<https://UKTRIBOROUGH.speedadmin.dk/registration?signupSchoolID=657#/Course/28/0/286/657>



Casita Yoga  
BATTERSEA



INTRO OFFER : 2 CLASSES £20!

Yoga & wellbeing practices with a commitment to being inclusive & accessible to all.

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60 Worfield Street  
SW11 4RA

Katherine Low Settlement  
108 Battersea High Street  
SW11 3HP

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[@casitayogabattersea](https://twitter.com/casitayogabattersea)

## CCHT ELF AUCTION ENDS AT 7PM TODAY!



<https://www.32auctions.com/cchtelfauction2023>

*Please support our online auction by raising funds for playtime resources at CCHT, in particular our two Reception Classrooms, the Beach and Cadgoan Gardens playground. Your one-stop Christmas shop includes 100 Lots with treats such as bottles of Champagne, magnums of wine, Christmas treats, Rococo chocolate boxes, indulgent beauty gift boxes from Space NK, tickets to a Christmas pantomime or an Arsenal match at their home ground, plus much much more. The auction ends tonight at 7pm. Good Luck and thank you to everyone who has donated in all sorts of ways, we are very grateful.*



## Holy Trinity Christmas Raffle

Raffle tickets are available to purchase on the School Gateway until 12pm today.



**Tickets cost £3 for a strip of 5.**

**When purchasing on the gateway, please adjust the amount to reflect the number of tickets that you would like to purchase.**

We will start to distribute purchased tickets next week, Please look out for them in your children's bags.



**some of the amazing prizes on offer are:**

- .Tickets for 4 people for Putt In The Park - Battersea
- £35 Gift voucher for Battersea Power Station Cinema
- .A bottle of Partridge's Champagne
- .David Mellor oak triple trivet/teapot stand
- .Christmas mini hamper
- £25 Peter Jones Voucher
- .Children's book set
- £20 Pear Tree Cafe Voucher - Battersea Park
- .Children's games bundle
- .L'Occitane gift set
- .A bottle of Fortnum and Mason champagne
- . Tickets for 2 people for stand up show Shirley & Shirley: Geriatric Mums



**100% of the money raised from ticket sales will go to Holy Trinity Primary School. Good luck!**

**The raffle will take place at our Christmas Fair on Saturday 16th December at 4.30pm**

## Additional Raffle Prizes



Fortnum & Mason Champagne



Harrods Apron



Partridge's Champagne



L'Occitane en Provence Gift set



Bundle of children's games



Bundle of children's books



The White Company Gift set



Sterling Products Sock Bundle



## Christmas Dates



### **Tuesday 19th December**

**Holy Trinity Christmas Service, Holy Trinity Church, 2.15pm. All welcome**

### **Thursday 21st December**

**Last day of term, school finishes at 1.30pm.**  
*There will be no after school clubs on this day.*



## Uniform Reminder from Mrs Hawkins

Now that the weather is colder children are needing to wear hats and gloves.

These need to be school uniform or plain blue.

Ties are part of the school uniform. Please make sure children wear them every day.

Trainers are only for P.E. Days. Children need to wear black or navy blue shoes with their school uniform.

Please do not send the children with other coloured clothes. If you need second hand uniform we have a lot so please do ask in the offices and we will see if we can help.

No jewellery please and if children have pierced ears just studs please.

Big Congratulations to Year 6 and Reception Classes! When we did a uniform spot check at Shepherds and Sheep time this week everyone had the correct uniform on!



## Amazon Wish List



Thank you to everyone who has purchased something for our school, we are so grateful for your support.

If you would like to help make Christmas magical at Holy Trinity and purchase something on our behalf, please visit

<https://amzn.eu/3jaGUpR>

If you find something you would like to purchase – just add it to your basket and follow the same procedures as it you were ordering something for yourself. The items will then be delivered directly to the school – please make sure you select the school address in the delivery section.



