



Christ Church
CE Primary School

Growing and Learning Together in Christ

Head Teacher: Mrs S. Howard

CHRIST CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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Weekly News & Updates

Well done to Eloise and Archie who were winners in the Bury Hospice Forget Me Not card design competition.



Ice pops and lollies will be on sale for KS1 and KS2 next Wednesday and Friday. Ice pops will cost 50p and lollies £1.00. Pupils can buy them at morning break and after school.

Please try to bring in any loose change you have lying around for the loose change challenge. The class who collects the most money gets a treat! All proceeds go to FRIENDS.

Week commencing 5th May:

Monday:

BANK HOLIDAY - SCHOOL CLOSED

Tuesday:

- Y1,2&3 Team Sports until 4.30pm

Wednesday:

Thursday:

- Y4,5&6 Cricket Club until 4.30pm
- Boys football match at home, kick off 3.30pm

Friday:

- Netball quarter final at school

Pictures from the week



Class attendance this week:

Reception 98%
Ash 98%
Cedar 97%
Elm 96%
Larch 94%
Maple 94%
Oak 96%

This week's home reading champions:

KS1 - Cedar 86%
KS2 - Oak 94%

House Points

Howarth - 70

Wood - 110

Peel - 90

Kay - 40

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Cabin Crew

You are now able to book before & after school club sessions via School Money for the weeks commencing 5th & 12th May 2025.

This week in Cabin Crew After School Club have enjoyed playing out in the lovely sunshine, they enjoyed their lolly pop treat too afterwards to cool down.

In Breakfast Club we had pancakes for our Special Breakfast.

The children have been enjoying playing with our new food and tea set and the our new cars and trucks.



Class Reminders

Seedlings Class:

- Please come in trainers on Thursdays for PE.
- Please have a hat in school and also remember to wear all day sun lotion on sunny days.

Saplings Class:

- Reading books will be changed on a Friday. Please ensure that your child brings their book bag and reading book to school every day.
- Full PE kit needed for PE each Wednesday.

Ash Class:

- Reading books are due in school on Fridays. Please make sure reading records are signed so we can send a new book home.
- Please remember to apply sun cream to your child before school if the weather is nice.

Cedar Class:

- Old Kays Park visit on Tuesday afternoon.
- Forest school will be on Wednesday next week as it is bank holiday Monday
- P.E. Wednesdays and Thursdays.
- Reading books will continue to go out on Fridays to be returned on the following Friday.
- Spelling tests will be held every Friday. Please support children to learn their spellings at home weekly.

Elm Class:

- Please complete the tasks in the blue home work book and return each Monday.
- We will be visiting the library next on Tuesday 6th of May.
- Lines have been sent home for the class assembly. Children do not need to know their line off by heart but we would appreciate your supporting helping them read it fluently! The Class assembly is Wednesday 7th May at 9am. Parents are invited to pop back to class afterwards.
- RHS Bridgewater letter has been sent home, please consent and pay the voluntary contribution.

Larch Class:

- Reading books to be brought in on Tuesdays with a signed reading record.
- PE days are Monday and Thursday.
- Homework will be handed out on Thursdays and to be returned the following Thursday - Please see class page for weekly homework.

Maple Class:

- No homework this half term.
- PE Tuesdays and Wednesdays.
- Reading books and records due in on Thursdays.
- The Robinwood balance to be paid by 16.05.25.
- Robinwood parents meeting on Wednesday 7th May at 5pm in Year 6 classroom.

Oak Class:

- Robinwood and SATS parents meeting on Wednesday 7th May, 5-6pm in Year 6 classroom.
- Guided Reading, maths and spag homework to be handed in on Monday.
- PE Monday and Thursday.
- The Robinwood balance to be paid by 02.05.25.
- Some of the high schools have informed us of the transition days-
- Tottington-Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th June
- Woodhey-Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd July



Golden Book Stars of the Week

Nursery

Ralph, Sam, Daisy-Mae

Reception

Joseph, Meda

Ash

Evie, Carter, Ariya, Meerab

Cedar

Zach, Lilly, Elliott

Elm

Daoud, Abbas, Anna, Annabelle, Isabelle

Larch

All of Larch Class

Maple

Zach, Harriet

Oak

Scarlett, Thomas, Skyla



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Diary Dates

Wednesday 7th May 2025 - Elm Class Assembly

Thursday 5th June 2025 - Y1, Y2 and Y3 Sports Day

Friday 6th June 2025 - Y4, Y5 and Y6 Sports Day

Wednesday 11th June 2025 - Cedar Class Assembly

Wednesday 18th June 2025 - Class Photographs

Friday 20th June 2025 - Summer Fair

Thursday 26th June 2025 - Nursery & Reception Class Assembly

[Term Dates Website Link](#)

Upcoming School Visits

Old Kays Park Visit Year 1 & Year 2- Tuesday 6th May 2025

[Robinwood Y6 Visit - 21st May - 23rd May 2025](#)

Mrs Dowsons Farm, Nursery & Reception Visit - 11th June 2025

[RHS Bridgewater Y3 Visit - Wednesday 9th July 2025](#)

Family Help Community Drop-In's



We know that every family will experience challenges and difficulties at different times in theirs and their children's lives, and that this is completely normal!

However, we also know that sometimes these problems can start impacting on family life, and at times 'asking for help' either seems too daunting, or embarrassing, or you may have no idea where to go, or who to ask for support!

We want to ensure that every family has access to the right help at the right time in the area that they live.

Therefore, our family help team will now be offering weekly drop-in sessions at various locations across the borough, so that parents, carers, grandparents or others!

Can come in and speak to one of our trained practitioners who will be able to offer advice, guidance, and support, or sign post you to the right service who can help.

We can offer one-to-one advice on a range of topics such as:

- Parenting
- Mental Health
- School or college
- Finances
- Parental conflict
- Friendships
- Sexual health
- Domestic abuse
- Family relationships & difficulties
- Substance misuse
- Housing
- General worries or queries

Where to find your local drop in

QR Code



Christ Church Primary School
Walshaw, Tottington, Bury BL8 3AX

Friday 8.45am – 10.30am

Fortnightly (starting Fri 28.02.2025)



PARKS TENNIS

Fred Perry Tennis Trust Community Programme

We have partnered with the Fred Perry Tennis Trust to bring FREE community sessions to juniors across the country!

10 weeks coaching starting w/c 28th April!



Sessions are ideal for those new to tennis, and are run by an LTA Accredited coach. All equipment is provided.

To view all available sessions and to book on visit:

wdtvenues.co.uk/fred-perry



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