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Christleton Primary School

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Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parents / Carers

### Athletics



A HUGE well done to all of those children who participated in the Sportshall Athletics Competition 2022. The children performed amazingly well and finished 4<sup>th</sup> out of 15 schools which is some achievement. The children, as ever, were a credit to the school. Thank you to all the staff and parents who supported the event with transport etc.

### Residential Trips

Following the success of our Year 4 and 5 residential visits, we are pleased to inform you that we have booked the centres for 2023 and have been able to secure more favourable dates in May and June.

We will be communicating further information about these visits to you and the children in due course. We hope that providing this

information more than a year prior to the residential taking place will assist in budgeting for the cost, which we feel is incredible value for money.



We still have the Year 6 residential to Conway to take place this year which we are very much looking forward to. The letters for this have already been sent out.

### World Book Day

World Book Day is Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March this year. This year it is also the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this event! To celebrate we would like to invite the children (should they wish to) to come into school wearing either party clothes or to dress as their favourite book character. The staff will have planned lots of enjoyable activities to celebrate and will be promoting reading throughout the day.



**18<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

School closes for February half term.

**28<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Children return to school.

**28<sup>th</sup> Feb – 4<sup>th</sup> Mar 2022**

Science Week

**28<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Year 1 trip to Knowsley Safari Park.

**1<sup>st</sup> March 2022**

Notification of high school places.

**2<sup>nd</sup> March 2022**

Year 2 trip to Imagine That!

**3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022**

World Book Day.

**10<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

Year 2 trip to Imagine That!

**14<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

Assessment week.

**29<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

Parents' evening.

**31<sup>st</sup> March 2022**

Parents' evening.

**31<sup>st</sup> March 2022**

School closes for Easter



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## COVID in School

I am pleased to say that the cases of COVID in the Year 3, Year 5 and EYFS classes have reduced since they went over threshold. From Monday the Year 3 and 5 returned to normal and we hope that this will be the case for the EYFS class by the end of the week.



We do still have several COVID-19 cases across school with higher cases currently in Year 4 and Year 6. These two classes are operating under additional measures.

We understand that you may find this concerning. However, it is recognised that education settings may meet the threshold from time to time and we are continuing to monitor the situation and work closely with the UK Health Security Agency and our local Outbreak Management Hub.

Thank you to all the parents in affected classes thus far. Your support has been fantastic and very much appreciated.



**If your child has one of the three main COVID-19 symptoms they should not attend school and should take a PCR as soon as possible.**



High  
Temperature



New  
Persistent  
Cough



Loss of taste  
OR smell



Get a PCR  
test and  
**isolate**

**Please refer to the COVID-19 Update and Measures letter sent to all parents on the 20.01.22 for further guidance should you be unsure.**

[https://www.christletonprimaryschool.co.uk/serve\\_file/4649255](https://www.christletonprimaryschool.co.uk/serve_file/4649255)

We also advised previously that many children are exhibiting different signs and symptoms than the above and to be mindful of sore throats, runny noses, headaches, muscle aches etc.



## Play Equipment

Please can we remind parents that children should not be using the play equipment on either playground at the end of the day. We have noticed increasing numbers of children doing this without supervision. At the end of the day the school staff are ensuring children are dismissed safely before dealing with any enquiries, clearing up and preparing for the next day. They are not on duty on either playground and are not present to supervise children using this equipment. It would be appreciated if parents can remind their children of this rule and ensure at the end of the day that their children are supervised at collection. Your support with this matter is very much appreciated.



## I-pads

The school recently ordered and received several additional iPad's. These devices have been set up and put straight into classrooms. The additional capacity in school will enable several classes to deliver core IT teaching and make use of the educational apps on offer.



These iPad's were directly funded by the PTA. A huge thankyou therefore to all who have supported school, either through assisting in the organisation of events or attending them. Your support makes a huge difference to the school and what we are able to offer our children.

## Your School Lottery

The PTA has set up Your School Lottery. This fundraising initiative is popular with many schools and each ticket raised provides funds for the school. The first draw was on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2022. It is really easy to sign up, just click on the link below and search for the school. Any support you are able to offer would be very gratefully received.



Click: <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play>

Search for: Christleton Primary School Association

## Easy Fundraising

A reminder that you can continue to support the school through the Easy Fundraising site. Easyfundraising turns your everyday online shopping into free donations to the school.

To sign up please follow the link below.



<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/cpsacheater/>

Kind regards,

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## Recent Letters



Theme	Method	Recipients	Date
Year 6 COVID-19 threshold	Email	Year 6	03.02.22
Year four COVID-19 threshold	Email	Year 4	28.01.22
Self-isolation guidance	Email		25.01.22
Year 6 Conway residential	Email	Year 6	21.01.22

Please note, all newsletters can be found on the school website for easy access.

<https://www.christletonprimaryschool.co.uk/page/newsletters/105526>

