



# Cookridge Holy Trinity Church of England (A) Primary School

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**‘The Best for Every Child -a Unique Child of God’  
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Dear Parent / Carers

Our Christian Value this term is **Thankfulness**

Our Ethos Statement this week is: **Be joyful always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus**

### Autumn Term

One of the best moments this week was seeing our new sandpit being used by many of our children at lunchtimes. It made the extra effort that our PTA went to so very extra special – something that our children will be talking about for years to come, I am sure!

I am sure that you will join with me in thanking everyone who gave up their time to come along to school on Sunday to help make our playtimes more of an enjoyable success!

We also need to say a huge thankyou to one of our parents Joe at Rodley Timber Woodworks <https://www.woodworkstimer.co.uk/> for their generous donation of all the wood and other materials to build our sandpit!

Our children in year 6 went on their trip to Eden Camp this week to enrich their learning about the second world war – they really engaged well with what they were told, they represented our school incredibly well and impressed everyone who came into contact with them. I know that we expect our children to represent us well when out and about, but it is always lovely to hear how they make a positive impression upon all who meet them.

Don’t forget to sign up for parent consultations next week – we will also have a food presentation each evening from our new lunch provider MiQuill – who will give you a taste of what your child is eating in school☺

### Pupil of the Week

<p>1K 1K's pupil of the week is Emmie. Emmie is a kind and caring member of 1K. She works hard in all lessons and I've been so impressed with her writing in English and Science this week. Emmie retold the story of 'After the Storm' and wrote lovely</p>	<p>1RC Our Pupil of the week is Lia. Lia always works hard in every lesson and she makes sure that each piece of work is beautifully presented. This week we have been impressed with her learning science where she wrote some fantastic sentences about</p>
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<p>sentences about Autumn. Well done Emmie, keep up the great work 😊</p>	<p>Autumn. Lia is growing in confidence to answer questions on the carpet. She is a lovely friend to everyone. Well done.</p>
<p>2J Our pupil of the week this week is Marnie. Marnie has been impressing me since the start of Year 2. She is a mature and responsible member of our class and always tries hard with her work. Her reading is becoming much stronger and more confident and I've noticed her maths improving too. Marnie consistently has her hand up to answer questions, demonstrating great listening skills, and she performed some beautiful creative dance in our PE lesson yesterday. Marnie is also a lovely, caring friend to others. Well done Marnie. 😊</p>	<p>2S This week we have chosen Henry Laycock as our pupil of the week in 2S. I have been so impressed with Henry's dedication and perseverance with his independent work. Even when he's found something tricky, he's stuck with it and made some super progress in both his English and maths. He's also shown an excellent recall of our learning in history about the Great Fire of London. Well done on all your hard work, we're really proud of how well you've settled into Year 2! Keep it up Henry! 😊</p>
<p>3R This week we have chosen Luchia as our pupil of the week. Luchia has been working incredibly hard all week and Mrs. Preston, Mrs A and I are all very proud of her! She has written some fantastic sentences with her letters formed carefully and also been working hard on subtraction in maths. The effort she's been putting in definitely hasn't gone unnoticed. Well done Luchia - keep up the good work! 😊</p>	<p>3W This week in 3W our pupil of the week is Evanah. Evanah has shown fantastic determination in her maths we have been really impressed with her progress. Well done Evanah, keep it up! 😊</p>
<p>4W Well done to Anita Porter who is 4W's Pupil of the Week. Anita has had such a fantastic start to year 4 and could have won this award every week. She has such an exemplary attitude to her learning making sure that she puts maximum effort into all that she does. She is always engaged in class discussions and ready to share her ideas. She takes on every challenge with huge enthusiasm and is always ready to help others. What a fab member of 4W. Well done, Anita. 😊</p>	<p>4S This week in 4S we have picked Molly as our pupil of the week. We have been so impressed with how well Molly has been working in every single lesson for the whole of Year 4. Her attitude has been so amazing and she has been able to produce such amazing work in English. In Maths she has worked through tricky work and has come out of the learning pit because of her resilience. Well done Molly, keep up the good work! 😊</p>
<p>5L My 5L Pupil of the Week is Rory Briscoe-Wilkinson for a fantastic week of learning! Mrs Guesne and I have been so impressed with Rory's perseverance this week. He has written some brilliant sentences linked to his text and has even been enthusiastic to write more! Rory, as always, is such a kind member of the class and I am so pleased to</p>	<p>5K I have chosen Sophie Prior as pupil of the week because of her all round excellent attitude towards all subjects. She always works hard and puts 100% effort into everything she does. She has particularly impressed me with her maths multiplication knowledge where she has answered tricky questions about factors and multiples. Well</p>

