

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

# Art Week 2017

From Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, we at Christ Church Academy will be taking part in 'Art Week'. To start our week, we will be visited by Steve Blaylock who is a well-known sculptor from Yorkshire. He will be working with small groups of children throughout Monday as part of a scrap motal project and we need

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## Do you have any of the following:

Tin cans (baked beans etc – washed!), yoghurt pots, milk bottle tops, metal coat hangers, any unwanted pieces of copper or aluminium, wood, twigs, fir cones.

If so, we would be very grateful if you could donate them to school by the end of this week as part of our scrap metal project.

Throughout the week, each Key Stage will work on individual topics as below:

## Nursery: Fruit and Veg

The children will be doing fruit and veg printing, making people out of different foods, and taking part in food technology.

### Reception & Key Stage 1: Flowers, Trees & Nature

The children will be sketching, leaf printing and bark rubbing as well as other activities.

### Key Stage 2: A Timeline of Art

The children will be focussing on different periods in time and learning about art and artists during that specific era.

During the week, we will also be working on a whole school display that incorporates our Learning Tree. Each child will paint their hand print on a part of the tree, to create a wonderful display for everyone to see.

We will also be running a competition from Reception class upwards, whereby children will be asked to draw an observational picture of the view from our school. There will be a prize for one child per class.

Once we have displayed our work we will be inviting parents into school to have a look, the date will be communicated in due course.

We are sure you will agree that this is going to be a very exciting week for all in school, and we look forward to showcasing the children's work in due course.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs P Foster Head Teacher



