

Christ the Sower Ecumenical School



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Dear Parents,

We have had a very successful first week back at school and it has been wonderful to have the sun shining. While the weather is this warm – please remember to send in named water bottles and a sun hat for your children to wear at breaktimes. The children have settled well back into their new year groups.

Mrs Palfreyman has introduced new home school reading rewards this week – so please be sure to check your child's reading record this weekend and ask them all about it. There will be a letter coming home early next week to explain more about it. Please also continue to ensure that your child is reading at least five times a week.

I have launched a competition to create animal mascots for each of our CARE values (choices, aspiration, reflection, and engagement) Please look out for the flyer, we have an artist who has agreed to create professionally drawn characters for the winning designs – so it would be wonderful to have as many entries as possible to choose from! The closing date is the 29th of September.

Do we have any parents who work in STEM careers/services/industries who would be prepared to come in and talk to our children? We are holding a whole school Aspirational Stem week on the week commencing the 18th of September. Please get in touch with the office or Mrs Wilson Andoh if you can help out – thank you in advance for all of your support.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mel Nugent

Uniform -A polite reminder

 \cdot The black CTS hoodie is part of the PE uniform and not for daily use. Pupils must have a maroon school jumper to wear on non-PE days. The black CTS hoodie is an optional item of clothing,

 \cdot We have noticed that throughout school there are some children who are regularly wearing 'Non - Uniform' shoes. Children are asked to wear plain black shoes (not trainers or boots).

 \cdot Girls' skirts must be long enough to cover the thigh and end three fingers above the knee. We currently have girls who are wearing skirts that are far too short for school wear.

 \cdot Girls are (of course) allowed to wear shorts, but these must be smart uniform shorts, made from cotton/polyester material – and not Lycra/cycling shorts and be knee length.

 \cdot Lycra/cycling shorts can be worn underneath skirts of course.



