



# The Cathedral School

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Friday 23rd April 2021

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear All

On Tuesday next week, the staff will be sending an interim report marking our assessment at the end of last term. For Year's 1 -5 this will indicate where the children are working "below, within, secure or greater depth" for the end of the spring term. Of course, we are moving quickly and in the case of Year 6, they have mock SATS tests next week so their interim reports will come out on Friday to indicate that position as well.

These reports will provide targets as well so that we can continue to work in partnership to help the children reach the year

expectations. Full reports are due at the end of term in July.

EYFS has a new framework this year that does not assess until the end of the year, however, their teachers have provided information as well, but it looks a little different to the statutory Key Stage year groups.

Every week seems to bring big change: the children grow more confident back in the school environment and as the road map moves on, we are looking forward to the next steps. We have plans in hand for the Year 6 activities to replace school journey. Year 6 parents will be provided with more information shortly. It is not expected that we will be able to return to normality but we should be able to restart some extra-curricular activities after half term. Please note this year the staff training day is **before** not after **half term**; everyone should be in on 7<sup>th</sup> June.

What Sports Day will look like is not yet clear, I think we have to assume that the children will have these experiences but without parents onsite at the moment.

Today, our new additional group room arrived; this is the additional learning space needed for teaching. If you have not seen it, it is at the Riverside end and is known as "The Cabin", for obvious reasons.



Finally, congratulations to Miss Southward who has achieved her doctorate today and Mr Barber in the kitchen, who smashing his patisserie course!

Wishing everyone a happy weekend

Linda Wiskin

### Events Calendar

Apr 27	PTA Meeting
Apr 28	KS1 Swimming Lessons Class 3 Class 4 & Class 5 Last swimming lesson 23rd June
Apr 29	YFS Swimming Lessons Class 1 (Mrs Grover) & Class 2 (Mrs Dippenaar) Last swimming lesson 24th June
May 03	Bank Holiday
May 28	Non Pupil Day
May 31	Bank Holiday
Jun 01	Summer Half Term
Jun 07	First Day of Summer Term (2)



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## Weekly Special Achievement Awards

### EYFS

Hannah B

Ronnie C

### Lower School

Abigail T

Bella S

Holly H

### Middle School

Harrison L

Robert P

Akosua T-M

### Upper School

Jayden L

Miranda B

Jacob G

## Lunch Menu week commencing 26th April 2021

### THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

#### Menu Week 3

MONDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Mac Cheese</b> Garlic bread Peas & Sweetcorn Side salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Jacket Potato</b> (filling choice of beans or cheese or tuna at the counter) Side salad	<b>Dessert</b> Yoghurt Fruit Bar
TUESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Sausage &amp; Mash</b> Mash Potatoes Peas, Carrots & Gravy Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Quorn Sausage &amp; Mash</b> Mash Potatoes Peas, Carrots & Gravy Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Cheese &amp; Carrot Wrap</b> Side Salad <b>Dessert</b> Lemon Drizzle Cake Fruit Bar
WEDNESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Roast Chicken Thighs</b> Boneless Yorkshire Pudding Seasonal Vegetables Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Quorn Fillet with Cheese &amp; Tomato Topping</b> Yorkshire Pudding Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Ice Cream Pots Fruit Bar
THURSDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Beef Meatballs</b> in a rich tomato sauce served on rice Side salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Falafels</b> in a rich tomato sauce served on rice Side salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> <b>Ham &amp; Tomato Roll</b> Side salad <b>Dessert</b> Oat Cookie Fruit Bar
FRIDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Fish Fingers</b> Herb Diced Potatoes, Peas & Baked Beans Side salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Cheese &amp; Leek Quiche</b> Herb Diced Potatoes, Peas & Baked Beans Side salad	<b>Dessert</b> Ginger Cookies Fruit Bar

Please remember to pre-order lunches on SCOPAY even if your child is bringing in a packed lunch from home.

Instructions can be found on our [website/parent's page](http://cathedralschool.co.uk/parent-parents-page) Many thanks.



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## PTA News



Adventure Island wristbands are available  
from the school office for a flat fee of:

# £15

(internet price £20, On the day price £25)

**Limited availability: Sealife Tickets £7 and Adventure Golf £5**

Coloured wristbands are no longer being offered, but should still be valid. Children measuring under 120cms will face some ride restrictions, however an adult can ride with them for free as part of Adventure Island's Go On Together promise. See the adventure Island website for more details.

To purchase tickets please put exact money in a sealed named envelope with quantities required

### PTA meeting Tuesday 27th April 2021 Evening

Although we may not have been able to of been active of late in our fundraising, we are looking forward to the future when we can run events again.

If you would like to attend the online meeting please contact [pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk](mailto:pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk)



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## House Points - Christy lead

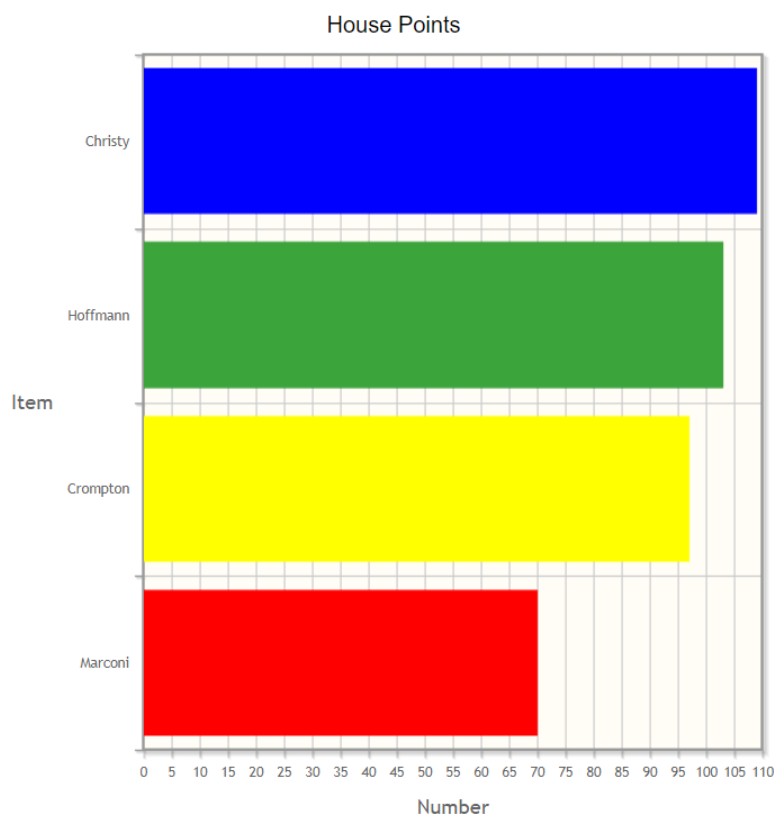
With house points awarded in the last two weeks Christy currently lead  
The Cathedral School House Point Competition.

Hoffmann and Crompton are not too far behind and with a strong  
performance from Marconi in the next few weeks it looks like we will have  
a close competition this year.

Item	Number	
Marconi	70	
Crompton	97	
Hoffmann	103	
Christy	109	
Total:	379.00	

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## School Crossing Patrol



We continue to have one patrol officer at the Victoria Road crossing.

Please take due care and attention when crossing to and from the school and please make suitable arrangements for any unaccompanied children.

Please can we ask parents not to congregate near the crossing as this is causing confusion for the patrol officer.

Please note there are alternative safe crossing points in the area including the traffic light crossings by the bridge and the police station.