



THE CHURCH  
OF ENGLAND

**Kingsland CE (VA)  
Primary School**



# The Kingsland Times

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024

**Let your light shine**

**“Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:16**

**Let your light shine** on our vision:

*As God’s children, overflowing with His light, we will shine before others to inspire, nurture and bring joy so all may embrace life in its fullness to the glory of God.*

Our Christian value for this half-term is **FORGIVENESS**

**Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)**

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, we have had to alter a couple of planned events. The summer term is inevitably busy with a range of activities, and clashes will occasionally occur. Please note the following changes in advertised dates (apologies for any inconvenience):

**Sports’ Day will still be held on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June, but KS2 sports’ day will now be in the morning, starting at 9.15am, and KS1 will be held in the afternoon, starting at 1.15pm.**

**Class 1 will no longer swim on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June. Instead, their final swimming session will be on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July.**

**The planned Parents’ Show and Tell session on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May has had to be cancelled. However, your child’s exercise books will be sent home at the end of the term.**

**PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME**

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### Dates for your diary

WB 13 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 national assessment week
27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> May	Half term
WB 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check
WB 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Screening Check (Y1)
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	iSingPop concerts in Kingsland Church 2pm and 6pm
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Leavers' Service in Hereford Cathedral
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Sports' Day: KS2 9.15am; KS1 1.15pm</b>
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Annual reports sent home
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 high school transition day; class swap morning
11 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Y3/4 at Oaker Wood
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	End-of-year service in Kingsland Church 1.30pm; last day of term

Term dates can be found on the school website following the link:

<https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/term-dates/>

### Congratulations go to the following children who have received Headteacher's Awards:

**Helen, Ruby, Teddy, Madeline, Arthur, Thomas** and **Yarna** for super effort on all their home learning tasks this year and for reading regularly at home; **Leah, Ben, Cecily** and **Charlie** for super writing about sunflowers; **Faith, Mia, Leo, Jess, Anna, Lexi** and **Hatty** for super speech writing at home; **Harry** for incredible progress with reading; **Devon** for super doubling work; **Robyn** for super writing about going to the fair; **Ada** for achieving a Bronze award in the UK maths challenge – well done!

### Big Question

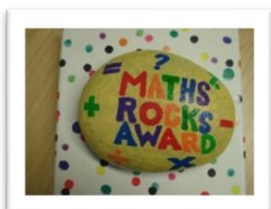
We continue our series of BIG QUESTIONS as a focus for family discussions. This week's BIG QUESTION is:

**If FORGIVENESS was a colour, which colour would it be? Why?**



### This week's attendance – well done Class 1!

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	School total
96.95%	96.39%	94.0%	95.76%	92.94%	95.05%



Every Friday, a child is awarded with "The Maths Rock" – this is given to a child who has worked especially hard in maths during the week. This week's winner is **Connie** ... Well done!

## House Tokens

**Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!**

Ambrey	Berrington	Croft	Mortimer
Jacob Grace Olivia Scarlett Thomas	The Class 1 Team Leo Mya Helen Ava Lexi James	Lexi Ava Meghan Devon	Rosie Olivia Ollie Will Myla Hector Iris

## UK Junior Maths Challenge

Last week, ten Y6 children 'Let their lights shine' in the UK Junior Maths Challenge, a national challenge for children up to school year Y8. A challenge is the correct word to use, as it is meant to really stretch the children's thinking and problem-solving skills! All the children excelled and rose to the challenge – a huge congratulations to Ada who achieved a BRONZE award! Well done!



# iSingPop

**Below is a copy of the letter sent out this week about our upcoming iSingPop project:**

In June, iSingPOP are coming to Kingsland CE Primary School where the children will be involved in a Christian singing and performing project.

iSingPOP helps children and families engage in Collective Worship in school, church and at home. They will be learning and performing a number of special songs with actions, which support the school values.

This will be the third iSingPop project the school has undertaken – both previous experiences have been absolutely fabulous and memorable. Photos of the 2022 iSingPop project can be found [here](#).

For more information about the iSingPOP experience visit: <https://www.isingpop.org>

**On 18th June, there will be two concerts in Kingsland St Michaels & All Angels Church, where we can join together as a community to celebrate the children's achievements. The first concert will begin at 2pm. The second concert will begin at 6pm; please ensure you arrive at the venue no later than 15 minutes before to ensure a prompt start. Each concert will last under an hour and we look forward to welcoming you. ALL CHILDREN WILL BE INVOLVED IN BOTH CONCERTS. Please put the date in your diaries!**

Children are to wear **school uniform for the first concert** and **school skirts or trousers / shorts with an iSingPOP top or another brightly coloured T shirt for the evening concert (one plain colour – the brighter the better – no logos; no football tops).**

iSingPOP clothing and CDs can be purchased in advance of concert day by visiting [www.isingpop.org/shop](http://www.isingpop.org/shop) and following the instructions on screen. A CD or digital download is available to purchase on the website which includes the songs the children will be learning.

