

# Holy Trinity CE Primary Academy Newsletter



C. E. PRIMARY ACADEMY  
(HANDSWORTH)

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Eid Mubarak



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*Eid Mubarak to all families who are celebrating Eid over this weekend.*

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Industrial Action

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*As you may have seen in the news recently the NEU, a teaching union, will be asking their members to go on strike again on Thursday 27th April. At this current time none of our teachers here at Holy Trinity are going to go on strike. Therefore, **school will be open as normal to all pupils on Thursday 27th April.** I will keep you updated if there are going to be changes to this.*

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## King's Coronation



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*As you are aware King Charles will be crowned on Saturday 6th May. We will be holding a special day to mark this event on **Friday 5th May**. As part of the day we are all going to come to school dressed as a King or Queen. During the afternoon the children will take part in a traditional street party. We are looking forward to seeing all of the children dressed up for this day.*

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## Year 5 news









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*Year 5 have had a busy time in school recently as they have been taking part in a social enterprise project linked with Asda. This has culminated with the pupils in Year 5 running a shop on a Monday evening after school. The shop is 'pay what you can' as Year 5 are aware that we are all living through a cost of living crisis. The shop will continue to run every Monday and we are hoping to take in more stock from Asda soon. Year 5 pupils have also taken part in Peer Mediation training. For this, the pupils had to apply for a position to become a Peer Mediator and then be interviewed. The successful pupils then had 3 days training. Over the coming weeks the staff team will receive some training and I know that the Year 5 pupils are really excited about beginning their new roles.*

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## Attendance for week beginning 27th March 2023

Class	% Attendance
Whole school	92.9%
Reception	86.28%
1	96.9%
2	89.93%
3	93.42%
4	88%
5	99.35%
6	95.83%

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*Attendance is still really low in number of classes. Whilst we understand that there are some illnesses in the community, this does not account for the level of absence in the table above. This level of attendance has a negative impact on the learning of the children. We need to see an improvement after Easter.*

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## Diary dates

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*Monday 1st May - Bank Holiday*

*Monday 8th May - Bank holiday (Kings Coronation)*

*Thursday 25th May - Children break up for half term*

*Friday 26th May - Teacher Day*

*Monday 29th May-Friday 2nd June - Half term*

*Monday 5th June - Children return to school*

*Tuesday 26th July - Children break up for summer holiday*

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