

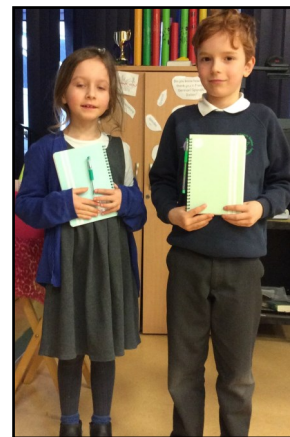
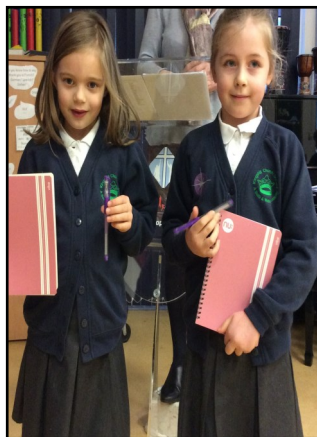


**Kingshill Church School**  
**Friday 28 February 2020**  
**Learning, Community and Friendship**

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to Term 4! This year seems to be rushing by....let's hope the weather improves as we move towards thinking about Easter...

This week we held our annual Spelling Bee. Well done to our finalists Marcus, Freddie, Iggy, Kalan, Naomi, Dottie, Tosia, Sam, Ria, Phoebe, Megan, Esther, Lucy and Erin and well done to everyone who tried really hard to learn how to spell those geography words! Thank you too if you managed to raise some money for us to help support the 'Haven of Peace' children's home in Myanmar.



On Thursday our Year 5 and 6 pupils were given a 'Go ride' session, they learnt some new skills and looked at bike safety.



### Our Values

On Wednesday we had another assembly led by children. The Sports leaders shared lots of information about the Olympic Games coming up this year in Tokyo, fitting in well with our Value for this term - **Courage**. It takes a lot of courage to compete at such a high level, and a lot of determination too.

They talked about the history behind the events and the exciting things that will be happening in the 2020 Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic Games this summer. The children spoke clearly and confidently and got us really excited about supporting Team GB. Take a look at the PE display board by the office to find out more about the Olympic and Paralympic games.

On Monday we talked about Greta Thunberg and her courage to speak out to the world about Climate Change.

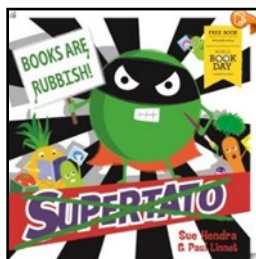


It's World Book day next week - on Thursday. Don't forget that children can come to school dressed as a book character that day and all will received a book token - I've listed some of the £1 books overleaf, or you can use the token to pay towards a book.

Letters about Parents' Evenings came home this week. Don't forget to sign up to speak to your child's teacher about their progress. It's a really good opportunity to look at their books and to see all that they have been learning.

## Recommended Reads - World Book Day Selection

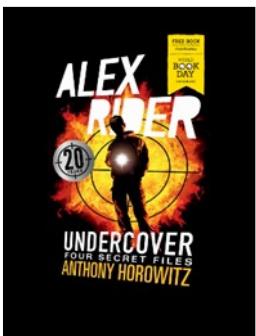
Books you can buy with your World Book day Tokens...



It's night-time in the supermarket, and all the veggies are happily reading their brilliant books. Well, not quite all... The Evil Pea thinks books are rubbish! Is there anyone who can prove him wrong?



Ten-year-old Ahmet has become the Most Famous Refugee Boy in the World. In fact, he's so famous even the queen wants to meet him – and his four best friends! So they're off to Buckingham Palace, with a list of questions for her and one special challenge: will she help more refugee children like Ahmet? But when their journey is unexpectedly interrupted by an old enemy, it will take some quick thinking and an ingenious plan to make it to the palace – and the queen – on time.



Go undercover into the secret world of teen super spy Alex Rider in this explosive collection of action-packed short stories. See Alex take action against an imminent disaster, discover the truth behind the death of his parents and get inside the mind of his arch rival, Yassen Gregorovich.



Howl with laughter at three hilarious crime-fighting capers featuring Dog Man: part dog, part man and ALL HERO! From the creator of Captain Underpants.

Mrs J Thomson  
Headteacher





Thank you to everyone who supported our Valentines Cake Sale before the break, we raised £106.90.

Thank you to those who supported our Tuck Shop, Uniform Sale and Welly Sale today. We will let you know how much we raised next week. If you have any wellies or uniform you are able to donate please take them into the office.

On 12 March we will be holding our Parent's Day gift workshop. If you would like to contribute £2.50 per family towards the cost of carrying out this activity we would be very grateful.

Letters have been issued regarding the disco to be held on 20 March. Please return to the office as soon as possible with the £3 payment.

