# Find your way around the day on the CITV channel – there's something for everyone!

# For Younger Viewers



## **BRAND NEW**

Be inspired by Louie only on the CITV channel, all you need are crayons and paper! Louie loves to draw, something that's reflected in the bold graphic style of the show itself. Set in simple surroundings, Louie and his best friend Yoko the ladybird, embark on adventures initiated by

his drawings. Whether it's a boat, an umbrella, or a new house, Louie and Yoko use the drawings to learn about opposites, shapes, colours and sounds. The real magic of it all is that when the drawing is coloured in, it becomes real. Suddenly, Louie and Yoko are able to sail the boat, use the umbrella to keep them dry, or play in their new house. Every episode marks the beginning of a brand new adventure for Louie and the audience, with an opportunity every time to draw along with Louie at home. Based on the best-selling French picture books Didou, CITV is extremely proud to premier this charming programme.



### **BRAND NEW**

Fun, colourful and a true celebration of childhood, this is an unforgettable introduction to an irresistible new pre-school character. Paz is brave, he's adventurous, he's curious, he loves fish cookies and he's the cutest little penguin around. He lives in a beautifully bright coloured world in an igloo

house with his mum, Big Penguin. He's very close to his beloved grandpa, Pappy, who encourages Paz to go out and explore life, and to be an adventurer. Every episode Paz and his pals, Dog, Pig and Rabbit, embark on a new adventure, uniting a world of fantasy and the world that exists around them. Introducing everyday situations familiar to the pre-school audience, and inspiring an air of optimism and innocence, Paz and his friends sing songs, make up stories, play and pretend to their hearts content. Based on the 'Little Penguin' books by Irish children's author Mary Murphy, Paz is launching exclusively on CITV.



Learning Through Laughter

Meet Pocoyo, an unforgettable little boy with a very big personality. Pocoyo is one of CITV's flagship pre-school programmes, and is narrated by actor Stephen Fry, who guides Pocoyo with gentle humour as he explores the world around him. Pocoyo has a strong educational content, but never sacrifices its entertainment value or sense of fun. In fact, Pocoyo and his friends, Ellie, Loula, Pato and Sleepy Bird, encourage the viewer to learn through laughter, rather than leaving them feeling they have been taught. The characters, storylines, sounds and visual appeal of Pocoyo

have been carefully researched to ensure that it's perfectly tailored to encourage child development. Pocoyo takes pre-school entertainment one step further. It is visually very different to any other pre-school programme. Its innovative use of CGI animation allows Pocoyo to become a very real child – he moves, talks, plays and learns like a toddler, and he can sulk and throw tantrums like only a toddler can! Written by Andy Yerkes, best known for *Bear in the Big Blue House*, Pocoyo will take toddlers on a journey of learning through laughter in a revolutionary programme designed to entertain and educate parents and children.



Already a favourite on CITV, Engie and Jollop, voiced by TV favourites Ant and Dec, are getting a second home on the CITV channel! Engie Benjy is a vibrant, imaginative programme for pre-school viewers – and their parents! Engie himself is a Doctor Dolittle for engines, and helps to make things better in all sorts of ways for his friends and their vehicles. His engine mending team – Dan the Van and Jollop the Dog, can solve any engine trouble around.

Imagination knows no bounds in the magical, colourful and exciting world of Engie Benjy. Planes creep out to have parties at night and buses get tired and need holidays. Fisherman Fin and Boat are afraid of the sea, and woodland trees leap into the sky to play with Spaceship. Even the weather is fun, with Farmer Fred's fruity fizz cloud watering the ice-lolly fields every day. Join Engie Benjy and his friends every day on the CITV channel and make things better!



The CITV channel is home to all your favourite pre-school characters including Dora the Explorer. Her world is a colourful place, where solving problems becomes a playalong adventure. This unstoppable heroine guides kids through many new paths of learning and fun while learning Spanish along the way. Every adventure has an objective, and Dora with her best friend, a monkey named Boots, face many obstacles they must overcome. When they finally do

make it to their destination, kids know that Dora could not have made it without them!



