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Friday 26th November 2021

Head Teacher's Message

Dear All,

This week we have had the theme of Team work and looked at what skills and qualities are needed to be a successful team. The children have been very clear about the need for trust; trusting everyone to fulfil their part.

The team work in school continues with enterprise this week. You will be able to buy the products the children have produced by a visit to the Frost Fair tomorrow.

Although the fair is essentially outside and we will all be in our warmest coats, hats, gloves and scarves, the queue to visit Father Christmas will be through Class 11 and use the end of the corridor to keep people warm! Children's games can also come into a classroom, class 4 as long as the people inside are only children, Year 6 pupil helpers with the adult supervising.

Please see the pictures of the chains the children contributed to the Cathedral giant paper chain of environment pledges and promises.

Today, the tradition of having a Full Governing Body meeting in school time continued with Year 6 children visiting the meeting to both answer and ask questions of the Governors. This was a particularly interesting conversation with challenging questions on both sides. This together with the imminent Ofsted report will help the Governors shape the future of the school strategically.

Thanks to everyone in anticipation for your support in helping, decorating, attending or providing items or supporting the raffle online!

Best wishes

Linda Wiskin



Notices

Unless otherwise stated, clubs for this term will finish in the week beginning Monday 6th December.

Calendar Events

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| Dec
01 | PTA Wreath Making Workshop |
| Dec
06 | KS1 Christmas Production 'The Inspectors!' 1:30 pm |
| Dec
08 | EYFS & Year 6 Health Checks |
| Dec
08 | KS1 Christmas Production 'The Inspectors!' 1:30 pm |
| Dec
09 | KS1 Christmas Production 'The Inspectors!' 5:30 pm |
| Dec
13 | Carol Service
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm @ Cathedral |
| Dec
15 | EYFS Christmas Production 'The BIG little Nativity' 2:00pm |
| Dec
16 | EYFS Christmas Production 'The BIG little Nativity' 2:00pm |
| Dec
17 | Last Day of Autumn Term |
| Jan
04 | Non Pupil Day |
| Jan
05 | Pupils First Day of Spring Term (1) |

[SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)



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Bauble Workshop Next Week



We are delighted to let you know that we have managed to secure a 'Bauble' workshop for all of the children at school next week. Every child in the school will take part in the professional bauble-decorating workshop in class groups.

In order to make the workshop possible, we will require a small payment of £2 per bauble (per child). This is at a reduced rate as the school are also contributing to the payment of the workshop. Without the school contribution, the cost would be £5 per child. Any baubles that are not paid for by the date can be purchased before the end of term. Unfortunately, any unpurchased baubles will not be able to go home.

We are looking forward to a festive start to December and look forward to seeing the finished products!

Lunch Menu week commencing 29th November 2021

THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

Week 2

MONDAY	OPTION 1 PIZZA Pepperoni Side Salad	OPTION 2 PIZZA Margherita Side Salad	OPTION 3 Cheese or Ham Filled Roll Side Salad	Dessert Peaches & Cream Fruit Bar
TUESDAY	OPTION 1 Sausage Roll with Cheesy Mash Baked Beans Side Salad	OPTION 2 Veggie Sausage Roll with Cheesy Mash Baked Beans Side Salad	OPTION 3 Tuna or Cheese Wrap Side Salad	Dessert Iced Chocolate Sponge Fruit Bar
WEDNESDAY	OPTION 1 Roast Gammon Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli Side Salad	OPTION 2 Quorn Fillet Topped with Cheese Carrots & Broccoli Side Salad		Dessert Strawberry Cheese Cake Fruit Bar
THURSDAY	OPTION 1 Spaghetti Bolognese Garlic Bread Side Salad	OPTION 2 Veggie Bolognese Garlic Bread Side Salad	OPTION 3 Jacket Potato (various fillings available to be chosen at the counter) Side Salad	Dessert Rice Krispie Cakes Fruit Bar
FRIDAY	OPTION 1 Fish Fingers Chips, Peas or Baked Beans Side Salad	OPTION 2 Cheese and Tomato Quiche Chips, Side Salad		Dessert Yummy Lolly 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's-page)



Nut Free School The school aims to protect children who have allergies to nuts, We do not allow nuts or nut products in school lunch boxes or in their snacks.

Please can we remind parents to cut grapes in half.