The KFA

***Join Our Face Book Page for updates - 'Kingshill KFA'***

### Tesco Bags of Help Scheme

We have been successful in our application to Tesco for the "Bags of Help" scheme which will run from **Wednesday 1 January 2020 to Tuesday 31 March 2020**. The two Tesco stores that will be running the scheme will be Nailsea and Portishead Express.



Our voting box will say the following:-

Kingshill Church School  
Outside Learning  
Providing an outdoor learning environment for Year 1.



Diamond class are in need of any buckets that you no longer require. Any size or shape would be gratefully received.



Competition & prizes provided by Chartwells

**Design**  
**Your Own Character**

*For a chance to win a book! Hand this back to the kitchen team for a chance to win.*

Does your character help people?

What does your character look like?

Tell us about your character ...

Name..... Class.....

Chartwells  
EAT LEARN LIVE

Chartwells are offering a “Design your own Character” competition where children can win a book. Please collect your competition entries from the school kitchen.

# WORLD BOOK DAY

March 5<sup>th</sup> 2020

## Choose a Main Meal

Cloudy with a chance of Beef meatballs

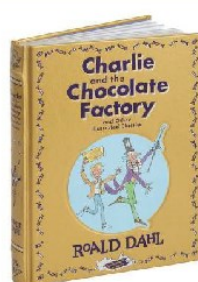
Queen of Heart's Quorn Dippers  
Served with Paddington Bear's Pasta

## On the side

The Hungry Caterpillar's Salad  
Cat in the Hat Coleslaw

## For dessert

Charlie's Chocolate Ice Cream



The more that you  
**READ**  
The more things  
you will **KNOW**  
The more that you  
**LEARN**  
The more places  
you'll **GO**

Chartwells  
EAT LEARN LIVE

## Department for Education

We are continuing to keep you updated on the government's response to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Public Health England advises that the risk to individuals in the UK remains low.

### Advice for those who have travelled recently

Yesterday, the Chief Medical Advisor for England, Chris Whitty updated advice for travellers returning to the UK from specific areas affected by COVID-19, which you can find at:

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

If you have returned from the following specific areas since 19th February, you should call NHS 111 and stay indoors and avoid contact with other people even if you do not have symptoms

- Iran, Specific lockdown areas in Northern Italy (see link to maps below), Special care zones in South Korea (see link to maps below), Hubei province (returned in the past 14 days – see link to maps below)

If you have returned from the following areas since 19 February and develop symptoms, however mild, you should stay indoors at home and avoid contact with other people immediately and call NHS 111:

- Northern Italy (defined by a line above, and not including, Pisa, Florence and Rimini – see link to maps below), Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar

If you have a cough, or fever or shortness of breath and have visited any of the following areas in the last 14 days, stay indoors and call NHS 111 informing them of your recent travel:

- China, apart from Hubei province (see link to maps below), Thailand, Japan, Republic of Korea, apart from special care zones (see link to maps below), Hong Kong, Taiwan, Singapore, Malaysia or Macau

**Public Health England**

### Advice on the coronavirus for places of education

**How serious is the coronavirus?**

- it can cause flu-like symptoms, including fever, cough & difficulty breathing
- the infection is not serious for most people, including children
- there is currently no vaccine
- most people get better with enough rest, water to drink and medicine for pain

**How likely are you to catch the virus?**

- you can only catch it if you have been close to a person who has the virus
- the chance of being in contact with the virus is currently low in the UK
- if you have travelled to areas where many people are infected, your chance of catching the virus is higher, i.e. China and any affected areas

**How can you stop coronaviruses spreading?**

**If you need to cough or sneeze**

- Catch it with a tissue
- Bin it
- Kill it by washing your hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser

**You should wash hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser**

- After breaks & sport activities
- Before cooking & eating
- On arrival at any childcare or educational setting
- After using the toilet
- Before leaving home

**Try not to touch your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands**

**Do not share items that come into contact with your mouth such as cups & bottles**

**If unwell do not share items such as bedding, dishes, pencils & towels**

**Stop germs spreading with our e-Bug resources on hand and respiratory hygiene lesson plans for KS1, 2 and 3: [campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools](https://campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools)**

**What should you do if you feel unwell?**

Keep away from others and stay at home to stop the infection spreading. Avoid public transport if you think you have symptoms of coronavirus. If you become unwell at a place of education, tell a member of staff and let them know if you have travelled to any other countries in the last 14 days.

If your staff member or parent thinks you have symptoms of coronavirus, they should call **NHS 111** for advice. Follow the UK Government advice for childcare or educational settings: [gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19](https://gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19). Parents can visit [NHS.UK](https://NHS.UK) to find out more information. Teachers and support staff should follow the UK Government advice.

Staff, students and pupils who have returned from Wuhan and Hubei Province in China should self isolate, and NOT attend education or work for 14 days. See [NHS.UK](https://NHS.UK) for advice on coronavirus.

