

The Christ Church

NEWS DESK

Issue 6.3 Friday 24th June 2022

Dear Families,

The children absolutely loved our Music Day, on Thursday, which celebrated 'World Music Day' earlier this week. The day was designed to give children experiences beyond the curriculum – photos are on Dojo and the website so please do take a look. A huge thank you to Miss Kelland and Miss Kiedler for organising such a successful day.

You will have seen from the School Office that we are moving away from **ParentPay** to **Arbor**. In order to be prepared for this change, you will have received an email to set up your account: please do this as soon as possible. Please continue to use ParentPay for now and we will inform you as soon as we move over to Arbor officially. It is a MUCH better system and will streamline communication, payments, trips, dinners and more!

Please ensure your child is applied with sun cream when coming to school in the warmer temperatures.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Flack

'Courage is found in unlikely places.'

J.R.R. Tolkien

Dates for your Diary

Monday 27th June

Year 2 @ The National Gallery
1:30pm – Year 4 Sports Day

Tuesday 28th June

Year 1 @ Walmer Castle
1:30pm – Year 3 Sports Day

Wednesday 29th June

Year 6 @ Lion King in London
Year R & Year 1 @ Guilbenkian to see Zog and the Flying Doctors

Thursday 30th June

Year 5 @ Turner (Olympics)
Year 6 & Beach
1:30pm – Year R Sports Day

Friday 1st July

Year 6 @ Chessington
Year 5 @ Canada Day

Monday 4th July-Wednesday 6th July

Year 6 @ Lower Grange Farm

Tuesday 5th July

Year 4 @ Leeds Castle

A Prayer

Spirit of grace,
You long to gather us beneath your wings of
peace;
Draw us into deeper unity,
And nurture in us your gifts
For the work of justice and reconciliation.

Amen



Select us as your cause

Our aim is to provide all children at Christ Church CEP Academy with art resources and materials that will enable them to take part in creative activities.

We're part of the Local Community Fund

When members buy selected Co-op branded products and services, the Co-op will give local causes a helping hand. Go online coop.co.uk/membership



Free School Meals

Although children in Year R, 1 and 2 receive Universal Free School Meals, the school receives additional funding to spend on the children if you sign up for Free School Meals and are eligible.

Your child may be able to get Free School Meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support Under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190).

You can apply here:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals/kent>

Please do speak to the Office if you would like support with this or more information

Term Dates 2022-2023

Term dates for 2022-2023 are on the Home Page of the website. Please click [here](#) to view them.

Children return on Monday 5th September 2022 (Year 1-Year 6).

Thinking Question of the Week

How can we celebrate differences in our communities?