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### To our Amazing Trinity Family,

We have had a glorious week – in terms of weather and getting all pupils back into routines. Our new Year Reception and Year 7 pupils have found their feet and have settled well into learning life at Trinity. We are definitely living life in all its fullness. I wish to thank all our families for ensuring our pupils are ready for learning with the correct uniform and equipment – this has been fantastic across the school.

Can we ask our parents of pupils who travel to and from school on their own to talk at home about their safety in the community. We do this all the time at school, but if it happens at home as well it really will support our intentions. It really is important that pupils come straight to school at the start of the day and at the end of the day they go immediately home. We want to ensure our pupils are safe, and our staff are on patrol in the community until approximately 4pm to support this. We did have an incident only this week where pupils from another school were being rude and aggressive – which we will not tolerate. I was immediately on the phone to the Headteacher at their school and they have been identified and reprimanded for their actions. Our pupils have been real role models and we want this to continue. They represent our school in the building and in the community whilst they wear our uniform and we see it is vital that they are terrific Trinitarians all the time. Thank you for your support with this.

We have now carried out two Covid Lateral Flow Tests at school and have issued pupils with home tests at the secondary phase. We recommend pupils test on a Sunday night / Monday morning and Wednesday night / Thursday morning each week. The packs we have issued have 7 tests within them, which will last for 3 weeks. At the end of this period we will issue another box to pupils so that we can keep this testing regime going. Our staff test twice a week as well. Testing is a great way at helping to keep our school environment safe. We have a very tight cleaning regime, hand sanitisers in / outside every classroom and we have kept good ventilation across both sites. Keeping our school safe is vital to ensure our pupils do not miss any more learning. Our risk assessment is on our website and if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Have a wonderful weekend. Stay safe,

#### DAVID LUCAS

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LEARNING - LOVING - LIVING

Following your feedback, our newsletter will have a new look from the week coming! We will shortly have a new Facebook, Twitter and Instagram account. Watch this space!

All Through School



Head of School Primary

Ms Amanda Harvey

### Hello Trinity Family,

It has been so wonderful to see so many of you at the gates this last week for pick up and drop off; we are back! And things are in full swing. As our school ethos says, each day we have been:

# Learning Loving Living

In the pages below you will read about the **learning community** of Trinity and what some of our children have been doing this week, we are keeping each and every one of them VERY busy. Should you want to keep up with the happenings at Trinity make sure

you click on our blog at:

https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/ OR follow us on Twitter at:

https://twitter.com/news4trinity

On Monday Year 6 are off to the pool to start their 2 week intensive swimming course. Everyone is looking forward it, perhaps learning a new stroke or even how to hold your breath a little longer under water. Will the next Tom Daley be in that class?



We are a **loving family** at Trinity. This has been proven in so many little ways this week. Our children have been supportive and helpful with the new EYFS children, ensuring they are safe and playing happily during playtimes and lunchtimes.



Finally, Trinitarians are **living their best lives**; the good life! It doesn't take much to see that all around out school Children are always smiling and happy; getting on with their daily tasks. I know they make all of us happy to call Trinity our (other) home.



I wish you all a great school year. There will be some changes to the newsletter in the future but I look forward to keep you up to date on the happening at the Primary. Have a lovely weekend and, as always,

#### See you at the gate

Amanda Harvey Head of School Primary

## **EYFS NEWS**

We are so proud of how well Reception have settled into life at Trinity – making new friends, learning school routines and expectations and even braving the big playground in their first week. Some children were able to enjoy Mrs Thompson's music lesson and showed impressive singing skills. We are looking forward to all children coming in full-time. A friendly reminder that **PE** is on **Mondays**, children are able to come to school in their PE kits.





Next week we are reading 'So Much' by Trish Cooke and thinking about our own families. We will also be beginning phonics lessons, focusing on the sounds a, m, s, t, and j. Why not have a look around your house to see if you can find things beginning with each of those sounds?



