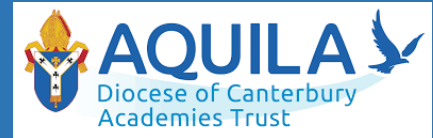




# Charing CE Primary School

Weekly Newsletter  
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This is something I have not experienced for a long time: I write a newsletter at my desk in my office with the sound of happy children learning in the background. Despite the initial, obvious, concerns it has been great to be back with more staff and children in the school. On Wednesday we had as many as 22 in the school at one time. I would like to thank staff for their hard work and dedication in ensuring this week as ran as smoothly as possible. Also, I'd like to extend my gratitude to parents and of course the children for ensuring the measures and expectations put in place were met to ensure a safe return. Next week we look forward to welcoming Ms Shircore back (previously Ms Glover), who will return from maternity leave.

Thank you!

I am currently in the process of planning how school opening will look for Years R, 1 and 6 after these initial two weeks. Some parents in those year groups should expect a phone call from me in the coming days to gauge their opinion on their children returning. I will write to parents next week to announce the new arrangements.

Our site manager, Mr Alexandre, has taken up a full time position in Kennington Academy and will leave us on Friday 19th June. I would like to thank Mr Alexandre for all his hard work at the school and help in transforming the site; I wish him all the best for the future. Mrs Matthews has agreed to take on the role as 'caretaker' in an interim capacity.



*This weekend, the church marks Trinity Sunday, remembering that God is the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.*

*Loving Father, thank you for your comfort and care, always with us,  
Help us to have courage and generosity to follow your example.  
Jesus Christ, for all those showing your brotherly love, thank you.  
Help us to show your love too.  
Holy Spirit, you are with me in everything I do,  
Help me to feel peace when I am worried or scared.  
Be with us,  
Stay with us,  
Go with us, God,  
Three in one, we worship you.  
Amen*



**HERE FOR YOU**

**We know that you are all doing a great job with your children and understand that sometimes things can get tricky. If you need support with a piece of learning or if your child is having a bit of a wobble, please remember you can contact us. Staff emails are on the home learning pages on our website: [www.charingschool.org.uk](http://www.charingschool.org.uk)**



Although we do not know currently exactly how September will look within our school the Senior Leadership Team have finalised the staff placements for next year. We are delighted to announce Mrs Horsford on to our teaching team and she will start in September; Mrs Horsford spent term 3 with Badgers class. We also welcome Ms Reeve, who will be joining Rabbits class as a 'School's Direct' trainee. I'm sure parents and children will help make them feel very welcome and part of the Charing community.

2020-21 classes

<b>Class</b>	<b>Year group</b>	<b>Teacher</b>	<b>TA</b>
Rabbits	R	Mrs Golden Ms Reeve (School's direct teacher)	Mrs Nunn (HLTA)
Squirrels	1 and 2	Miss MacMillan	Mrs Young (Mon – Wed) Ms Shircore (Thurs – Fri)
Foxes	3 and 4	Mrs Thompson (Mon-Wed am) Mrs Humphries (Wed pm – Fri)	Ms Axon
Badgers	4 and 5	Mrs Horsford	Mrs Hodson
Owls	5 and 6	Mrs Siddiqui (Mon – Wed) Mr Bird (Thurs-Fri)	Miss Bloomsmar (HLTA)

The majority of year 4 and 5 children will be in Badgers class but a small number of year 4 children will be with Foxes and a small number of year 5 children will be with Owls. I will be discussing this with some parents in the coming weeks.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Bird