see this has continued this week when helping his peers. Well done, Rory! :)	done Sophie!! 😊
6C Joseph Beatham for his impressive start to Year 6. He always puts in maximum effort into all his endeavours. During lessons, he shares his astute and knowledgeable opinions on what we are learning and brings a wealth of extra information to share with the class. Well done Joseph 😊 keep up the impressive attitude and incredibly mature work ethic! 😊	6E Holly Pallister-Smith is our pupil of the week this week. She has had a great start to Year 6 so far. This week, I have been impressed with her English in producing a news report based on a quad bike attack in our class novel, Stormbreaker. I have also been so impressed with her P.E. skills in endzone where she has put into practice all the skills we have taught to be a dynamic team player in a smaller team. Great work, Holly! 😊

### Dates for your diary

Oct – Black History Month

**Tue 22 Oct – Parents Consultations**

**Wed 23 Oct – Parents Consultations**

Fri 25 Oct – Training Day

Thur 31 Oct – Deadline for year 7 High School applications

Mon 4 Nov – school re-opens after half term

w/c Mon 11 Nov - Anti Bullying Week

Fri 29 Nov – Year 3 and 4 visit to St George’s church to watch their Christmas production

Tue 3 Dec – Reception Nativity (am)

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Mon 9 Dec – Nasal Flu Immunisations

Tue 10 Dec – KS1 Nativity (pm)

Tur 12 Dec – KS1 Nativity (am) and Christmas Jumper Day!

Thur 19 Dec – KS2 Christmas performance at church (am & pm)

Thur 19 Dec – Christmas Dinner

Fri 20 Dec – Carols round the tree, school closes for Christmas

### PTA Dates for your diary :

Tue 5 Nov – Bags 2 Schools collection (am)

Sat 9 Nov Hinted - book now to sell your second hand items.

Fri 15 Nov Race Night 7pm- 11pm

Fri 29 Nov wreath making 6:30-8:30pm

Fri 6 Dec Christmas Fair

For all our upcoming events tickets can be bought at <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/holy-trinity-school-pta>

### BBC 500 WORDS



The UK’s biggest children’s writing competition for 5-11 year-olds - [BBC’s 500 Words](https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words) – is back and entries are now open.

Spelling, punctuation and grammar are not marked – it is all about creativity so lets get writing!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words>

Closing date 8 Nov 2024

## Open Days for Reception 2025

Tues 5<sup>th</sup> Nov at 4pm  
Tue 12<sup>th</sup> Nov at 9:15am  
Thur 14<sup>th</sup> Nov at 2pm  
Tue 26<sup>th</sup> Nov at 9:15am

If you would like to book a slot in one of our open day sessions for Reception starters 2025 please contact the school office or email [info@holytrinity.leeds.sch.uk](mailto:info@holytrinity.leeds.sch.uk)

## Premier Sport Holiday Club

Premier Sport will be running a sports camp at school Monday to Thursday during half term (8:30am to 3:30pm - £19 per day). For more information and to book a place please follow the link below:

[Cookridge Holy Trinity CofE Primary School – Premier Education \(premier-education.com\)](https://premier-education.com)

## Mathletics

This week the top 10 mathletes for participation are:

1. Katie Cotton
2. Elsana Ganjpoor
3. Hadley Ramamoorthy
4. Sienna-Mae Hedger
5. Benjamin Wright
6. Yvonne Fang Yuan
7. Lewis Ward
8. Finley McKain
9. Jessie Wilkin
10. Holly Cotton

The trophies are therefore awarded to 2S and 5K

## Golden Welly

This week the Golden Welly Award was awarded to **Reception!** Well done 😊



## MacMillan Coffee Morning



Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October at Adel Methodist Church Hall – Raffle, quiz, guess the weight of the cake! All welcome!

## PTA NEWS

Thanks to all our helpers at the trash monster disco there were some incredible costumes! We hope the children had the best time. The next party is for our adult community, so get your tickets bought now for Race night.

Also why not have a Pre Christmas clear out and book a table to sell your Preloved goods at Hinted!



**HINTED  
PRE-LOVED  
SALE**

AT COOKRIDGE HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL  
GREEN LANE, LS16 7EZ

**SATURDAY 9TH NOV  
10:30-12:30PM  
FREE ENTRY**

TOYS, CLOTHES, BOOKS, DVDS,  
BRIC-A-BRAC, BAGS, HOMEWARE & MORE

Please note all items are sold as seen at this event, the PTA will not accept liability or give refunds for any items purchased.

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