## Attendance

Year	Attendance	Unauthorised	Lates
RTM	82%	1	2
1CM	92%	1	16
2ZP	94%	1	5
3MQ	88%	0	11
4AJ	94%	0	6
5CPB	96%	0	16
6JD	100%	0	10

## Students Of The Week

RTM: Nneoma & Otilie

1CM : Nevaeh-Rose & Eva

2ZP: Bodhi & Daniel

3MQ : Ayra & Christopher

4AJ: Anar & Angel

5CPB : Angelica & Leo

6JD: Whole Class Award



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@ccht federation

School Kitchen Instagram:  
@ccandhtschoolkitchen



## CHECK OUT NEXT WEEK'S SCHOOL MENU



[HERE](#)



## OUR BACK STORY

During lockdown, as a family (and with the backing of our Church, St Stephen's) we decided to collect a selection of knick-knacks that make Christmas 'Christmas' for all of those who were really struggling financially.

Unfortunately, each year the need has got greater and greater. Fortunately, each year the collections and donations have got larger, as has the support.

We collect on behalf of the Westminster Food Bank: The Trussell Trust and we now have several drop off points including a church and a school.

### DROP OFF LOCATIONS & FINAL COLLECTIONS

Holy Trinity School  
(either office)  
18/12/23

St Stephens  
Church, Rochester  
Row  
15/12/23

Christchurch School  
(office)  
18/12/23

Thank you, thank you, thank you  
-Merry Christmas-

## OTHER USEFUL ITEMS

Practical & can be given as Christmas gifts:

- Children's warm gloves/hats/socks
- Baby blankets
- New children's books

## POPULAR ITEMS

- Selection boxes
- Twiglets/Cheese biscuits
- Candy canes
- Hot chocolate bombs
- Mince pies/Christmas puddings

Please no nuts

## Reverse Advent Calendars – Christmas 2023

This December we would like continue with our different kind of advent calendar with the children. We are going to ask two children in each class to bring in an item (from the wish list below) each day from 1st December leading up to (and including) Wednesday 20th December. These items will then be donated to our local charity, Glass Door for the homeless.

[www.glassdoor.org.uk/](http://www.glassdoor.org.uk/) Glass Door partners with churches and community centres to give shelter and support.

### Christmas Wish list

- Instant coffee
- Instant hot chocolate
- Biscuits
- Sugar
- Tea bags
- Vegetarian tinned soups
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned pulses
- Baked beans
- Dried pasta (No spaghetti please)
- Cereals
- Jams
- Toiletries such as Shampoo,
- Body Wash and Soaps
- Deodorant



Please kindly stick to this list as there are restrictions in place as to what the Charity can accept in the form of donations. Thank you in advance.

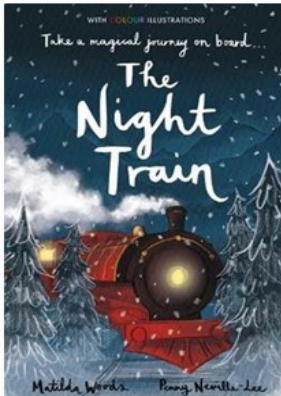


# Recommended Read



## The Night Train (ages 6-8 & up)

Author: Penny Neville-Lee Illustrator: Matilda Woods Publisher: Little Tiger



Some very special passengers embark on a magical journey aboard the Night Train. There's a hairy white yeti, Princess May with her pet dragon Ruby, Henri the ballet dancer and a scary-looking monster who is actually very friendly. Their destination is Sleepy Town, where each passenger will become the main character in a child's dream.

As the train hurtles along, Charles the guard checks everyone's ticket and the passengers share stories about their dreamworld adventures. They are all startled when the train suddenly shudders to a stop, as a large tree has fallen on the track. Charles is frantic: the train must arrive in Sleepy Town by midnight or the passengers will be too late to enter the dreams of their sleepers, but he can't move the obstacle by himself. The passengers must work together to get the train moving again, but do they have the skills?

This imaginative, wintery tale for newly confident readers highlights the importance of courage, resourcefulness and team work to overcome obstacles. The short chapters feature colourful, expressive illustrations, which are full of character and help to bring the story to life.



