



Christ Church Primary School



 \hat{o}_{gether} we can do all things through Christ who strengthens us

Week Ending 30/06/23

Message from Mrs Donelan Dear families and friends

As we come to the end of another busy week, I want to share my gratitude for our amazing year 6 pupils. They have returned from their residential trip in St Asaph and were absolutely incredible for the whole time! The staff team were inspired by their resilience, determination and collaboration and we are all incredibly proud of them all. What a lovely end to their time at Christ Church; I hope they made some lasting memories that they will keep forever!

Today, you will receive a letter with your child's new class allocation for September; if you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to contact your child's current teacher. Don't forget that next Thursday children will visit their new classes and you will be able to meet their new teachers after school. We look forward to seeing many of you then and we wish our Year 6 children a great visit to their High Schools. Amanda Donelan

Look what we enjoyed this week

Pre-school had an amazing first sports day! We had a great time running, jumping, skipping and balancing for all of our parents who came to watch. Well done preschool!

FS2 have been helping Mr Smith to check how the allotment veg is growing. We tasted some of the freshly grown lettuce and gave it a thumbs up. We spotted pumpkins, beetroot, Broad beans and leeks! We are also excited to taste the sweetcorn when it is ready to pick!

Year 1 enjoyed welcoming Mrs Tacy and baby Joshua into our RE lesson to develop our understanding of baptism. We have also been enjoying watching the growth of vegetables and wild flowers in the allotment. We tried some of the vegetables and were surprised at how soft and furry the bean pods were.

Year 2 have had a very busy week! They enjoyed their trip to church to chat to Rev Debbi about why the church is important to Christians. The children also enjoyed making and eating pizza during their cookery lesson.

Year 3 have enjoyed typing up their recipes to share with our families and friends. In maths, we have been exploring perimeter and using squares to work out the perimeter of shapes. We have also been busy preparing for our school trip next week, discussing what activities we will be getting up to.

Year 4 a busy week in Y4 including lots of Geography learning about our local area. We became TV news reporters as we learned about the storm damage in New Brighton of 1990. We explored the pros and cons of living on a coast as well as features such as sand dunes, cliffs and rock pools. Great work Year 4!

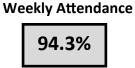
Year 5 have enjoyed researching natural disasters this week. They have worked so hard to produce an explanation text about different disasters. We have recapped all our music knowledge and continue to learn about Living Things and their habitats and climate change producing pieces of work creatively.

Year 6 have had a great few days away at Opendoor Outdoor Adventurer Centre. We are very proud of the resilience, bravery and determination that all the children have displayed. We have all had great fun!

Nurture class have enjoyed developing their orienteering skills by using a map to find clues.

Attendance Matters





The menu for next week is... Week 3

Please see our website for menus, and you can preselect children's meals on Parent Pay



Weekly scripture focus:

Prayer Requests

If you have any prayer requests that you would like us to take forward to the prayer group then please email them to: <u>ethos@christchurch-</u> <u>moreton.wirral.sch.uk</u>





Important Notices







Notices



What's on next week

Monday 3rd July

Y6 production for school

Tuesday 4th July

Y6 cookery

5pm – Y6 production for families

Wednesday 5th July

Potential Strike day—years 5 and 6 closed

Thursday 6th July

FS2 coffee morning—CANCELLED

Transition day – Y6 to High schools and all year groups to new teachers

3.30pm – parents meet new teachers open classrooms

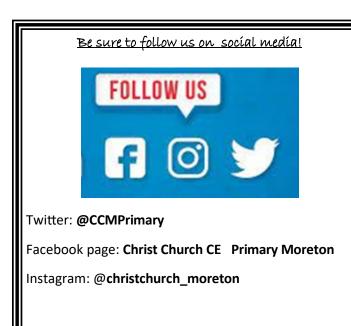
New to F2 teddy bears picnic

Friday 7th July

Golf sixes competition

CCPA Freezer Friday

Strike day—years 5 and 6 closed



What's on the following week

Monday 10th July

PM—Y6 leavers service for pupils at Chester cathedral

End of Year Reports sent home to families

Y6 production to parents 5.00pm - 6:30pm

Preschool parents evening 3.30 - 5pm

<u>Tuesday 11th July</u>

Preschool parents evening 3.30 - 5pm

Wednesday 12th July

Y6 production to parents 3:30 - 5pm

Preschool parents evening

<u>Thursday 13th July</u>

Y6 coffee morning 9.00am - 9.45pm

<u>Friday 14th July</u> CCPA own clothes day Summer Fair

CCPA

FREEZER FRIDAYS!



Our CCPA will be continuing the 'Freezer Friday' next week, after school from 3.15pm on the front playground. Ice pops can be purchased for 50p.



Community resources at Christ Church!





As you know, work with our community is really important to use here at Christ Church! Please read below for some details on how we can continue to strengthen the links between school and our families:

Community allotment

We have some exciting news! As you know, we are very lucky to have our own outdoor learning area with an allotment garden. We have lots of space to sow seeds and grow vegetables and an array of different plants. If you or another family member are interested in coming

to volunteer some time in our allotment area, we have a volunteer who is DBS checked and will be on site every Wednesday morning (after the start of the school day). If you would like to come and offer some time, these sessions have now begun.

This is a wonderful opportunity for parents / carers / guardians / grandparents to come to school and spend time



with the children working on their year group's allotment patch and in return for hours worked, you can reap some of the harvest!

Gardening in our allotment will be a fantastic experience for all those keen gardeners and an opportunity to support the school.

Please contact the office if you would like to register an interest in supporting the community allotment!

Social Supermarket is OPEN at Christ Church

We are also very excited to be launching a social supermarket – here at Christ Church! Lots of you will have noticed the new shelter on the front playground by the green gate. This has been set up and stocked by Neo. The social supermarket is a facility open to <u>everyone</u> and will operate every **Tuesday and Thursday between 3.15-3.45pm**.

Neo Community is a community organisation working within The Wirral and the North West, tackling food insecurity at the grass roots. NEO operates the 'pay-as-you-feel' system in our school shop at Christ

Church C of E Primary. The pay-as-you-feel concept is fundamental to NEO and is as important to us as reducing food waste.

People are asked to pay what they think is a fair price for the goods provided, at a price they can afford. Neo have found that the pay-as-you-feel concept fosters a sense of community and enhances the relationship between the people who run, use and volunteer at NEO – something that doesn't happen in the mainstream economy. We equally value the alternative of people volunteering their time, skills and energy

to support NEO and the school. This can be as simple as offering to do some gardening in the school's allotment or helping with the community shop. If you feel able to volunteer your time in exchange for goods from the supermarket, then please speak to Mrs Baker and she will take your details and will then make contact with you to confirm arrangements.





We do hope that families will find these services beneficial.



Building Confidence, Community & Resilience