## Special Offer

Use code **KINGSLAND24** to receive free delivery on your order, sent direct to the school. We guarantee your items will be delivered to the school in time for the concert when ordered by **10th June 2024**.

Orders received after this time or without the code will incur postage charges and may not arrive in time for the concert.  
Please note, iSingPOP is a not-for-profit organisation and any income from sales goes back into the charity.

Our iSingPop instructor, Carys, will be coming into school on 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> June to rehearse the songs with the children. On 13<sup>th</sup> June, there will be a recording day, when professional sound engineers will record the children singing the songs in order to create a CD / song downloads, which will be available to purchase after the project completes.

The children are sure to have a brilliant time learning the songs and actions, and we hope to see you at the concerts on 18th June. Information about tickets will be distributed nearer the concert dates.

Thank you to Kingsland Church and the PTA for contributing to the cost of what will be a thrilling iSingPop project.

iSingPop are keen to take publicity photographs and videos of the project, for use on their website and publicity materials. If you **DO NOT** wish to give consent for iSingPop to publish photographs of your child, please complete this online form: <https://forms.office.com/e/dzfuby6guu>

If this consent form is not completed, the assumption will be that photographic consent for your child is given. Please note that children's names will not appear on any publicity material.

**Oaker Wood**  
NATURALLY ADVENTUROUS

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## MAY HALF TERM - WHATS ON

Holiday Club for 7 - 11 yr olds, 28th, 29th & 30th May  
Teen Adventure Day for 12 - 16 year olds, 31st May  
FAMILY ACTIVITIES, FUN FOR ALL AGES!



FOR FAMILIES  
Woodland Krypton  
High & Low Ropes  
Target Shooting  
Quad Trek  
Escape Room



BRAND NEW!  
Arts & Crafts  
Holiday Club  
on Wed 29th  
May

Details & Book Online  
[www.oakerwoodleisure.co.uk](http://www.oakerwoodleisure.co.uk)



**KINGSLAND MILLENNIUM GREEN**

K.M.G.T. Charity Number 1070085

# FUN DOG SHOW

**SUN 19 MAY**

**ON THE GREEN**  
HR6 9QW



**2PM TO 4PM**

**(OR COME EARLIER  
WITH A PICNIC!)**



**£5 PER DOG FOR UP TO 10 CLASSES**

**TOMBOLA  
LUCKY DIP**

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## Book *now* for Stagecoach Summer term places!

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We're now taking bookings for our Summer term at **Stagecoach Hereford** which is based locally at St Mary's RC School, Lugwardine, Hereford and, as a parent of a child at a local school, we wanted to let you know about our classes. Stagecoach is open to boys and girls aged from 4-to-16 of all abilities. Siblings are welcome and enjoy a half-rate fee. Children from 4-to-6 are welcome to enrol in our 90-minute Early Stages classes.

Over a year, your child will enjoy **professional training in all aspects of theatre performance**. Working in a small group of students with supportive specialist teachers, each week this term your child will enjoy:

- an hour of **singing** from shows, films and a variety of popular music,
- an hour of **dance** using elements of modern, jazz and other styles,
- and an hour of **drama** covering a wide range of work and improvisation skills.

The variety within the sessions keeps them focused and enthused and after three hours of active, stimulating classes they are alert and stretched mentally and physically. Our Summer term ends with our annual theatre show in front of friends and family.

Stagecoach Hereford has won a national award for excellence from amongst the entire Stagecoach network, and it's amazing to see how our students have developed. Many parents tell us how their children have benefited – for some it's a new passion for the performing arts, for others it's an increase in confidence which shows in both their school and social life, for many it's the new friends they see each weekend.

<b>Main School (6 – 18 yrs)</b>	<b>Time</b>
Saturday AM	10:00am – 1:00pm

<b>Early Stages (4 – 6 yrs)</b>	
Saturday AM	9:30am – 11:00am

To book your **two-week trial** place, visit [www.stagecoach.co.uk/hereford](http://www.stagecoach.co.uk/hereford) or call me for more details on **01432 820818**.