## Weekly Headlines



### Individual Class Leaderboards

#### Holy Trinity

Year 2 <sub>ZP</sub>	Year 3 <sub>MQ</sub>	Year 4 <sub>AJ</sub>	Year 5 <sub>CP-B</sub>	Year 6 <sub>JD</sub>
Margot	Max	Elena	Dina	Cici

#### Christ Church

Year 2 <sub>NK</sub>	Year 3 <sub>LL</sub>	Year 4 <sub>EA</sub>	Year 5 <sub>MB</sub>	Year 6 <sub>NW</sub>
Magnus	Amana	Annabelle	Chelsea	



## Weekly Headlines



#### Holy Trinity

Year 1 <sub>CM</sub>	Year 2 <sub>ZP</sub>	Year 3 <sub>MQ</sub>	Year 4 <sub>AJ</sub>	Year 5 <sub>CP-B</sub>	Year 6 <sub>JD</sub>
Sophia	Esme	Ayra	Elena	Dina	

#### Christ Church

Year 1 <sub>OD</sub>	Year 2 <sub>NK</sub>	Year 3 <sub>LL</sub>	Year 4 <sub>EA</sub>	Year 5 <sub>MB</sub>	Year 6 <sub>NW</sub>
Eden	Noah	Amana	Annabelle		

# Year 1 - Christmas Card Designing







A busy week in Reception class, this is what we have been up to:

**English-** This week, we have continued learning about: Christmas. The children completed the following activities:

We practised writing sentences, completing the sentence starter, 'Christmas is fun because...'

Reading and writing CVC words, some of us practising CVVC words.

Reading and following instructions to make a snowflake.

**Maths-** In Maths, we reviewed: repeating patterns. Using resources from around the classroom, we got creative by making repeating patterns using objects, we then drew these in our books.

In Alphabet code, the sounds we know are:

/s/ /a/ /t/ /p/ /i/ /n/ /m/ /d/ /g/ /o/ /c/ /k/ /ck/ /e/ /u/ /r/ /h/ /b/ /f/ /l/ /ff/ /ss/ /ll/ /j/ /v/ /w/ /x/ /y/ /z/

This week we have reviewed all the alphabet sounds and the children have been practising how to read and write CVCC words. They have learnt that there are 5 vowels: a, e, i, o, u and that the rest of the letters are called consonants.

Reminders:

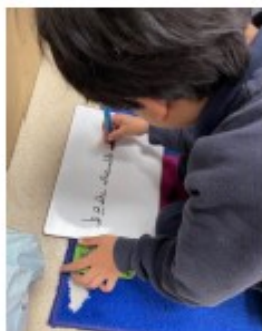
Christmas Fair this Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> in Cadogan Gardens 2-5pm

Christmas Assembly Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December Holy Trinity Church 2.15pm

Last Day of term, school finishes at 1.30pm



Have a lovely weekend!





Year 1

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Dear Parents,

This week in English, the children have continued to learn about expanded noun phrases. An expanded noun phrase is where we use two adjectives separated by a comma to describe a noun.

The children described a winter scene, they wrote a Christmas card and described Santa's workshop.

*I can see a snawy, icy mountain.*

In Maths, we have continued to learn about 2D and 3D shapes. The children learnt about their properties- how many sides, surfaces and vertices shapes have.

In Alphabet Code, we looked at all the different codes for /air/. We discovered air as in fair, are as in stare and ear as in bear. Next week, we will review the different codes for: /ai/, /ee/, /igh/ and /oa/.



Have a lovely weekend,

Miss Martin



Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 2  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December

As you know Ms Koryfas has been teaching the class in place of Miss Peach and I would like to thank her for being so brilliant with the children and keeping their learning going. I am pleased to report that we expect Miss Peach back to school on Monday and her sister is making good progress in her recovery. She would like to thank you for your kindness and support at this difficult time. She can't wait to get back with the children.

In English the children have been looking at Jill Murphy books and in particular comparing the Last Nook with The Worst Witch. They have been doing some excellent comparisons and good writing too!

Within our Maths learning, we have been looking at 3D shapes and making sure we all understand how to calculate the number of vertices, edges and faces.

In art they have been using pastels to make their own Matisse Yellow Cats. We will share their results with you soon.

We also continue learning about the suffragette Emeline Pankhurst in History so do ask them about that at home.

Thank you so much to every family that has donated to the Reverse Advent Calendar Appeal it is much appreciated. Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. McCrone will be dropping off your donations next week to Glass Door.

