

Our children living the CCJ values

The children of CCJ never fail to amaze me with their independence and creativity coupled with their care for others in the world around them. In the last few weeks, we have heard from one of our Year 3 boys who has organised a fund raising run around Page Park and some of our wonderful Year 6 girls who want to play a part in protecting bees so have organised their own raffle to raise money for a bee home. Now one of our Year 5 girls has been inspired by a TV programme about children with cancer to cut all her (very long!) hair off to go to the Princess Trust to create a wig for a child who has lost their hair due to cancer treatment. Our school values of love, hope, courage, forgiveness, generosity and humility are absolutely exemplified by each of these acts of thoughtful kindness and so I want to say a huge well done to Kimi, Emma, Elizabeth, Annabelle and Una for having the courage and determination to make a difference in the world in these ways. You make me very proud!

Mrs Osborne

Dinner News

Please remember that all school meals must be pre-booked via ParentPay. You can book/amend or cancel a meal up until 8am on the day. Text reminders are no longer sent out.

Year 6 Leavers Events Meeting

Thank you to all who joined our zoom meeting this week regarding ideas and plans for the Year 6 leaver's week. If you missed the meeting, details have been sent out via email.

Bee Project – Hamper Raffle

A reminder that if you have any unwanted gifts or toys please could you donate them to be used as prizes for our raffle. The last day for prize donations will be Thursday 20th May so that we can make up the hampers.

The raffle will be held on the last day of term.

All the money raised by the raffle will go towards buying supplies to enable us to make bee houses and seeds to grow bee friendly plants to have at the end of the playing field. You can buy tickets on ParentPay



Thank you from The Bee Crew

Arbor Update

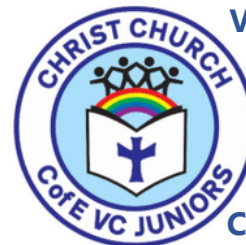
A brilliant 69% of parents have now set up their Arbor Accounts!

Thank you to all who have downloaded the app and set up your logins for Arbor. If you haven't done so already; please download the Arbor app so that you can receive communication from us. This can be downloaded for **FREE** from the App Store and Google Play. You have been sent you an email with set up details; please check your inboxes and junkmail boxes. If you have any problems or queries with logging in please contact the school office.

Please go onto your child's profile and check that all contact information is up to date. You will be able to amend information yourself, apart from home addresses. If you address is incorrect please change this via the school office. You will also be asked to consent to some new permissions.

Our aim is by the end of Term 5, we will no longer be using EduSpot/Teachers2Parents for communication as it will all come through the Arbor app.

We thank you for your cooperation in the set up.



Christian Aid Week - 10-16 May

Staff and children will be watching a pre-recorded assembly from Rev Peterson about the work of Christian Aid early next week, and donation envelopes will be brought home for those who might wish to donate. The focus of this year's Christian Aid week is on combatting the effects of climate change in Kenya. You can find out more and donate direct at www.caweek.org or you can fill the envelope and return it to school by the end of next week.

School Safety Concerns

We are noticing an increase of vehicles and dogs on site around drop off and collection times. Please can we remind you that dogs are NOT allowed on site, and no one can drive on to the school grounds during drop off and collection. Please respect the safety of our children.



Word Wizards!

Word Wizards! Each week in our classes, we are learning about a word that can be used across a range of different contexts and changed with prefixes (e.g. discover) and suffixes (e.g. covering), to broaden and deepen our understanding of vocabulary. If we see, say, write or hear any words in the word's word family in class; we are a 'word wizard' and earn a house point! Can you look out for this week's words outside of school as well?

This week's words:

Lower Band: globe

Upper Band: investigate



CCJ Moments of Joy

This week it has been very exciting to do a virtual tour of Parliament and to understand more about democracy. We were also joined by our local MP who answered some of the children's brilliant questions on climate change, COVID, University fees, apprentices, social housing and meeting the Prime Minister!



Still to come...

Week 4 – Fairtrade Visitor

Week 5 – Walk to School Week / Blue peter Badges

Week 6 – Maths Mystery

Week 7 – Living Eggs

CCJ dates for your diary

May

Mon 10th – Fairtrade visitor

W/b 10th Fairtrade week

w/b 17th Walk to School week

Thurs 20th – Last day for raffle donations

Fri 21st – School Council Cake Sale

Mon 24th – LB Sports Day

Tues 25th – UB Sports Day

Fri 28th – Bee Project Hamper Raffle

Fri 28th – End of Term 5/Dress Down

June

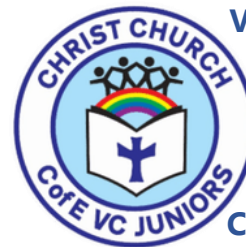
Mon 7th – Start of Term 6

Courage, not
compromise, brings
the smile of God's
approval.



Friday 7th May 2021 – N°29

CCJ Newsletter



Value
Engage
Inspire
Create

Our value this term: Courage

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This week at CCJ

