

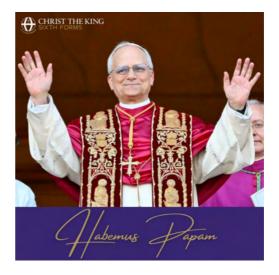
Alumni Newsletter May 2025



Exciting News: A New Era Begins with Pope Leo XIV

We are thrilled to announce that Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost has been named Pope Leo XIV, marking a historic moment as the first-ever pontiff from the United States. His leadership and vision will guide us into a new era, filled with hope and renewed faith.

Join us in welcoming Pope Leo XIV in Faith, Hope, and Love.



CTK's Big Lent Walk for CAFOD - Success!

Students and staff from Christ the King took part in The Big Lent Walk to support **CAFOD** and **SCIAF**. The event began at St George's Cathedral, Southwark, where participants walked through the Holy Doors, symbolising a journey of prayer and reconciliation.

This pilgrimage is a powerful reminder of Jesus' words in John 10:9: "I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture."

The walk was blessed by Cathedral Dean, Canon Michael Branch, adding a special spiritual significance to the event. The participants were united in their mission to raise funds for charity, demonstrating their commitment to making a positive impact in the community.

We are proud of the dedication and enthusiasm shown by our students and staff. Their efforts not only support a worthy cause but also embody the values of faith and service that are central to Christ The King Sixth Forms.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who participated and contributed to this meaningful event where we raised over £1,300.







Celebrating the Success of Our Easter Appeal

We are also thrilled to share the incredible success of our Easter appeal!

Thanks to the generosity of our students, staff, and members of the community, we collected over 1,200 Easter eggs. These donations have been distributed to our chosen charities, Demelza and SVP, bringing joy to many during the Easter season.

Both Demelza and SVP have expressed their heartfelt gratitude for the overwhelming support. Your contributions have made a significant impact, providing much-needed cheer and support to those in need.

We are immensely proud of our community's spirit and kindness. Thank you to everyone who participated and helped make this appeal a resounding success. Together, we have made a huge impact in our local community!







Quality in Careers Standard Recognition

We're delighted to share that The Quality in Careers Standard has recognised the excellence in careers education and guidance provision that we offer at Christ the King. This aligns with the Gatsby Benchmarks for outstanding career guidance. CTK ranks in the top 5% of institutions nationally for student progression onto university, degree apprenticeships or further education.

A huge thank you to our dedicated careers team and staff members for their unwavering commitment and exceptional contributions. Your hard work and passion make all the difference in supporting our students to achieve their career goals.





New for 2025

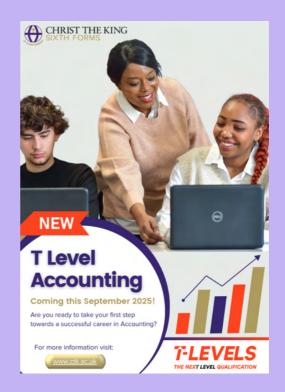
We're excited to launch our **new T Level in Accounting**at CTK, designed in collaboration with industry professionals to prepare students for real-world roles in finance and accountancy.

How to get involved...

If you're working in the accounting or finance sector, we'd love to connect with you!

Help us shape the next generation by supporting our course, offering insights, or exploring employer partnerships and industry placements.

Get in touch by <u>email today</u>, we'd love to hear from you.



Alumni News and Opportunities

CTK Emmanuel Alumnus Christopher Uyiekpen

Bridging Science and Creativity while giving back to his community

Former CTK Emmanuel student
Christopher Uyiekpen is breaking
boundaries – combining a career in
pharmacy with his passion for the
creative industries. After qualifying as a
pharmacist, Christopher launched *The*Gallery Creatives, a platform connecting
and promoting local artists. He recently
returned to CTK Emmanuel to speak at
our Evening of Celebration, inspiring
students with his message of resilience,
ambition, and giving back.
Read more about Christopher's story

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Join Our Team as an Exam Invigilator!

We are keen to appoint a number of reliable Exam Invigilators with a genuine passion in supporting students to achieve their full potential. Join us at one of our CTK Sixth Forms sites where you'll be central to our mission to help London's most ambitious students achieve success.

The exam day runs between **8am** and **5pm**, however agreed hours will be arranged to suit the exam timetable and the availability of individual invigilators.

For further details, read more HERE.



Thinking of becoming a Governor?

As an esteemed CTK alumni who has experienced the values of our community firsthand, your insight and perspective are invaluable. By joining the governing board, you'll have the opportunity to shape the future of CTK, support current students, and ensure that our mission continues to thrive. If you are passionate about giving back and making a difference, we would love to hear from you!

For further details, read more.



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