



Christ the King

Pre School Autumn 2 2023—2024

Newsletter



Dear Parents,

I hope you all had a restful break over half-term. We are very excited to continue to develop learning through exploration and play in our environment. This half-term we will be beginning to have a focus week for your child. A tapestry post will notify you when it is your child's week. We will be reading the story Owl Babies and doing activities based on this book. We will also be reciting nursery rhymes and will be starting to look forward to Christmas.

We are very proud of all the Duckling's for settling into the new school year so well and growing in confidence. We are looking forward to seeing how your children will dazzle us this half-term!

Thank you for your continued support.

With warm wishes,

The Pre School Team

Communication

We will be continuing to use Tapestry to communicate to all parents. We will be sending home updates about your child and any pre school/Early Years information via this platform. If you have any pictures or information you would like your children to share or if you have any queries or questions please either send us a message on Tapestry or see one of us at the door. We will be happy to help.



Key Information

Our Gospel value: **Kindness**

This half term our topics name is **It's A Hoot**.

We will be **following the children's interests** and also learning about:

- Our daily routine and class charter
- Bonfire night and keeping safe
- Shapes: what are they called and can we find them in the environment?
- How to take turns and share our toys
- Nursery rhymes: particularly for World Nursery Rhyme Week
- Christmas: Baby Jesus bringing joy to our world
- Christmas songs, crafts and lots of sparkle!

Diary Dates!

Monday 13th-17th November

Anti-Bullying Week

Monday 13th November

Odd Socks Day

Wednesday 15th November

Nursery Rhyme Performance @ 9am

Monday 4th December

Santa's Grotto

Thursday 7th December

PTFA Disco and Christmas Party

Wednesday 13th December

EYFS/KS1 Nativity @2pm

Thursday 14th December

Raffle Draw in School Hall (hot choc, mince pies, choir)

Friday 15th December

End of Term

16th December

PTFA Christmas Fayre

Monday 8th January 2024

Return to School Spring Term



Weather

As the colder weather is returning, please can we ask that your children are dressed warmly.

Please can you ensure that your child has a coat and wellies with them daily and we encourage a winter hat too. Please ensure all clothing is named. Thank you. If your child has a puddle suit they could bring in and keep at pre school this would be brilliant as we do try and get them outside as much as possible.