**Jonathan Legg**  
Principal  
Stagecoach Hereford

**Book your two week trial place !!!**

- ACTING
- SINGING
- DANCE
- VOICE PROJECTION
- MEMORY
- BREATH CONTROL
- STAGE CRAFT
- IMPROVISATION
- RHYTHM
- CO-ORDINATION
- CHOREOGRAPHY
- CREATIVE WORK
- PRESENTATION SKILLS
- PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
- FLEXIBILITY
- STYLE
- CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT
- DRAMA STUDY
- ANNUAL PERFORMANCES
- AWARD SCHEMES
- PROGRESS REPORTS

Filled with Singing, Acting, Dancing, Crafts, Games, Team challenges, Quizzes & Competitions...  
You are in for a fun and energetic week!



## Summer School

Immerse yourself in a warm and encouraging environment, designed for personal growth, confidence, teamwork, friendships, and endless enjoyment!

**Monday 5th August -  
Friday 9th August 2024**

**£105 per student - £85 per sibling  
£25 Single Day**

**For ages 5 - 13 years 8.45am - 3pm**

[www.onevisionsoa.co.uk](http://www.onevisionsoa.co.uk)



Disney

# THE ARISTOCATS KIDS

**CRAZY, MAN — CRAZY!**

This jazzy, charming and adventurous stage adaptation is based on the 1970 Disney film and performed by our youngest students ages 5+

**Saturday 22nd June 2pm - 4pm - 6pm**

**Leominster Community Centre  
School Road, HR6 8NJ**

**Music & Lyrics by**

**Richard M. Sherman, Robert B. Sherman,  
Al Rinker, Floyd Huddleston and Terry Gilkyson**

Book Now: [www.onevisionsoa.co.uk](http://www.onevisionsoa.co.uk)

Disney's The Aristocats KIDS is presented through special arrangement with and all authorised materials are supplied by Music Theatre International, New York, NY 212-541-4684 mtishows.com

# Leominster Priory Holiday Club



## INCREDIBLE FEAST 2024

22nd-26th July  
9.30am until 3pm

This summer holiday join us for a week of fun in the Priory Church

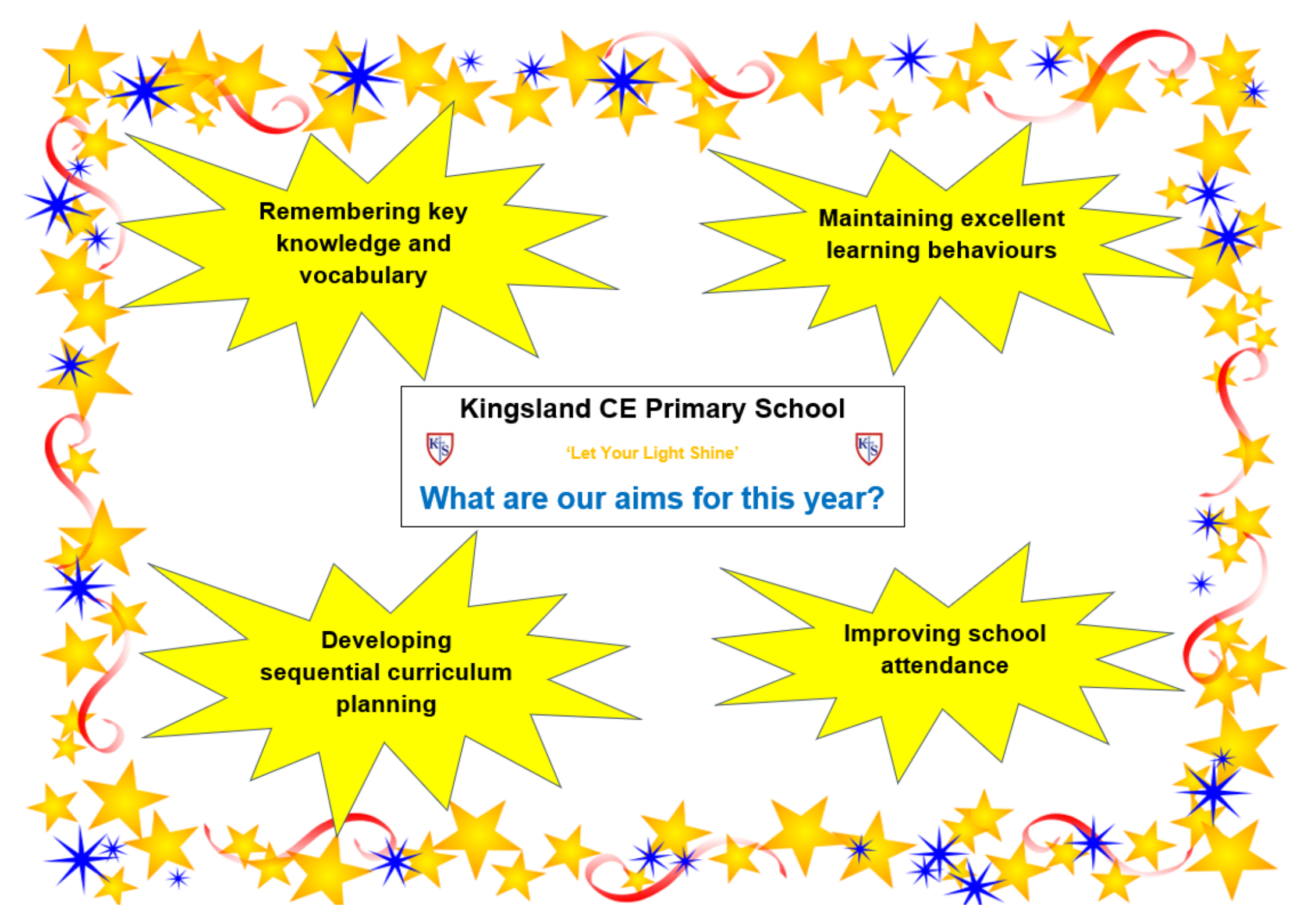
Prices for children in the same family:-