In music the children have been getting ready for their Christmas Assembly on Tuesday. They are donkeys as you know so please do send them in with a grey, black or white plain clothes in a bag for this on Tuesday (or Monday if you can).

Please join us in Church to celebrate the Christmas story from 2.15pm on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December.

Have a wonderful weekend and hope to see you at the Christmas Fair!

With best wishes, Mrs Hawkins



Amazon Wishlist



## Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 3

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

What a busy week we have had in Year 3.

This week, as part of their DT unit, each child in Year 3 made a sandwich for their Year 5 client. They put their chopping, slicing, peeling and grating skills to good use!

We had a very exciting Science show from Mr. Alexander, who will be running Science club on Fridays next term.

In English, we wrote and published our Fantastic Mr. Fox newspaper articles. Within our articles we tried to answer the five W's (who, what, when, why and where) in detail.

In Maths, we explored the three times tables, looking at the commutativity of multiplication and how our knowledge of multiplication can help us to solve division sums. We also began looking at multiples of 4 and dividing by 4.

What is  $19 \times 3$ ?

How could you work this out?

$20 \times 3 = 60$   
 $60 - 3 = 57$

What have I done?

$3 \times 6 = 18$      $6 \times 3 = 18$

What do you notice?

Multiplication is commutative - we can swap the parts around!

What have we seen this before?

We know  $10 \times 3 = 30$ , so  $20 \times 3 = 60$ .  
 To find  $19 \times 3$ , I can remove one group of 3.

In Art, we combined our knowledge from RE to help us recreate some artwork depicting the feast of the Epiphany. We used skills from the superpower of looking to look closely at the pictures, compare and contrast them, think about the composition, and the choice of colours.

In computing, we used the I pads to create stop-frame animations. We realized that we needed to keep the I pads still, and we needed to make small changes to our characters each time.

Have a lovely weekend 😊,

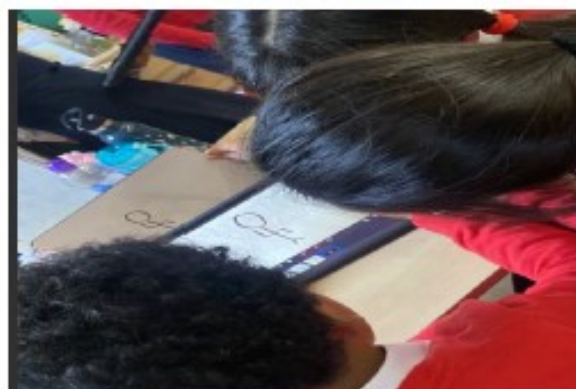
Miss Quirke and the Year 3 team.

### Reminders:

**Christmas Assembly –  
 Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
 at 2:15pm at Holy Trinity  
 Church**

**School finishes on  
 Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December**

**Swimming will continue  
 next term!**





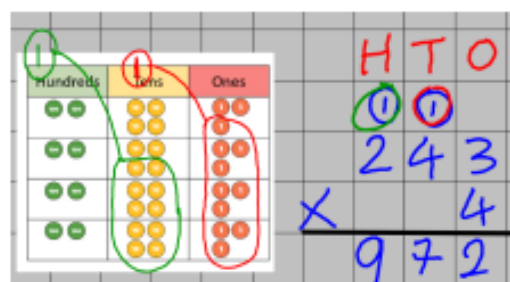
Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 4

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

### Maths

This week we:

- Revisited Roman Numerals.
- Learnt how to multiply a two-digit and a three-digit number by a one-digit number.
- Revised subtraction and addition.



### English:

We explored how conditional clauses are used in advertising, such as, 'If you like being healthy, you should try these delicious organic vegetables'. The class discussed how the combination of the present and future tense made very persuasive writing. Year 4 also learnt to mark a conditional clause with a comma. We also studied the use of slogans and logos and the class were tasked with making up slogans and adverts for a brand of pencils or glue-sticks!

### Art:

We travelled to Marble Arch to Frameless - an immersive art gallery. Here, children experienced many of the great masterpieces through the medium of film and music. See photos for this really inspiring trip.