Thank you for co-operation.



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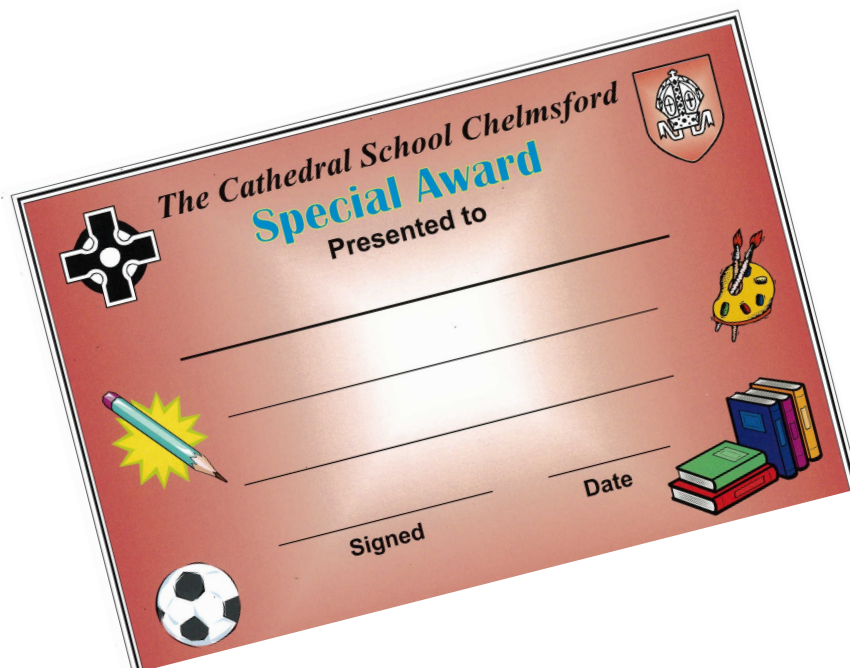
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Weekly Special Achievement Awards



EYFS

Stanley J

Thanvikhaa R-B

Lower School

Elodie G

Raffy H

Gabriel B

Middle School

Gilana A

Abigail O

Carrigan C

Upper School

Akosua T-M

Isabella F

Teddy D

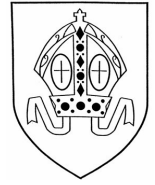


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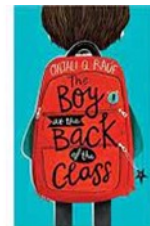
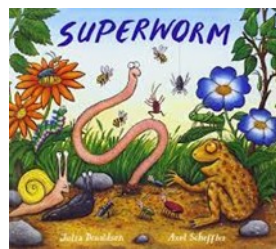
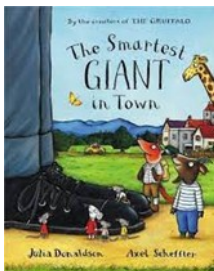
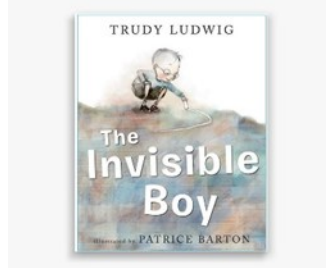
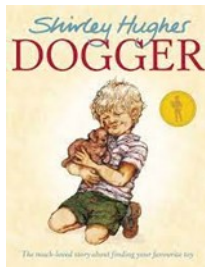
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GROW YOUR WELL-BEING



RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

Following on from anti-bullying week and the theme of **ONE KIND WORD**, here are some of the books we share at school for promoting random acts of kindness:



You will find suggestions of Random Acts of Kindness on our well-being board, which is outside class 9.



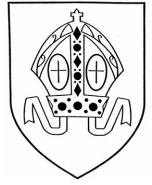


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Children in Need

On Friday 19th November we all enjoyed wearing spots and Pudsey ears to raise money for Children in Need. We are pleased to announce that the final figure for the amount raised was £749! Thank you so much for your support, we know the money you have donated will go to help children that need it the most.



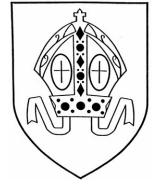


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PTA NEWS



We're very excited that we're able to bring back this popular
Christmas event!