**If there is an emergency, call 999 immediately**

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## BEST IN THE WEST!

Formed in 2004, we provide expert specialist coaching for athletes aged 7+ across the full breadth of athletics events, from beginner to international.

Our award-winning club (South West Club of the Year 2018, UK Development Club of the Year 2012) competes regularly and successfully across a spectrum of athletic disciplines, winning local track & field and cross-country leagues.

Our National Governing Body (NGB) qualified expert coaches are fully insured, first aid trained, and with up-to-date DBS certificates. With ongoing input from our NGB, our session plans and development model are fully supported by up-to-date best practice, enabling us to maintain the highest standards.

Our days are available to anyone aged 7-12, no matter their ability.

**Timings 10am - 4pm**  
(Register 9.40am - 9.55am)

Our home venue is Clevedon School, Valley Road, Clevedon, BS21 6AH

Cost per day per child is £17 for non NSAC/NSAA members \* £14 for members

*\* If booking a whole week (Monday to Thursday), then we can offer discounted daily rates*

We have so much to cram in, why not book a whole week? You can see the full spectrum, learn plenty, save some money, and get a real feel for our sport. Individual days are available also, just ask!

We have maximum numbers for each day to ensure all children get plenty of support.

Our Fundays are run by South West Coach of the Year 2018 Mr Chris Millard (NGB Level 3, NSAC/NSAA founder and Head Coach, plus GB and Welsh International) and supported by NSAC-trained Ambassadors and Assistant Coaches. We anticipate ratios of 1 coach per 6 children.

For more information, please visit [www.nsac.org.uk/fundays](http://www.nsac.org.uk/fundays) and to book email [christbtg@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:christbtg@blueyonder.co.uk) for availability and booking form.



## ATHLETICS FUNDAYS!

PROFESSIONAL COACHING AND ATHLETICS FUNDAYS

ALL ABILITIES WELCOME FROM AGES 7 - 12

INSPIRING THE NEXT GENERATION OF ATHLETES...



ENGLAND ATHLETICS COACH AND CLUB OF THE YEAR!

CHRIST CHURCH NAILSEA



Sunday 1st March 10:15

Giving Something for Lent



Children's activities and refreshments in the hall afterwards  
**Everyone Welcome**



## A NEW LTA PRIMARY SCHOOL TEACHER TRAINING COURSE

A free 2 hour course with brand new innovative content that has been developed by teachers for teachers. As well as teaching fundamental movement skills and developing physical literacy, tennis is also a great way of developing personal and character skills.

The course demonstrates how tennis can be delivered to a whole class of children in a small space and how it can be adapted and differentiated for all learners.

Teachers will receive free resources and a £250 voucher\* to spend on 10 hours of club link support from an LTA Accredited Coach!

Local Course Details:

Date:

Time:

Venue:

View all courses and book online via: [www.lta.org.uk/schools](http://www.lta.org.uk/schools)

\*Limited to one per school.



# Attendance

**Congratulations to Diamond Class for achieving 98.55% attendance this week.**



## Forthcoming Dates

### 04.03.20 - Diamond Class to Nature Reserve

## 05.03.20 - World Book Day

05.03.20 - Coffee@Kingshill

**10.03.20 - Parent's Evening**

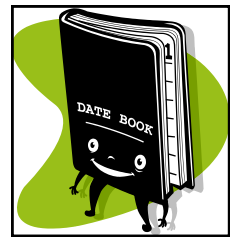
**12.03.20 - KFA Parents Day**

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### 13.03.20 - Sports Relief

## 18.03.20 - SATs Meeting Y6 Parents

## 20.03.20 - KFA Disco



Just a reminder that playtime snacks should be fruit or vegetables only.  
Many thanks



We are committed to safeguarding, please see our Safeguarding Policy on our website:-  
www.kingshillbwmat.org

## Facebook

Just a reminder that children of primary school age should not be using Facebook. We would ask parents not to use any social media to make comments about our school or staff - please contact us if you need to speak to us about anything.

### E-Safety Reminder

E-Safety is an important part of keeping children safe at Kingshill Church School.

Any E-Safety incidents are recorded and managed in accordance with our E-Safety Policy.

E-Safety is taught to all pupils explaining and demonstrating how to stay safe and behave appropriately online.

We can only be successful in keeping children safe online if we work with you to ensure the E-Safety message is consistent. Your help is needed to talk to your children about how they can keep safe and behave appropriately online, which includes not playing any 18+ playstation/Xbox/on line games as this can lead to inappropriate games and behaviour at playtime.

May I draw your attention to the guidance/advice which is on our website.

We value parental support. Please let us know by e-mail ([office@kcs.bwmat.org](mailto:office@kcs.bwmat.org)) calling into the office or catch us in the playground if you have any comments to make.