**Special notice:** On Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December, Year 4 will take part in the Christmas Assembly. Year 4 will be wearing hats and scarves, dressed up for a snowy day. Please send your child in with any of the items from home, on the day of the Christmas Assembly.

Have a lovely weekend!

Learning in Year 5 at Holy Trinity  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

What a successful week for Year 5's learning!

We have tackled some big new concepts in maths, including squared numbers, cubed numbers, and multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1,000. It was so wonderful to see everyone trying their hardest and putting a lot of effort into this tricky learning!

We worked with year 3 on their Design Technology unit, where they made us sandwiches. Last week, they interviewed us about what we like in our sandwiches, and this week they put them together. We went down to the hall to try them and wrote some feedback about how delicious they were and how well they followed our requirements!

In Computing, we have been creating our own 'How To' videos, and have used our excellent technology skills to film and then edit these together! We used iPads to film our content, making sure each person was in a different shot. Then, we used iMovie to put the clips together and add effects, titles, transitions, and music. We ended up with 10 unique videos, all created ourselves!



**Reminders:**

- Next week, homework is due on WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER. This is because Thursday is a half day, and we will need time to mark and prepare our holiday homework.
- School finishes at 1.30pm on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December and so Year 5 DO NOT NEED their PE kit on this day.
- Your children may wish to bring in materials for their shadow boxes for art. Please send these in a named bag - they do not need too many! A resealable sandwich bag should do the trick. They may wish to bring sticks, leaves, cotton wool etc. If this is an issue, please do not worry - we will have things at school they can use.

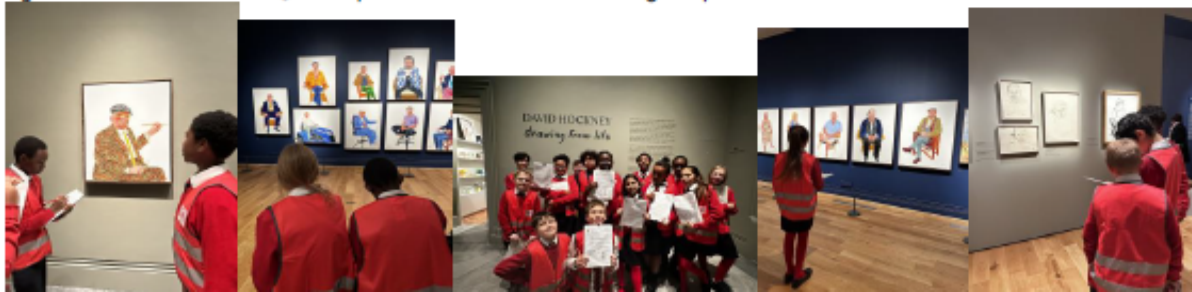
Have a calm and restful weekend!  
Miss Pollard-Brown



Learning at Holy Trinity in Year 6

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023

We started our week off by having a wonderful trip to the National Portrait Gallery. We went to see the exhibition of David Hockney's work. We really enjoyed looking at all the portraits of his friends and celebrities and some self-portraits too. We had some great discussions over the materials he used and how the different mediums create different atmospheres in each portrait. We also were commended on our behaviour and engagement by several members of the public which was very impressive!



This week in English, we started looking at persuasive arguments. We learnt about the techniques of persuasive, emotive language, the 'many people' argument, flattery and statistics and how by using them you can create a very compelling argument about any topic you desire! We finished the week by writing our own persuasive argument script, between a child and their two adults over whether they should have a phone and we are looking forward to acting them out next week.

In maths we started looking at fractions, in particular equivalent fractions and how we can place them on a number line.

In history we researched how the Blitz affected our local area of Chelsea. We used a secondary evidence source and were shocked to find the closest bomb that hit during WW2 was where Peter Jones was! What a scary time that must have been.

Reminders:

- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Assembly 2:15pm Holy Trinity Church  
Costume info: home clothes and santa hats for Grandpa, Mum and Dad.  
Christmas jumpers and santa hats for Jasmine, Johnny and everyone else.
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December - End of term 1:30pm. No after school clubs

What a fabulous week Year Six! Only one week to go! 😊