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NEWSLETTER 12

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have been taking part in a range of exciting experiences including World Book Day, Road Safety training and PTFA School Discos! Early Years have been learning about traditional tales with the adults taking a very active part in some drama work! Year One enjoyed their visit to New Forest Wildlife Park and Year Two took part in story-telling drama activities (this was delivered by Treehouse Theatre – thank you PTFA!). For more information and photographs please see our **latest news blog** or individual **class blogs too!**



School Improvement Priority 1:

To establish high quality first provision in order to raise attainment in reading, writing and maths in all year groups, for all children.

Mathletics

Well done to all of the children that have been regularly using Mathletics at home.

So far this year we have awarded 774 bronze certificates, 131 silver certificates and 22 gold certificates.



Well done to all of you for working so hard!

The children who have received a Gold certificate this year are:

Year One	Year Two
Archie C Freya F Lily H Jack L Lola CT Sebastian JH Matteo LR Alana M Lucas F	Charlotte H Alfie R Hayden W Eliza B Sienna D Sadie J Benjamin S Sebastian S Chloe E Lily G Willow P Harry R Archie R



Our Foundation pupils are also working hard and the following children have received silver certificates. Well done!

Dylan RW Leo T William W Cemre C Oliver C	Elliot W Milo A Alice D Henry- J P Luca C
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Mathletics is costing the school £1814.40 for a year's subscription at a cost of £5.04 per child. As you are aware, we have asked parents for a voluntary donation of £5 per child to cover most of the cost. To date, for this school year we have only received £770. If you are able to, please do send your donation into school in order that we can continue to supply this valuable resource.

Thank you

Debbie Green, Maths Leader

NEW PTFA Event – Alternative Uniform Day

Thursday 2nd April is 'Alternative Uniform Day'. This means that, should you wish, your children can wear different things as stated below:

1. You can wear a different T-shirt and jumper or cardigan.
2. You can wear different trousers or skirt.
3. You can wear trainers.
4. You can wear temporary tattoos or nail varnish.
5. You can have hair dye or hair gel in your hair.
6. You can wear a hat, cap or large hair accessory.

- You pay 50p (on the day) for EACH rule you want to try.
- You can try as many rules as you want.
- Money should be brought into school in the morning and given to class teachers.

The money raised from this mufti will be spent on providing extra experiences to enhance the children's learning.

Race to Tokyo

Thank you very much to all of the families who have contributed to our Race to Tokyo so far. We have managed to cover 2082 miles so far as a school community; enough for us to reach The Ukraine! Please keep sending your miles into school, just hand them on a piece of paper to your child's teacher. Only 7607 miles to go!

Mrs Holbrook, PE Leader

Mathletics



End of Day Supervision

It has been noticed that some children are not being supervised at the end of the day and are climbing upon the roof of the wooden huts and storage areas in the Early Years area. These are not climbing apparatus and we cannot allow children to climb and play on these. They also cost the school a lot of money and we do not wish to see them being damaged or the children being harmed. Please ensure that your children are not putting themselves in dangerous situations. Thank you for your co-operation.



Medicine in School

The school will not give your child **necessary medicine** unless you complete and sign the 'Parental agreement for school to administer medicine' form. This is available to download and print on our school website:



<https://www.christchurchinf.dorset.sch.uk/useful-links-and-forms>

Please note: Guidelines from the school doctor state that "3 times a day" antibiotics should be administered at home. NB Any medication to be kept in school must be clearly labelled with child's name and must be in the original container as dispensed by the pharmacy.

Use of CJS Car Park

Please can our parents not use the CJS car park. Thank you.

Easter Holiday Clubs

FUNTASTIC
EASTER
Holiday Club
GAMES • BAKING • ART AND CRAFT • DRAMA
AND OUR EASTER HUNT!
6th-17th April
COMPETITION FOR THIS HOLIDAY CLUB
IS CREATE YOUR OWN FANTASY ANIMAL
HELD AT THE CHRISTCHURCH INFANT SCHOOL
TO BOOK PLEASE CALL US ON 07591705862 OR EMAIL US
AT
FUNTASTIC101@HOTMAIL.CO.UK

PARISH OF
CHRISTCHURCH
PRESENTS
**JUNGLE
JAMBOREE**
HOLIDAY CLUB
FOR 5 - 11 YEAR OLDS
15TH AND 16TH APRIL
9 AM - 3 PM
ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH + HALL
£5 FOR BOTH DAYS
BOOK TICKETS AT
WWW.CHRISTCHURCHPRIORY.ORG
@ 3 PM ON THE
16TH - FAMILY
CELEBRATION &
REFRESHMENTS
Join us as we
explore the
jungle and
some of Jesus'
stories
CONTACT HEIDI@CHRISTCHURCHPRIORY.ORG
GAMES - SONGS - STORIES - PUPPETS - CRAFTS AND MUCH MORE!

Fab Fridays

Congratulations to the following children for receiving Fabulous Friday Stickers:

Week ending 28th February

Hedgehogs	Mason, Beaux & Conor
Foxes	Ekin, Denny & Jake
Squirrels	Dexter, Joshua W & Aleena
Rabbits	Zac & Frankie

Kingfishers	Ivor & Skye
Woodpeckers	Lily & Eli
Nightingales	Tabitha, Logan & Maizie
Kestrels	Harrison & Hugo

Week ending Friday 6th March

Hedgehogs	Lillie-Mae, Phoebe & Alfie
Foxes	Molly, Poppy & Jack
Squirrels	Austen, Lexi & Lizzie
Rabbits	Flo & Leo

Kingfishers	Marshall & Ben O-M.
Woodpeckers	James & Caitlin
Nightingales	Daisy & Adam
Kestrels	Lily & Violet



Dates for your diary (cut out and keep)

Tuesday 24.3.20	Parent Consultations
Wednesday 25.3.20	Parent Consultations
Wednesday 1.4.20	School Nurse Drop In
Friday 3.4.20	Last Day of Spring Term
6.4.20 – 17.4.20	Easter Holiday
Monday 20.4.20	First Day of Summer Term
25.5.20 – 29.5.20	Half Term Break
Monday 1.6.20	INSET DAY
Wednesday 1.7.20	Transfer Day
Wednesday 8.7.20	Art Exhibition/Open Evening for CIS Open evening at CJS for current Year Two parents and pupils (5 – 6:30pm)
Friday 17.7.20	Last Day of Summer Term
Monday 20.7.20	INSET DAY

INSET Days remaining for 2019-2020:

Monday 1st June 2020

Monday 20th July 2020

INSET Days for 2020-2021:

Thursday 3rd September 2020

Friday 4th September 2020

3 further INSET dates TBC

Kindest regards,

Mr D Baxter