



# COURTHOUSE GREEN

## NEWSLETTER

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### *Doing our best to be our best*

#### **From Mrs Malam**

We have had a wonderful start to the new school year, with so many new children and families joining Courthouse Green, we have all been so proud of the way the children have started this school year. It has been a real pleasure to see the new children all settle into nursery and reception so well and the rest of the school focused and ready for learning.

Our focus for this year is "Every child will succeed" and we are ensuring all teaching and work with adults in school is helping every child achieve this goal. We will have parents evening at the end of term and I am sure you will be wowed by the progress in the children's book and work on the I pads.



#### **Y5 Learning for this week**

As part of our 11 B4 11 programme, we had an amazing camp with our Year 5 children at Rough Close last week. The children took part in lots of activities to show their core values in action, including tunnelling, wall traversing, building chariots and pitching a tent! After toasting marshmallows and lots of singing around the campfire they then slept in their tents. The children were amazing and made all of the adults so proud with their kindness, bravery and collaboration. It really was a fantastic event enjoyed by all.

#### **Reading**

Helping your children practise reading at home and sharing stories together gives your children a great boost in school. Please read and sign your child's reading diary at least 3 times a week to help your child make great progress this year.



#### **Keeping in touch**

Please remember that there are several ways to get in touch with us at school. You can make contact via the office on 02476 688022, via email [cgadmin@triumphtrust.co.uk](mailto:cgadmin@triumphtrust.co.uk) and via Class Dojo. Please also remember to look at our Facebook and Instagram pages to keep up to date with what is happening in school.

#### **Important Dates**

- Monday 31st October 2022 – INSET day
- Monday 21st November 2022 – INSET day
- Tuesday 3rd January 2022 – INSET day

#### **Free School Meals**

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Your child may be entitled to receive Free school meals which not only gives them a free meal every day at lunchtime but also entitles them to attend the holiday activity clubs free of charge. Please use this link below to see if your child is eligible for the funding.

<https://www.courthousegreen.org/policies/school-policies/>



# Y6 Application to secondary school

Next Tuesday we will send all Y6 children home with a booklet about the secondary school options available to them. All parents must submit an application online for their child for a secondary school place by 31st October 2022. There is further information about applying on this link. <https://www.coventry.gov.uk/school-admissions/secondary-school-admissions/4>

There are lots of secondary school open evenings and events to give parents and children the chance to look around together. Please follow the link to see when the dates are. If you have any questions about applying please come and speak to a member of staff in school.

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/school-admissions/secondary-school-open-evenings>

## Y6 to Skern

**Early this morning we waved goodbye to our Y6 children who have headed off to Devon as part of their residential adventure weekend where they will be learning to surf, climb, abseil, kayak as well as be away from home taking responsibility for all their equipment. We can't wait to hear all about it when they return on Monday evening.**

## Behaviour policy

The behaviour at Courthouse Green is excellent, this is seen day in, day out in school and is always commented on by visitors and governors when they visit us. At the beginning of the year, we revised and updated our policy and the children have really lived up to the high expectations set for them. Our policy is based on building positive relationships as we know this is what will help children thrive both in school and beyond. <https://www.courthousegreen.org/policies/school-policies/>

## Healthy Eating



**We are a healthy eating school. At playtime we ask children to have a healthy snack as we know this helps them concentrate in class as well as have the energy they need for learning. We do not allow crisps, chocolate or sweets at playtime. Thank you for your support with this. All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are provided with fruit at playtimes.**

## Class Dojo

**I hope that by now you have all had your log in details to class dojo. This is our new system that we are using in school to reward children for always showing our core values. We have 6 core values that we teach the children, and we talk about them through all aspects of their learning.**

# Attendance

**Please make sure that your child is in school, on time every day for their learning. We take the register at 8.50am as the first lesson starts at 8.55am. Please make sure that your child is in school on time so that they make the very best progress possible every day in their learning. If your child is absent, please phone the school office before 9am.**

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