



Christ Church CofE Primary School Newsletter

8th April 2022

Covid Update

Re: Changes to COVID guidance and what to do if your child is unwell

As you will know, from 1 April 2022 free universal testing for COVID-19 is no longer available for most people.

Attending face to face education or childcare is hugely important for children and young people's health and their future. As we learn to live safely with coronavirus (COVID-19), the imperative remains to reduce disruption to children and young people's education.

As the national guidance has changed, the information below explains what you should do if your child is unwell or has a positive test result for COVID-19.

Children who are unwell

Children and young people with mild symptoms (e.g. a runny nose) who are otherwise well will be advised to continue to attend their education setting.

Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.

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Positive COVID-19 result

Any child or young person with a positive COVID-19 test result (for example through private testing) should try to stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people for 3 days after the day they took the test. They can return to their educational setting after 3 days if they feel well and do not have a high temperature.

An adult with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home for 5 days after they took the test.

[Easter Egg Competition](#)



Congratulations to all of the children who did such a fantastic job decorating eggs this year, we had some amazing designs and every single one would have been a worthy winner. Unfortunately, there could be just two winners from each class- Check out our website for the winners.

**Running at John Spence School
Monday 11th - Thursday 14th April
9am-3pm**

Fully funded places for children receiving free school meals

 *The* **Holiday Club**

**EASTER
2022**

£20 per day or £72 for all 4 days

Packed lunch included

**For more information and to book email:
theholidayclublowfell@gmail.com**



Sorry you are Leaving



Today is a sad day where we say goodbye to Mrs Briggs who has been a lunchtime supervisor with us for over a year. Mrs Briggs has been an amazing addition to the school team and has worked so hard to ensure that the children have the best possible lunchtime experience. Her enthusiasm to help and support the children is amazing. During her time with us she has been a Christmas elf and even a footballer/referee in training!

The staff and children all wish her lots of luck as she moves on to a new adventure at a different school - they are lucky to have you.

Queens Jubilee



As you will be aware this year marks 70 years of the queen being on the throne. In order to celebrate we would like to hold a big celebration event on Wednesday 25th May. This will take the form of a garden party.

Each class has been given a decade to go away, research and create a presentation of some sort that they will share with parents on that afternoon.

We have also organised for each class to design a 'Queen's Pudding' that will be made using the facilities at John Spence. This will then be judged during the afternoon and a class prize awarded for the best one. Judging will be by Steffi, owner of the Chocolate Smiths.

<https://www.thechocolatesmiths.com/>

Next term we will be providing children, for a donation, with a piece of willow that they will name and plant to create a willow wall in school. This will do down the side of the school, attached to the fence where the main road is. I will be in touch after Easter with further details.

If you have any suggestions or would like to help at the event in any way, please complete the attached form and we will look at them during the meeting on the 27th April

<https://forms.gle/YB2fNaSNh49N95Ad8>

Dates for the diary-

Breakup for Easter Holidays - Friday 8th April

School opens for the Summer Term- Tuesday 26th April

Friends of Christ Church Meeting- 27th April at 9am

Thursday 28th April- Active Mile Day

Monday 2nd May- School closed for bank holiday

Friday 6th May- Coffee morning to discuss and support mental health and wellbeing

Monday 9th May- Key Stage Two SATS start (year 6 children)

School will be closed on Friday 20th May for the Queens Jubilee

Thursday 19th May- Children in years 2-6 to visit John Spence to back their pudding. Children in nursery -year 1 will use the kitchen in reception and nursery (unless they decide on a no cook recipe!)

Wednesday 25th May- Queen's Jubilee Garden Party

It has been a fantastic Spring term here at Christ Church and the children have worked so hard and made incredible progress. Thank you to everyone that attended parents evening this week - please contact school if you didn't manage to make it and would like an appointment. We are really excited to the summer term and having more and more exciting events for parents and children to take part in.

Thank you for all for your support and I hope you have a fantastic Easter holiday.

See you on Tuesday 26th April

Mrs. Bradford