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Jura class have chosen Tahli-Rae to receive the resilient badge. She has worked so hard to settle into Trinity life and has proven that she never gives up!	Chet has earned the caring badge for being inclusive of new friends in his learning and play. What a fantastic start at Trinity!
1Y -	1X -
Harry for resilience and perseverance during his first week in year 1. Well done!	Isaac in Ben Nevis Class is getting the courageous badge for showing great confidence in his first week of school
2Y	2X -
Nathan - Independent badge for a fabulous first 'Big Write' in Year 2 and using his sounds on his own.	Matthew is receiving the insightful badge today for his excellent explanation as to why two different representations of 10 were still showing the same value. I was so impressed by his mathematical knowledge and vocabulary!
3Y -	3X -
Sebastian gets the caring badge for supporting other children in the class.	Allegra in Elgon Class For being very open minded and using extra learning resources provided to her to write a beautiful story this week.
4Y -	4X -
Benjamin's glasses broke and he was struggling to see however, he still persisted on to produce an excellent piece of work. (Resilience Badge). 5Y –	4X/Crown Class: Tionne has earned the open-minded badge for being so open to suggestions in his Maths Review session this week and for his thoughtful contributions to our discussions in worship. 5X –
Georgina receives the resilient badge for her great efforts in rounding numbers to 10 and 100.	This week I am awarding Leticia in Year 5 (Fuji class) with the resilience badge as she wrote an amazing piece of writing for her big write even though she struggled with formulating her ideas.
6Y	6X -
Vema Saion gets the reflective badge. Well done!	DJ is receiving the principled badge because he has started the year with a wonderful attitude and is such a fantastic role model in class: contributing respectfully and intelligibly; actively listening to others and working incredibly hard in lessons. DJ is having a brilliant start to

# Learning Loving Living

# Learning about healthy friendships in Year 5!



It's been great to be back and the children have already been demonstrating a great desire to resume their learning.

In our RSHE lessons, we have looked at what we mean by 'identity' and how we identify ourselves. We also had great discussions about how to deal with the tricky subject of peer pressure. The week was completed with the children examining their own strength and abilities, completing a job application for roles within the classroom!



### Our 2021/2022 Prefect Team

Head Boy	Head Girl	Deputy Head Boy	Deputy Head Girl
Cooper Merritt	Reiko Gilbert	Rory Butler	Michelle Williams
Green House Captains	Blue House Captains	Purple House Captains	Yellow House Captains
Adassa Lofthouse Poyner	Benedict McArthur	Jessica Naughton	Leo Webb
Millie Morrison	Isobel Thompson	Jasmin Headley	Tehya Anderson

# **PRIMARY NEWS and EVENTS!**

# **Swimming Schedule**

Dear TRINITY Family,

Please join us on Wednesday September 15th

from 3:45pm – 5pm to meet with your child's Teacher at Trinity Primary School.

We fill finish pick up at 3:30pm and clear the playground, giving our staff a 15 minute break before inviting you back in.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Kind regards,

Amanda



So, it's been a while....

Dear Parents and Carers,
It's now time for us to get back together!
Our Primary School is organizing
Morning Coffees at 9:00 am on
September 27, 2020 and October 18, 2020.
Please join us and meet members of our staff and other parents or carers.
We look forward to seeing you!

Amanda Harvov

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Monday		James
	Adrian	Natasha
	Ebony	Ashley
Tuesday	Adrian	Charlie
	Demaris	Tenika
	Ebony	Natasha
Wednesday	Isobel	James
	Adrian	Jess M
	Ebony	Natasha
Thursday	Adrian	James
	Dominique	Meg
	Ebony	Ashley
Friday	Adrian	Sarah H
	Demaris	Charlotte
	Tenika	Ashley
	Week 2	
Monday	Isobel	James
	Adrian	Natasha
	Ebony	Ashley
Tuesday	Adrian	Charlie
	Ebony	Tenika
	Demaris	Natasha
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#### We are back! How exciting!

It is so great to be back, this week we had our first face to face worships in such a long time at both sites. At our primary site this week we had our first worship focusing on our theme of courage, looking at how we can be courageous and who we can turn to if we are afraid. **Year 4 and year 5** shared some really good responses.



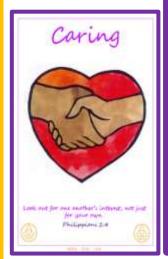
At our secondary site we were joined by **Rev Bridget**, we teamed up to do a special welcome back service for our year groups. We focused on the importance of love and how love should be entwined in all we do. We also reflected on the importance of **learning**, **loving and living** our life as children of God and Terrific Trinitarians. We were also lucky to have some music and singing from some of our year 11 pupils with Ms Lowe.



On Sunday last week, I had the great pleasure of speaking to our community at St Swithun's with Mother Juliet about Trinity and our faith teams. It was great to see many of our school community there.



God of the Trinity Secondary School May our lessons light our learning and progress, May we love our neighbours as ourselves, May we have courage to live good lives, So that we are outstanding Trinitarians. Amen!



