**Knowledge Organisers**

Dear Parents/Carers,

At Christ the King, we are always encouraging our children to find out more about what they are learning in class at home. A knowledge organiser is a great tool to do this. A knowledge organiser is a document, usually no more than two sides of A4, that contains key facts and information that children need to have a basic knowledge and understanding of a topic.

Research suggests that revising, recapping and reviewing learning continually is a great way of embedding learning within long term memory. We use knowledge organisers within many of our subjects. These will be sent home with the children before they start the unit so they have the opportunity to explore and share their learning before they learn about it at school. The idea is that the pupils will have a basic understanding of a topic from the knowledge organiser which can be then expanded upon further within the lessons at school.

There are some strategies on the back of this letter which we hope will be helpful when supporting your children at home to use their knowledge organisers.

If you have any more questions regarding knowledge organisers, please don’t hesitate to ask your child’s class teacher.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs A Carter

**How to use a knowledge organiser**

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**Hide & Seek**

**Read through your knowledge organiser, put it down and try write out as much as you can remember . Then keep adding to it until it is full.**