

#### **CHRIST CHURCH (CHURCH OF ENGLAND) INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY**

### Newsletter 10 – 24th January 2025

Honesty

Friendship

Kindness

Love

Perseverance

Respect

'Grow and Learn together in the presence of God'

#### Fabulous Finale Day - Friday 14th February

Year 2 – Children are invited to come dressed as a golden ticket or in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

themed outfits or clothing.



Year 1 – Children are invited to come **dressed as superheroes**. During the day, the children will be creating their own Supertato. For this activity please can the children **bring in a potato.** 







Reception – Children are invited to come dressed as a fairytale character.



#### **Polite Reminder for Nursery Parents**

Reminder RE: Importance of collecting your child on time from Nursery.

As you know, our pick-up times are **11:30am** for the morning session and **3:15pm** for the afternoon session.

Timely pick-ups are crucial not only for your child but also for our dedicated staff. They have a quick turnaround between nursery sessions, and when collections are delayed, it affects their lunchtime and preparation for the upcoming session, which starts at 12:15pm. Our team works hard to provide a nurturing environment, and their scheduled breaks are vital for maintaining their energy and focus. Additionally, after nursery hours, the space is transformed to accommodate after-school care for children in Reception through to Year 6. It's essential that we have enough time to set up activities for the older children, and prompt pick-ups help us.

We greatly appreciate your cooperation and understanding in this matter.

#### **Reporting Absences**

Reminder regarding the procedure for reporting school absences to ensure effective communication within our school community.

If your child is going to be absent, please contact the school office via telephone (01902 558945) on the first day of absence.

We kindly ask that you refrain from using Class Dojo to communicate absence messages.

Your cooperation in this matter helps us maintain accurate records and ensures that we can support your child effectively during their time away from school.

Thank you.

#### **Morning Drop Off**

To ensure a calm start to the day, we ask for all children to wait with an adult **on the playground** and not to wait on the slope. We love that our children are all eager to be the first into class however, = we ask for your support to reinforce the need to walk up the slope to prevent injuries and/or collisions.

Thank you.

In church at Christ Church:

# Christingle

for Candlemas

5.00pm, Sunday, 2nd February 2025



Candlemas is 2nd February – 40 days after Christmas – when the church is filled with candle light as we hear the story of how the infant Jesus was presented at the Temple.

Come and share the light!

And look out for the giant, human-sized Christingle!

A collection will be made towards a children's charity.

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#### **Thought for the Fortnight**

Worship Theme: Kindness



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Big question to discuss at home...

## Can kindness change the world?

#### **Diary Dates**

Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	Safer Internet Day
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> February &	Reception Height, Weight and Vision Checks
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	Fabulous Finale Day
	Children break up for February half term at 3:30pm
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> February - Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> February: February Half Term	
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Children return to school and Nursery
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Y2 coffee morning at Juniors 9:30am to discuss the move to the temporary
	classrooms
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day 2025 – further information to follow
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2 visit to Juniors
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Red Nose Day – Children are invited to come to school and Nursery wearing red
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Service in church @ 11:00am— all parents are invited to attend
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	Children break up for the Easter holiday @ 3:30pm
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> April – Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April: Easter Holiday	
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return to school and Nursery