



Newsletter

Wk 6 - 12th December

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Shepherds' Delight Nativity Play

Our children in Years 1 and 2 performed their Nativity play "Shepherds' Delight" this week. It was a fabulous performance and everyone has worked so hard. We are so proud of the children as they had to learn words and lines, dances and songs—it was amazing! A special thank you to all the staff involved in the play for the wonderful costumes, scenery, singing, acting, actions and dancing, we are so lucky at CTK to have talented children and staff.



EYFS Nativity Play

Our amazing EYFS children shone in their first Nativity play and it was a wonderful performance from our youngest learners at CTK—who sang and performed amazingly. Every child gave their very best and we are so proud of all the children.

A huge thank you to the EYFS staff team for a wonderful play and again we are so lucky to have fabulous children and staff at CTK.



Christmas at CTK



Our CTK Christmas events for the last week of term

Date	Christmas Event	Notes for Families
Tuesday 16th Dec	Christmas Carol Concert	Our Christmas Carol Concert at Christ the King Catholic Church in Thornbury at 6:30pm. All readers, choir and tableaux children to arrive at 6:15pm.
Wednesday 17th Dec	Christmas Dinner at CTK, please book on ParentPay 	Children to come into school wearing festive jumpers and clothing. No school uniform. 
Thursday 18th Dec	Advent Mass at 10:00am	Everyone is welcome to attend our Advent Mass in the school hall. 
Thursday 18th Dec	Christmas Class Parties in the afternoon 	A letter will be sent out by Class Teachers about their Class Parties. Children will need to bring in their own plate of food. The children are allowed to bring a change of party clothes for the Christmas parties and the clothes must be brought into school in named bag.
Friday 19th Dec	9:30am End of term Celebration Assembly	All families are welcome to come and attend our assembly. Our School choir and recorder group will also be performing at the assembly. Children to wear school uniform.
Friday 19th Dec		School finishes at 3:15pm for the Christmas Holidays and re-opens on Monday 5th January 2026 at 8:45am for the start of Term 3 

Dates for Term 3:

January 2026			
Date	Year Group	Event	Time
Monday 5 th	Whole School	Start of term 3	8:45am
Tuesday 6th	Whole School	Epiphany mass and everyone is welcome to come and join us.	10:00am
Thursday 8th	EYFS	Balance Bike session	all day
Wednesday 14th	Year 5 and 5	Football Club starts	3:15pm –4:15pm
Thursday 15th	Year 4	Road Safety session in school	am
Thursday 15th	Year 6	My Journey Road Safety	am
Thursday 15th	Year 2	Good Spot Road Safety session	am
Thursday 15th	INTAKE 26	Closing date for applications to Primary Schools for new intake for 2026	
Monday 19th		School led clubs start for the terms 3 and 4 (clubs letters to go out at the start of term 3)	
Thursday 22nd	Year 6	Year 6 visit to the Life Skills Centre	pm
Friday 23rd	Whole School	Non –Uniform day for non-perishable items for the PTFA summer fair.	

February 2026

Date	Year Group	Event	Time
Tuesday 10 th	Whole School	Internet Safety Day at CTK	All day
Tuesday 10th	Year 5	Class Mass	11:00am
Friday 13 th	Whole School	End of term Celebration Assembly - all families welcome	9:30am
Friday 13 th	Whole School	End of term 3	3:15pm

Half-term holidays

Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February 2026

School re-opens for the start of term 4 on Monday 23rd February 2026.