Wrap up Warm and come to:

Santa's Grotto

Snow Dome

Bottle Tombola

Children's enterprise

Hot Dogs and Burgers

Hot & Cold Drinks

Mulled wine/Licenced Bar

Lots of Stalls including 2nd hand uniform & books

Children's Games Room



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CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

PRIZES INCLUDE

A BREAK IN A WELSH HOLIDAY COTTAGE

CHRISTMAS TURKEY

£50 SMYTHS VOUCHER

£250 NUMBER SIX VOUCHER

BENEFIT COSMETICS HAMPER

BOOTCAMP SESSION

DRINKS HAMPER



..... AND MORE!

The more tickets you buy the greater the chance of winning! All proceeds go to the PTA.

Tickets can be purchased via:

<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/cathedral-school-pta-christmas-raffle-2021>

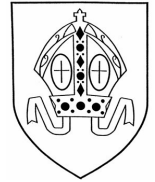


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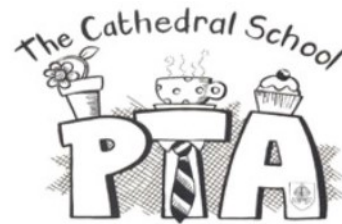
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CHRISTMAS WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP

Last year some of you ordered beautiful Christmas wreaths from Mel's Blooms. This year Mel's offering an evening workshop to create your own bespoke wreath.

£45



1 DECEMBER

7pm – 9.30pm



Purchase tickets at:

<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/event/cathedral-school-pta-christmas-wreath-making>

Includes all materials, full instruction, refreshments and a mince pie

LIMITED AVAILABILITY



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Supporting your Neurodiverse Child

Family Information Pack

Essex Family Forum, alongside other services and parents, have produced an informative pack containing information about how to support neurodiverse children. The pack can be downloaded by clicking on the link

<http://www.essexlocaloffer.org.uk/supporting-your-neurodiverse-child/?fbclid=IwAR0IJKYYOXIRFtY45Tk3exAVurvde6BOvhJ1xNBGOPGOp3A6azZ4KSFOC44>

If you would like to request a hard copy, please click on this link <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YRNC6P8>



**Supporting your
Neurodiverse Child -
Family Information Pack Launch!**

Written by parents for parents

You spoke - we listened.
You told us there is a need for information about how to help support your neurodiverse children.

Essex Family Forum is proud to have worked with parents from Send the Right Message Southend, Takiwātanga Support Services and professionals from across Health, Education, and Social Care to produce a pack of useful information for families with a neurodiverse child.

This pack includes information about the diagnosis process, how to get support for your child at school, health and wellbeing and much more. The team have shared their own experiences and hints and tips, along with those of parents, carers and young people from across Essex, Southend and Thurrock. There are also signposts to useful books, blogs and online resources which are all tried and tested resources that the team have used and found helpful.

To access the pack, please use the link above.
If you require a hard copy, head over to our website to register, they should be available later in the year!



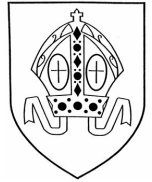
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Prospective New Parent School Tours Pupils Due to Start Reception September 2022

School visits for next years' intake into EYFS are limited to 6 people at a time and will take place on the following dates :

Tuesday 30th November 11am

Wednesday 1st December 9am

Wednesday 8th December 9am

Tours should last approximately 45mins

Please contact the school office to book an appointment.

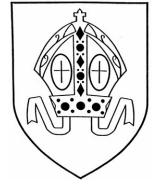


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Sign up to the Winter Reading Challenge and be entered into a prize draw to win one of these fantastic prizes!

- **Explore Essex Explorer Passes**, valid for one year.
- **Sky Ropes Session for two**, to be taken by 31 August 2022 (subject to availability). Min age of two for the junior course, min height of 1.22m for the main course.
- **Essex Outdoors school holiday activity days**, for one child aged 8-16, to be taken by 31 August 2022 (subject to availability).
- **Wilderness Foundation activity afternoon**, Chatham Green centre, for children aged 5-11 (and their parents and siblings) to be taken Saturday 26 April 2022.
- **Signed books**, from authors Emma Beswetherick, Catherine Emmett and Vassiliki Tzomaka.
- **Love Essex goodie bags.**

Full terms and conditions can be found on our website:
libraries.essex.gov.uk

