

Dear parent/guardian,



## Coronation of King Charles III

I am writing to inform you that we will be taking part in a range of activities to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III during the week 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> May.

Our main celebration will be a Coronation Lunch on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

Children will have a special menu on this day and the hall will be decorated with balloons and bunting that the children will have made, either in breakfast club or at lunchtime.

On Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May, children are invited to come to school wearing red, white and blue clothing. We would also like all the children to make a crown at home that they can wear on this day to help them celebrate.

Children will be asked to complete a research project about 'What is a coronation and how is it celebrated?' Examples could include: a fact file about the coronation based on research, a model/ drawing/ painting of something symbolic linked to the coronation such as the Sovereign's Sceptre/ Gold State Coach or information about how coronations are celebrated around the world. Children will need to bring these into school on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

Here are some useful websites that could help the children with their research:

[www.coronation.gov.uk/about-the-coronation](http://www.coronation.gov.uk/about-the-coronation)

[www.rct.uk/coronation](http://www.rct.uk/coronation)

[www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)

[www.hrp.org.uk/schools](http://www.hrp.org.uk/schools)

[www.britishcoronationproject23.org](http://www.britishcoronationproject23.org)



During the week, children will have the opportunity at lunch time to complete a range of coronation themed activities including:

<b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	Crown making
<b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	Making peg monarchs

اگر اس خط کے پڑھنے میں آپ کو مدد چاہیے تو برائے مہربانی اس کو سکول کے دفتر میں لے آئیں  
এই চিঠিখানা পড়তে যদি কারো সাহায্য চান তবে দয়া করে চিঠিখানা নিয়ে বিদ্যালয়ের অফিসে আসুন



<b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Creating portraits and masks of The Royal Family
<b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Coronation activities – wordsearches, emblem designs, pictures

There are also some events taking place locally if you would like to celebrate further:

### **The King's Coronation, Birmingham**

#### **Centenary Square, Birmingham, B1 1HQ, UK**

Two days of community focussed activity will take place on **Saturday 6th and Sunday 7th May 2023**, in Centenary Square, in the heart of Birmingham city centre from 1pm to 9pm, each day. The two days of celebrations will include live music, representing the vibrant diversity of Birmingham and the wider West Midlands, including performances from local acoustic musicians, choirs, live bands, cultural entertainment, street entertainers and MORE!

#### **Coronation Broadcast Live**

#### **Centenary Square, Birmingham, B1 1HQ, UK**

We will be premiering the Coronation Broadcast LIVE on the BIG Screen from **11 am on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May**. On Sunday we will be broadcasting the Coronation Concert LIVE on the BIG screen from 7pm. You won't miss any of the historic action!

### **Volunteering opportunities**

In tribute to His Majesty the King's lifetime of public service, Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May will be known as The Big Help Out which is an initiative to encourage people to volunteer in their local community. Visit [www.thebighelpout.org.uk](http://www.thebighelpout.org.uk) for more information.



## **Can you lend us a hand?**

To mark His Majesty The King's Coronation thousands of organisations across the country are getting together to give us all the chance to help out in our own local communities.

Starting on Monday 8th May there will be opportunities for everyone to join in. No matter what you are good at, there'll be something to suit helping hands of all shapes and sizes! From checking in on someone who'd like a bit of company or volunteering for a charity the more of us who join in, the bigger help we will be.

If you can spare an hour...fantastic. The day?...amazing. If it becomes a regular thing, so much the better. If we all do a bit, it will really help a lot.

**Help us to do something amazing. Join in, Lend a hand. Make a change.**

We would love to see any photographs of your coronation celebrations if you have any to share with us.

Many thanks,

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