



**Trinity CE
Primary School**
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TRINITY E NEWS

OCTOBER 2021

Dear Trinity Community,

Our first full month back at Trinity has been successful! The children have settled into their new classes with their friends, support staff and teachers. Spirits have been high and the weather has certainly been kind.

A warm welcome to all our new starters including the new intake of reception children who have settled into Trinity brilliantly. All the children have been amazing. Two years of Covid restrictions and an experienced member of staff commented, 'It's like Covid never happened. They have settled in so quickly'.

Well done to all the wonderful Trinity children!

Warmest wishes
Beatriz Melero

CHILD PROTECTION AND SAFEGUARDING

This is an essential part of our work at Trinity and we have a statutory duty as outlined in Keeping Children Safe in Education (September 2021). Our Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy can be found on our website.

Our Designated Safeguarding Leads are Mrs Beatriz Melero (Headteacher) and Miss Caroline Newman (Deputy Head) with Deputy Designated Leads being Miss Holly Chaplin (SENDCO) and Mrs Emma Bradbury (KS1 Teacher). We would recommend everyone is aware of our school policy as Child Protection and Safeguarding requirements have changed significantly over the last few years.

COVID-19 UPDATE

Educational settings are no longer required to identify close contacts, however, at Trinity, we will continue to support and advise our community in order to maintain your safety, the safety of our employees and to safeguard your child's education in the classroom.

The main symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are a high temperature, a new, continuous cough and a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste. Please continue to book a PCR test and remain at home pending the result.

We strongly encourage all of our school community to take a Lateral Flow Test twice weekly in order to keep us all safe. Staff continue to administer LFTs twice a week. Thank you for your support with this.

Please refer to the link below which provides advice if you are feeling unwell.

<https://www.frimleyhealthandcare.org.uk/media/2249/frimley-know-where-to-go-when-feeling-unwell-a4-poster-final.pdf>

HARVEST FESTIVAL

The children will be going to a Harvest Festival Services at Holy Trinity Church on Wednesday 6 October. Unfortunately we are unable to accommodate parents at the service this year. A huge thank you for your kind and generous donations and essential items. The church is now full of food, ready to be distributed to those who need it. Thank you!





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HENLEY LITERARY FESTIVAL 2021

Next week, the children from Trinity will be attending various events at the Henley Literary Festival. We are really looking forward to taking part in the festival and spending time with lots of incredible authors. A big thank you to FOTS for their donation towards our attendance at this event and to the parent volunteers who are helping out on the days too.

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

On **Friday 8th October**, it will be World Mental Health Day. Children may come to school in an item or accessory of yellow clothing but we would like them still be in school uniform.

Please could you make a voluntary contribution of £1, in a bucket, as the children come into class. This money will be sent off to www.youngminds.org.uk to support others less fortunate.

Many thanks, Mrs Williams, PSHE Co-ordinator

BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2021

Throughout the month of October we will be celebrating Black History Month at Trinity. Each week in class the children will be looking at a different inspirational figure from Black history, starting with Nelson Mandela on Monday, moving onto Katherine Johnson the following week and then finally Tessa Sanderson. We will also be listening to music by Black musicians each day throughout October and discussing their impact. On the 21st October the children will be coming off timetable for a **Black History Day of Culture**, taking part in Art, Dance and Music activities as well as having the opportunity to perform a song they have learned as a phase to the rest of the school. Finally, there will be a whole school homework project which we will release details of next week. We are really looking forward to Black History Month at Trinity and will post regular updates on Class Dojo of all of the activities that the children take part in.

CROSS COUNTRY



A cross country event was held at Grey's Court on Saturday 25th September 2021. Well done to all the children who took part. It was a fabulous turnout and all the children represented Trinity with pride. Some of the results are below:

Year 2 Boys Race – Max came 1st and Leonardo came 3rd

Year 2 Girls Race – Maisie came 2nd

Year 4 Girls – Ella came 3rd

Year 6 Girls – Isabella came 3rd

Good luck to all those taking part in the Cross Country Events coming up this weekend and throughout the season.

HEALTHY PACKED LUNCH

A gentle reminder:

- Packed lunches should include a healthy sandwich, yoghurt, fruit, a bag of crisps, a biscuit etc.
- We do not allow sweets, chocolate, fizzy drinks or any products containing nuts.
- Please remember, we are a NUT FREE school as we have several children with an allergy to nuts. This includes peanut butter and Nutella.



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DIARY DATES

Black History Month	October 2021
Harvest Festival Service	Wednesday 6 October at Holy Trinity Church (<i>Children Only</i>)
Henley Literary Festival FSU	Monday 4 October
FOTS Second Hand Uniform Sale	Tuesday 5 October 2:30pm-3:30pm
Y5/Y6 Welcome Meeting	Tuesday 5 October 3:45pm-4:15pm
Henley Literary Festival Y5&6 / Y1&2	Thursday 7 October
Henley Literary Festival Y3&4	Friday 8 October
KS1 Welcome Meeting	Friday 8 October 3:45pm-4:15pm
FOTS Disco (<i>Details to Follow</i>)	Friday 15 October
Virtual Parent Consultation Meetings	Tuesday 19 October 1.30-7pm (<i>Booking Opens 4 Oct 9am</i>)
Half Term Break	Monday 25 – Friday 29 October 2021
Anti- Bullying Week: One Kind Word	15 -19 November
FOTS Christmas Bazaar	Friday 10 December
KS1 (FSU, Yr 1 & 2) Christmas Lunch	Tuesday 14 December
KS2 (Yr 3,4,5 & 6) Christmas Lunch	Wednesday 15 December
End of Autumn Term	Friday 17 December 2021 at 1.15pm After Lunch
Inset Day	Tuesday 4 January 2022 – No School Today
Back to School for Spring Term	Wednesday 5 January 2022
Half Term Break	Monday 21 – Friday 25 February 2022
SATS Week	WB Monday 9 May
Half Term Break	Monday 30 May – Friday 3 June 2022
End of Summer Term	Tuesday 19 July at 1.15pm After Lunch
Inset Days	Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 July 2022 – No School