Meet the Boohbahs, the brilliantly interactive show for preschoolers from Ragdoll, the creators of Teletubbies. Humbah, Zumbah, Zing Zing Zingbah, Jumbah and Jingbah – five sparkling atoms of mischievous energy and

fun that allow the children to control the screen action by using the magical word 'Boohbah'. The Boohbahs gallop, bounce, spin and dance and have an infectious impact on children who are encouraged to join in. Travelling the world in their Boohball, they visit children, introducing Storyworld characters like Mrs Lady, Mr Man, Grandmamma, Grandpappa, Brother and Sister, Auntie and Little Dog Fido. Children are encouraged to make up stories about the characters, predict different endings and develop thinking skills through the art of comedy.



Mopatop's Shop is open for business! It's the only store on the High Street where you can get anything you want – a rainbow, a bee's knee, a cloud, or even a friend. Mopatop is the big, friendly proprietor of the magical store, and along with his helpful assistant Puppyduck, are ready to serve up anything their customers may desire. Money is never exchanged in the shop, instead the currency is a song, or a dance in exchange for a wish! While the two friends go about their business, they are observed from above by

Moosey, a mischievous little mouse who lives with his family in the attic over the shop. With puppets devised by The Jim Henson Company, and made at Henson's Muppet Workshop in New York, Mopatop's Shop is a quality show for pre-schoolers, designed to entertain and delight, as well as nurture the imagination of the viewer.



Welcome to the factory! It's fun, it's exciting and it makes fab songs! Join Ozzy, the Fun Song Factory Foreman, his nephew Little Harry and the five Fun Song crew as they search for clues to the songs that will help them with the problem or task of the day. The Fun Song crew is made up of five workers, each with their very own job to carry out within the factory itself. Melody is in charge of the music, OJ is the factory-fixer when things go wrong, Page loves books and looks after the factory archives, Cookie provides the lunch in the factory canteen, and Cal takes care of actions and movement. Between them, they've got fun covered every day at the Fun Song Factory. In every show, the Fun Song crew gets the young audience involved with

singing the action songs, solving the puzzles and having fun fun fun! Viewers can join in too, singing and dancing along to the songs they know and love, plus a whole host of new ones. Factories have never been so fun!



Bafta winning Ripley and Scuff charge through the CITV channel pre-school schedule every day, bringing high energy entertainment with them! Ripley and Scuff travel all over the country in their super-powered jet car, visiting towns and schools and meeting children, inviting them – and the viewers – to share in their adventures and have a Top Banana time! There's lots of music, lots of fun, and lots of good old-fashioned messing around! Join in with Ripley and Scuff, and dance and sing along with Ripley's Rascals, their very own rock band! Meet Grandad Gordon, who's always ready to give a helping hand, especially when it comes to drawing and making loads of brilliant things.

There's Strid, the boys' little sister, who loves to join in with all the fun, and last but not least, Bargie, Ripley and Scuff's pet baby doggy-monster! He's supposed to stay behind in the cave but always manages to come along for the ride! Fasten your seatbelts and jump into the jet powered car for the ultimate ride in pre-school entertainment.



Another Bafta award winner for the CITV channel! Hilltop Hospital is a wonderful place where people can go to get better whether they have two legs, four legs or even a hundred! This is ER for little ones, a fantastic pre-school medical soap-opera with more bounce than a baby bunny! Hilltop is a hospital run for animals by animals, and is guaranteed to appeal to aspiring doctors and nurses

whatever their age! The friendly hospital staff make sure Hilltop Hospital keeps running properly and helps all sorts of animals in need – from giraffes with sore necks to over-heated penguins, hyper hedgehogs and snakes who have lost their slither! The dedicated staff ought to fight like cats and dogs but they pull together to cope with the heart-rending and the hilarious. It's all in a day's work at Hilltop!

# **For Older Viewers**

**BRAND NEW** 



The only girls with a passion for fashion are getting their own TV show, and it's happening exclusively on the CITV channel. Catch the first episode on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March on Holly and Stephen's Saturday Showdown and meet best friends Cloe, Yasmin, Jade and Sasha. They'll show you how they juggle their cool teen mag, school work and

personal life in these high stylin' CGI episodes. Packed full of funky fashions, friendship and flirtation, the Bratz girls are the best at finding adventures that take them from high school, to exotic far-flung cities – and even to outer space. Life in the Bratz camp isn't always peaches and cream though, particularly where rival magazine editor Burdine Maxwell is concerned. Burdine has long blonde hair, only wears pink and considers herself fashion royalty – can the girls take on the ageing queen of fashion and inject some of their own cool and funky style? Don't miss the UK premier of Bratz the TV series every day at 4.30pm on the channel to find out. It's going to rock your world!



