

Weekly Newsletter

16th October 2026

Welcome!

Show Racism The Red Card





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Key dates

- Tuesday afterschool netball club
- Wednesday Year 5 and 5 Trip to Sherman Theatre. 3.00pm Year 3 parent celebration
- Thursday Year 4 Class Mass 9:30am CTK Church
- Friday - INSET DAY

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Attendance

Parents are reminded that any type of absence from school must first be requested by email to Mrs Miles at christthekingprm@cardiff.gov.uk

For safeguarding reasons any late arrivals must be accompanied to the Junior playground gate and handed over to a member of staff by an adult.

If your child is unwell, we request a telephone absence message or email to be left before 9.30am giving the nature of the illness/reason for absence.

Class	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance	86.36%	95.52%	95.86%	97.33%	97.73%	96.55%	94.67%
Minutes late	15	0	14	27	13	0	11

Junior Club Halloween Party

The Junior Club is holding its annual halloween party this evening in the parish centre,

6.30 - 8.30pm. Admission £1, includes, fun, games, disco and an icelolly. Seets on sale as usual.

All in years 3 to 6 are very welcome.

PLEASE NOTE IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT WE HAVE YOUR CHILD'S EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS.

PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO COMPLETE THIS VERY SHORT FORM; https://form.jotform.com/220573374606355

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Apply now for the School essentials Grant

If you receive certain benefits, you could get help towards the cost of uniform and school supplies for your child.

You will be entitled to a payment of £125
if your child:
- **attends a maintained primary school**
- **attends a maintained secondary school, or**
- **is aged between 4 to 15 and attends a special school, special needs resource base, or pupil referral unit.**

If your child is starting year 7, you will get £200.

The grant is also available to any looked after child that attends a Cardiff school.
For more information and to apply, follow this link:
https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/schoolessentialsgrant

For any other information on grants, follow this link:
https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/article/2712/Education-and-school-costs

Harvest collections

As the harvest season continues, it's a wonderful opportunity to teach our children about the importance of giving and community support.

Our local Foodbank is collecting non-perishable food items to help families in need, and your contributions can make a significant difference.

Perhaps on your next shopping trip you could encourage your children to pick out items from the shopping list below.

This simple act of kindness not only helps those in need but also instils values of empathy and generosity in your children.

Let's come together this harvest time to support the Foodbank and show our children the power of community spirit.

The Foodbank will be collecting our donations

next Thursday, 22nd October.

Donations will be gratefully received.

Cardiff Foodbank
Together with Trussell

Most needed items:

Biscuits
Chocolate
Long-Life milk
Mayonnaise/ Tomato Sauce
Snacks (e.g. crisps, cereal bars, etc)
Sponge puddings
Squash
Sweets
Deodorant
Shampoo
Washing powder
Washing up liquid