



Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School

We live our lives like Jesus



Newsletter 29th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers.

Advent begins this weekend. It is a time of expectant waiting, hopeful anticipation and joyful preparation as Christ enters the world. You may want to follow this link which explains the importance of the Advent season and why we don't want to feel we are simply racing to Christmas.

Busted Halo Advent in Two minutes <https://youtu.be/eC0FGQLBp7w>



We will be continuing to build our solidarity and friendship with and support of Buckland's Soup Kitchen during Advent through a reverse Advent Calendar. We are asking children to make a donation to our Advent Calendar with items such as scarves, socks, hats, gloves, biscuits, toiletries or chocolate. In the School Reception Area will be an Advent Calendar where children can leave their donations.

During Advent, we focus on welcoming God coming into lives and hearts in all moments, all places and at all times through our joyful preparation. To support families during Advent, each class will be marking the Advent journey with a posada. The tradition of the posada is based on Mary and Joseph seeking lodging as they journeyed to Bethlehem. Each day a family will welcome Mary and Joseph into their homes; we ask that the family share together the Christmas story and add a response into the Prayer Book.

Happy Advent to all our families,

Miss Clark



Corpus Christi Christmas Fiesta

Wednesday 4th December

3.15—4.45pm

All are welcome to join our fiesta. ALL children will be given 1 token to use on activities. Extras can be bought via scopy or on the night.

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Christmas Celebrations

Parents are invited to join us for our Christmas Celebrations.

Wednesday 4th December	Christmas Fiesta 3.15pm - 4.45pm —After school in the hall area
Tuesday 10th December	YrR Nativity at 9.am
Thursday 12th December	Yr1-2 Nativity @ 2pm
Friday 20th December	Yr3-6 Carol Service at 2.15pm



The Nativities and Carol Service will be in the Church so we are able to accommodate the wider family community.

Grandparents and the Parish Community are invited to join us

Tuesday 17th December Community Tea Party @ 2pm—School Hall

In school

Wednesday 18th December
YrR-2 Christmas Jumper, Christmas Lunch and Party

Thursday 19th December
Yr3-6 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch and Party



PE Days – Autumn Term

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dolphins yr3.4 (Mrs Kelly)	Orcas yr3.4 (Mr Clark)	Bumblebees yrR (Mrs Miles)	Kestrels yr5.6 (Mrs Precious)	Owls yr1.2 (Ms Martinez)
Starfish yr3.4 (Mrs Hassana)		Ladybirds yrR (Miss Longyear)	Starlings yr5.6 (Mrs Gosney)	Hedgehogs yr1.2 (Mrs Thiba)
		Owls yr1.2 (Ms Martinez)	Kingfishers yr5.6 (Miss Dawson)	Badgers yr1.2 (Miss Elsom)
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Our City: Our Future

"Staying safe together in a digital world"



This week's theme is:

"Online Reputation"

I can identify ways
that I can put
information on the
internet.

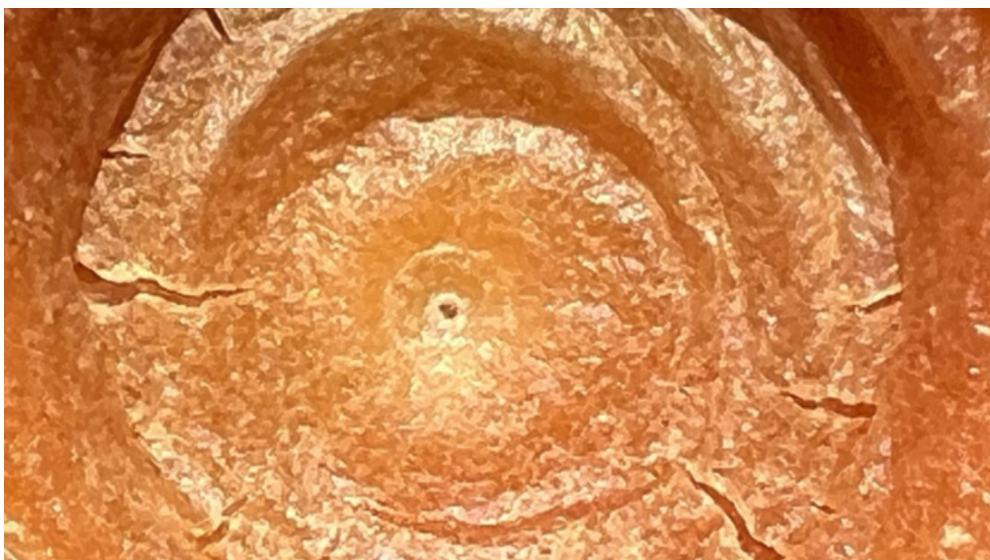
Questions to ask your child:

- ◆ What does the word information mean?
- ◆ What types of information do you know?
- ◆ Is it easier to share things in different ways? e.g. Show someone where you have been? Share your favourite song with someone? Show your friend your drawing? Show a picture of your brother/sister?
- ◆ Information helps us communicate. What does communicate mean?
- ◆ We use the word online? What does that mean?
- ◆ Do you go online?
- ◆ When do you go online?
- ◆ What do you like doing online?
- ◆ What's the opposite of online?
- ◆ What does it mean to be 'positive' online?

Zoom in, Zoom out

Last weeks reveal:

It was
prickly pears!