# **SECONDARY NEWS and EVENTS!**

# **Calendar of Events**

# PE club timetable

Day	Club	Year group	Teacher
Monday	Football	Year 7 + 8	Terry / JCR
Tuesday	Table Tennis	Year 7 + 8	HWR
Weds	Rugby	Year 7-9	MSE
Thursday	Girls Multi	Year 7	VWR
	Sports	Year 9- 11	MSE
	Fitness Club	Year 9 -11	JCR
	Football		



Tips

Ensure your place! Send an email from a parent or guardian to the member of staff responsible for the club.

> Label your PE Kit and your belongings! It will secure them.



Open Mornings at 9:00

Sep 15 ,2021
Sep 23,2021
Sep 28, 2021

• Oct 6,2021



Open Evening at 5:30-7:30pm • Oct 7, 2021

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Y6 Transition Parents Forum

- Sept 16,2021 4:00-5:00 pm
- TP school tours 9am-11am



Y11 Parents Information Evening (Careers)

• Sep 29,2021 4:30-6:00pm



Parents Forum Welcome Y7

Sep 30,2021 3:45-5pm

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SEN Parents Forum October 14,2021 10-11 am

# SCIENCE CLIMATE TALKS



Throughout 2021, the Science Museum will continue to host a series of Climate Talks - panel discussions, Q&As and events connecting you with leaders, experts, activists and campaigners as they discuss how to tackle the problems facing our communities due to climate change. You can join a live virtual climate talk or watch a past event on line.







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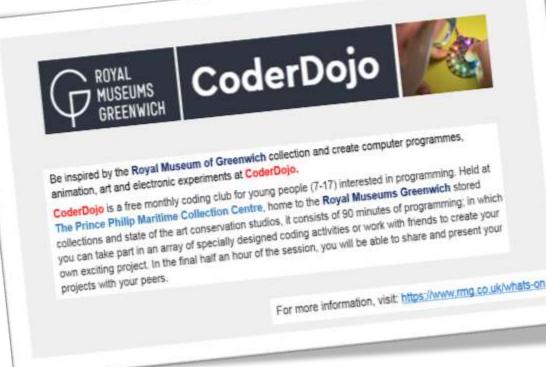


ONLINE EVENT CLIMATE CHANGE: THE VIEW FROM SPACE



**ONLINE EVENT** COP26: HOW CAN IT ACHIEVE WHAT THE WORLD NEEDS?

For more information visit: https://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/home





Visit Generations: Portraits of Holocaust Survivors at the Imperial War Museum. 50 contemporary portraits of Holocaust survivors and their families shine a light on the full lives they have lived and our collective responsibility to cherish their stories.

Displayed for the very first time, these powerful photographs capture the special connections between Holocaust survivors and the younger generations of their families. While offering a space to remember and share their stories, these portraits are a celebration of the rich lives they have lived and the special legacy which their children and grandchildren will carry into the future.



For more information and to book a free advanced ticket, visit: https://www.iwm.org.uk/visits/iwm-london

#### **Mental Health & Wellbeing**

For many years, mental health had been somewhat of an afterthought when it came to general wellbeing, with physical health taking top priority. However, over the past decade or so, attitudes have been changing, as the negative impact of mental illhealth on both a personal and professional level has become more widely recognised and publicised.

#### Wellbeing at Trinity

Trinity aims to provide a variety of ways in which its students can access support for their general health and wellbeing. Currently there is a range therapy's, groups and trained individuals that Trinitarians have access to. Trinity now has plans to add to its existing provisions by introducing its first team of student wellbeing ambassadors.



#### Wellbeing Ambassadors

The role of our Wellbeing Ambassadors is to provide valuable early intervention help to their peers who may be emotionally distressed, need someone to talk too and responds well to those in need of a 'listening ear'. Much like the Mental Health First Aiders the Wellbeing Ambassadors are to be a point of contact for students. Wellbeing Ambassadors will help to facilitate the implementation of Trinity's health and wellbeing strategy, and signpost to the appropriate wellbeing support available.

If you have confidence to step in, reassure and support a person in distress or have enhanced interpersonal skills such as the ability to listen non-judgementally and would like to help someone recover their health by guiding them to further support - whether that's self-help then this could be the role for you. Becoming a Wellbeing Ambassador may be similar to the career you wish to pursue in the future.

Even without these skills still apply as all ambassadors will receive training. Keep an eye out for advertising and dates of when to apply.





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If you are interested in becoming a Wellbeing Ambassador and would like to make a worthwhile contribution to Trinity's community, please speak to Ms Clarke, Ms Lewis or Ms Simpson for further information.

