

19th January 2024

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A Loving Place, Where we CARE, Learn and Grow Together

Despite the frost and cold that has descended this week, our children have been busy and full of joy inside the building. They have been working hard in lessons, and I have been giving Headteacher awards almost every day for outstanding effort and impressive progress.

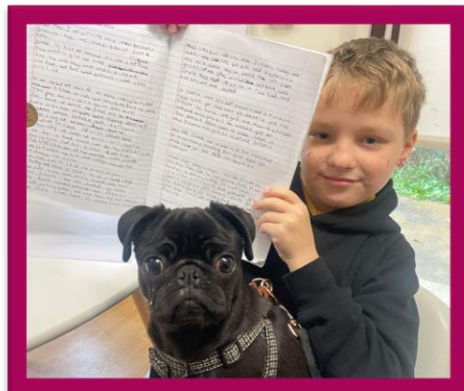
Teachers are busy planning enrichment activities for their classes, to enhance the curriculum and bring learning to life. These learning experiences are always carefully planned to give children a well-considered and carefully planned learning experience outside of the classroom. Unfortunately, due to the rising cost of coach hire, the cost of school trips is rising beyond our control. This is leading to us avoiding certain types of trips completely or seeking more affordable alternatives where possible. Please be reassured, that when we decide to go ahead with a curriculum experience, we always keep costs to a minimum and offer the opportunity to pay over several instalments wherever possible. Please do reach out to us if you have financial difficulties, as there may be ways that we can support you. Unfortunately, if we don't get payment for these trips, they will be unable to go ahead.

Finally, I am thrilled to announce that Miss Barr has had her baby! She gave birth to Caleb on the 11th January, and he weighed 8 ½ pounds. Mum and baby are both doing very well – and we cannot wait to meet him!

Mel Nugent
Headteacher

Headteacher Awards

Here is a snapshot of the headteacher awards for fantastic learning that have been given out recently.








Our School Rewards

The Golden Book

We are very proud of all our children at CtS, a special well done to those that received Golden Book certificates this week!

This Week's KS2 Winners

 Mustard	Natalia
 Rosehip	Neha
 Catkin	Rahma
 Barley	Aaliyah
 Wheat	Peter

This Week's KS1 Winners

 Daisy	Hardy
 Poppy	Laaya
 Pumpkin	Marysia
 Acorn	Avisha

This week the theme was:
____Choices____

The CARE Value Achieved was:
__Excellent Behaviour__

Attendance Bears

KS1— Pumpkin 99%
KS2— Barley 99%
Well done!!

TT Rockstars

TT Rockstars Year 3 – Jeremiah
Year 4 - Abigail Year 5 – Patrick
Year 6 – Jayden and Christos



The House Cup



The team that have earned the most points this week is the GREEN Team
WELL DONE Green TEAM!

Our Choir at Young Voices

Last week, for the second year in succession , the CTS Choir attended the Young Voices Concert. This experience is a real labour of love, as it takes almost 10 months to prepare for the concert! The children have attended a weekly choir, to learn the songs and dance moves in time for our day in the arena! All of this prepares the children for the rehearsals that happen when we first arrive at the arena and take our place in the 6500 strong children's choir!

A huge thank you to all the staff who attended to make the event possible for our children: Mrs Overall, Mrs Palfreyman, Mrs Thompson, Mr Froud and Mrs Inyang.

A huge thank you to Miss Barr and Mrs Palfreyman for all the time spent preparing the children in rehearsals.



Here is 'I' from year 6, wearing his Tshirt design that all of our children wore this year.

'I just thought I would send a quick e-mail regarding the children from Christ the Sower who attended Young Voices yesterday. We attended Young Voices at the same time and our children were sat directly in front of yours. I just wanted to say your children were a credit to you and your school. They behaved beautifully and it was lovely to see them enjoy themselves so much.'

Email received from the headteacher from the school that were sitting near us in the Arena.



Spring Term 2024

January	February	March
	Tuesday 6 February 2024 Year 6 Holdenby House Trip	25 / 26 March 2024 Year 4 Caldecotte residential Tuesday 26 March 2024 Rocksteady Easter Concert at 09.30am