- One Child £60
- Second Child £45
- Additional children £35 each

Price includes all activities, drinks, fruit and t-shirt.

(We are able to offer a limited number of half price places  
for families in receipt of certain Benefits  
- phone for more detail

For a Booking Form contact Anna  
07766 004673 or email [anna@quelch2003.f9.co.uk](mailto:anna@quelch2003.f9.co.uk)



**Remembering key  
knowledge and  
vocabulary**

**Maintaining excellent  
learning behaviours**

**Kingsland CE Primary School**



*'Let Your Light Shine'*



**What are our aims for this year?**

**Developing  
sequential curriculum  
planning**

**Improving school  
attendance**



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(Matthew 5:16)**



This half term's Christian value is:

## FORGIVENESS

Educating for Community and  
Living Well Together



### A prayer for FORGIVENESS

The things I ought not to have done, dear Lord,  
I bring to the river of your forgiveness. I throw  
them into the torrent of your love and wait for  
them to be carried far from sight. Amen

### Christian Value Family Reflection

Welcome to our Christian Value Family Reflection which offers some suggestions, thoughts and ways into exploring and reflecting on the value of this half term: **FORGIVENESS**

#### A reflection on FORGIVENESS by Helen Webb, Chair of Governors

Forgiveness is one of the easiest and hardest of our Christian values. 'Sorry' can be easy to say but often we do not really mean it. Sometimes we cannot say it when we should because deep down inside, we are not sorry. By saying we are sorry we hope that we will be forgiven for something we have done wrong.

Someone bumps into you in the playground, 'sorry' they say and then run off. The next day the same person collides with you again and this time knocks you over, 'sorry' they say and run off again. Are they sorry? How many times should you forgive them? Can we forgive someone for hurting us when they are not really sorry?

We should all say sorry for things we have done wrong, or if we have hurt or upset someone. We all like to be forgiven.

I like cooking chocolate cakes. My children loved them. One day I baked a delicious chocolate cake but when I came to decorate it, all the flakes and the chocolate buttons in my pantry had disappeared. 'Why haven't you decorated the cake?' my family asked at teatime. I explained that the decorations had vanished. Silence from around the table; everyone looked guilty. Later, as I was washing up, my oldest daughter, Rachel, came into the kitchen; she was very sorry she had eaten the sweets with her friends when they had come around to play. 'That's OK, but next time ask first' I said and forgave her.

Easter usually means a lot of chocolate eggs! I had an 'Easter egg' cupboard where they were kept and eaten on the days following Easter. After the chocolate decorations' incident, Rachel's final Easter egg disappeared. She had saved it until last as it was an extra special one. Everyone else had finished theirs. She insisted someone had eaten her egg and was very cross. Eventually, after a heated family conference, her little sister, Ruth, admitted eating it and said sorry. Rachel was furious and refused to talk to her for a whole week. She would not forgive her little sister even though I had forgiven her for eating the decorations.

Sometimes it can be very hard to forgive, even someone you love. Ruth could not give the chocolate back to her sister because she had eaten it. Just saying sorry does not always make it right, but we still like to be forgiven.

There is a story in your Lion Storyteller Bible on pages 108 and 109 about forgiveness. Peter asks Jesus how many times you can forgive someone. Jesus tells a story about someone who is forgiven but cannot forgive when someone hurts them. When Jesus was dying on the cross, he cried out to God for forgiveness, not for himself, but for all of us, not just for those who had crucified him, but for all of us to be forgiven for our sins: 'Father, forgive them for they do not know what they are doing' (Luke Chapter 23, verse 34).

I have said 'sorry' to God many, many times. I hope he is not counting how many times I have asked for forgiveness!

How do you feel inside when you forgive someone who has hurt you?