

### **Weekly Newsletter**

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The last day of term next week is Thursday 27th May and the first day back is Wednesday 9th June.

### Year 3 and 4 Trip to Totnes Castle - postponed due to wet weather

The trip was planned for Friday this week – we will let you know when we are able to re-plan it.

### Year 6 Residential

Year 6 are having an overnight residential locally next week now that we can. Parents should have had all the info they need but please let us know if you need to know anything.

#### **Bullying – friendships**

We are continuing the series of assemblies about bullying and friendships. The children are aware that there are different forms of bullying – mental and physical. Mental bullying includes name calling, ignoring and excluding someone, threatening them and putting harmful comments on social media. Physical bullying includes anything that may hurt or harm a child physically, it doesn't have to include an outcome such as a bruise but it could be more subtle.

We also have been looking into this chart – you could back this up at home by completing it with your child:

Ways to behave with a friend	Ways of behaving that will harm a freindship

We are very proud of the children who have come forward with issues, either to their parents/ carers or to us. Together we will beat bullying!

#### Menu change for next week

As Thursday next week 27<sup>th</sup> May will be the last day of term, lunch that day will be Fish Fingers or Cheese and Tomato Wheel.

Kind regards

Hilary Priest





# Would you like your child to attend Churston Ferrers Grammar School?

If so, applications are now open to register your child to sit the 11+ examination at Churston Ferrers Grammar School. The examination date this year is Saturday 18th September 2021 (as long as no further COVID restrictions are put in place) and all children currently in Year 5 are eligible to sit the examination.

Please click here to take you to the online registration form. Forms must be submitted by Midday on Thursday 22nd July where possible (or by midday on Thursday 9 September at the very latest). Following submission, you will receive an automatic reply to say that we have received the form and in the week preceeding the examination we will send you an email with all the details you will need for your child on the exam date. If you are unable to access the form online please contact <a href="mailto:vanessa.wolf@churston.torbay.sch.uk">vanessa.wolf@churston.torbay.sch.uk</a> and we will pop one in the post for you.

For further information on Admissions to Year 7, please click here for our <u>Admissions Policy for entry into Year 7 September 2022</u> and click here for our <u>Admissions page</u>.

## Is your child in receipt of Pupil Premium?

If your child is eligible for Pupil Premium, we are pleased to be able to offer access to an additional online package of around 10 hours familiarisation material, that has been developed by the King Edward VI Foundation of Birmingham Grammar Schools and Frog education, especially for Pupil Premium students. If you indicate Pupil Premium on the application form, we will verify this with your primary school and in the summer term we will send you a logon code especially for your child, so they can access the material on the online platform hosted by Frog.



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