This weeks zoom in:



GOOD SHEPHERD

BUMBLEBEES — BRAXTON

LADYBIRDS — BORI

OWLS — SHAUN

HEDGEHOGS — VEDHATHMIKA

BADGERS — MERCY

DOLPHINS — PEGGY

ORCAS — DAWN

STARFISH — JAHEIM

KINGFISHERS — ISABEL

KESTRELS — JAHMARI

STARLINGS — ANGEL



BUMBLEBEES — THEO

LADYBIRDS — ETHAN

OWLS — EVELINA

HEDGEHOGS — YILKAL

BADGERS — NIHA

DOLPHINS — ALICE

ORCAS — AALIYAH

STARFISH — CLARIN

KINGFISHERS — CHIMAMANDA

KESTRELS — ALAN.G

STARLINGS — DOLLY

GOLDEN BOOK

Niha & Joshua (Badgers)

- Great Maths thinking

Eva (Starfish) - Fascinating work on fossils

Evelina (Owls) - Amazing handwriting & spellings in her writing

Hannah & Evelin (Hedgehogs) - Amazing handwriting & spellings in her writing



BRONZE:

David, Amber, Nathaniel & Tara
(Owls)

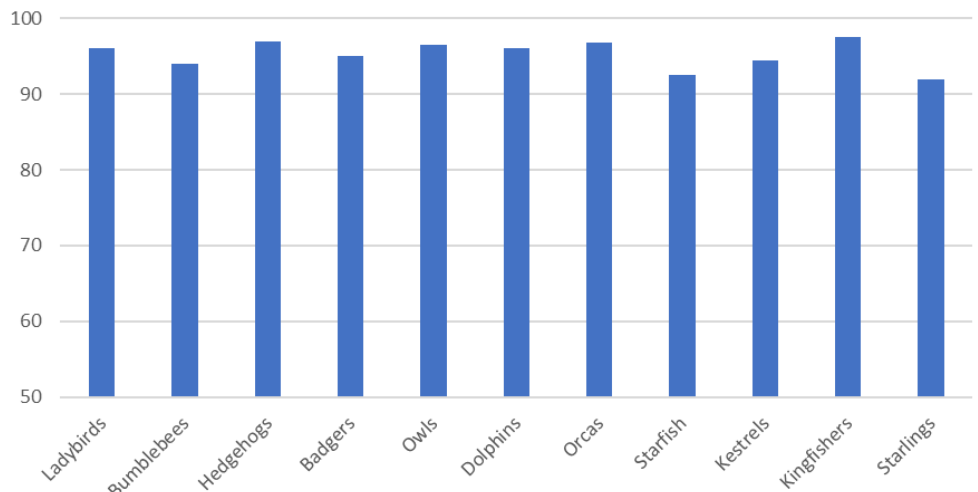
Rupert, Nora & Louis (Orca's)

Jaheim, Flora, Savannah, Thomas,
Finley, Aida, Eva, Axel & Valentina (Starfish)

Attendance

Well done to Hedgehogs & Kingfishers class for over 97% attendance - Amazing!

Attendance for week commencing 18th November 2024



Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 3rd December	2.30pm Concert—Dolphins, Starfish and Ukulele Club
Wednesday 4th December	Christmas Fiesta 3.15pm - 4.45pm *
Tuesday 10th December	YrR Nativity @ TBC
Thursday 12th December	Yr1-2 Nativity @ 2pm-3pm
Tuesday 17th December	Grandparents Tea Party @ 2pm
Wednesday 18th December	YrR-2 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch Day KS1 Christmas Party
Thursday 19th December	Yr3-6 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch Day
Friday 20th December	Yr3-6 Carol Service at 2.15pm
Monday 23rd December - Friday 3rd January	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children
Tuesday 11th February - Friday 14th February	Yr 6 Runways End Residential
Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February	HALF TERM - school closed for all children
Monday 24th February	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Monday 7th April - Monday 21st April	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children
Monday 5th May	BANK HOLIDAY - school closed for all children
Friday 23rd May	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May	HALF TERM - school closed for all children
Friday 4th July	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Wednesday 23rd July - Tuesday 2nd September	SUMMER HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children

*Tokens for the Christmas Fiesta can also be pre-purchased via ScoPay.

Christmas Lunches are also available to order via ScoPay.

Christmas Lunch Menu

**Roast Turkey with Sausage,
Roast Potatoes and
Stuffing**

**Christmas Vegetable
Wellington with Roast
Potatoes**

Peas

Sliced Carrots

Frosted Chocolate Cake

Or

Gingerbread Biscuits



Small changes,
big differences.



Triple P Discussion Group

For parents of Children from 2 Years old.

Learn how to set boundaries and create routines that work for your family.
All sessions will offer basic strategies and ideas for anyone who wants to help their child
to be the best they can be.

Developing a Bedtime Routine

Friday 13th December 2024

10 - 12-30

**Paulsgrove Family Hub, Cheltenham Road,
Paulsgrove, Portsmouth, PO6 3PL**

T: 02392 88 25 88

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE, PLEASE CALL THE FAMILY HUB NUMBER AND
SELECT THE RELEVANT FAMILY HUB FROM THE OPTIONS LIST



www.triplep.net

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Triple P Primary Parenting Course

Suitable for children aged 4 - 8 yrs



WHO IS IT FOR?

Parents or caregivers interested in promoting their child's development and potential or they may have concerns about their child's behavioural problems or simply wish to prevent behaviour problems from developing

Tuesday 14th January to 25th February 9:30—12:00

At

**Paulsgrove Family Hub, Cheltenham Road,
Portsmouth PO6 3PL**

**To book a place please send an e-mail to the Parenting in box at
ParentingService@portsmouthcc.gov.uk**

With your contact details and your child's name and DOB.

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