#### **BRAND NEW**

Get your laughing gear round the new children's sitcom launching only on the CITV channel. Uncle Dad stars the kids from hell, their off-the-wall uncle, and if that wasn't enough to keep the drama coming, a house full of exotic

animals! The Devlin children are a bunch of feisty brothers and sisters who are dumped on their eccentric Uncle Roy. There's Justin, who at 16 is the eldest of the Devlin children. He's a pretty serious type, and is used to taking on the role of head of the family. Although in some ways older than his years, he's not very experienced with the fairer sex, and he battles with his geek image that sometimes masks the fact he's a really nice guy. Then there's rebel sister Charlie, whose ambition is to make it as a thrash guitarist, and in stark contrast, Anna, the obsessively tidy mother figure, whose greatest dream is to be Head Prefect. Wind up merchant Elliot is the prankster of the family and youngest member, Debs, may be the baby of the group but she is the wisest. Debs hasn't spoken since their mother died but seems totally happy within herself. In place of speech she expresses her feelings through drawing and she also happens to be a compulsive knitter. Above all, the Devlins stick together and poor Uncle Roy, a single, self-sufficient anthropologist, is far more comfortable dealing with exotic animals and jungle tribes than children like the Devlins. Uncle Roy is determined to get rid of the unruly children, but the kids are equally determined to stay. In a house that is part jungle, part zoo (and all mad), Uncle Roy and the kids battle it out to decide whose rules prevail. Book in with Uncle Dad for lots of laughs and animal action every weekend on the CITV channel.



#### **BRAND NEW**

If you're animal mad, love Madagascar, Racing Stripes and A Shark's Tale then Animal Spies is definitely for you! Follow the adventures of real wild animals in their natural habitat, as they're brought to life in a unique series where

quality wildlife footage meets clever story telling. Meet Fast Freddy, an animated mouse voiced by comedian Lenny Henry. He lives inside a globe in a little boy's bedroom, and when the coast is clear joins his friends, the old brown bear Ted, voiced by Ricky Tomlinson and Toady, voiced by Jenny MacAlpine, best known for her role as Fizz in Coronation Street for exotic adventures. Using the globe as a gateway to action on far continents, the animation moves into live action animal adventure as the show explores animals and birds from around the world. Exciting, dangerous, funny and fast-paced, comedy and learning come together in this fantastic new CITV series.



CITV Cracks Chicken Little – movie special – **BRAND NEW** Join CITV presenter Jamie Rickers for an exclusive show about Disney's latest box office hit, Chicken Little. This is no ordinary behind-the-scenes programme however, as Jamie tackles the possibility of a global crisis! As a responsible reporter, Jamie is sharing his findings with CITV viewers everywhere, as he investigates Chicken Little's claims that . . . THE SKY IS FALLING IN! Featuring

interviews with the team behind the movie, including Director Mark Dindal and Producer Randy Fullmer, and the stellar cast of voice talent in the film, Zach Braff, Joan Cusack, Steve Zahn and Patrick Stewart, CITV Cracks Chicken Little is a rollercoaster ride through the film making process – with a difference.



## **BRAND NEW**

Watch the UK premier of the brand new series of this smash-hit show only on CITV. Leonardo, Raphael, Michaelangelo and Donatello started life as pet turtles, but were mutated by a mysterious green slime. Raised in the sewers of New York City by their wise sensei, Master Splinter, they learned martial arts, and mastered the skills

of stealth and fighting to become a team of green, mean fightin' machines! And they're going to need everything they've every learned in order to take on the might of the evil Foot Ninjas and their fearsome leader, the Shredder. Picking up from where the last series ended, we join the Ninja Turtles recuperating from their last all-out-kick-butt ninja run in with the Shredder, but it's not long before trouble comes a knockin' once more!



## **BRAND NEW**

Betty is certainly one of a kind, and she's zooming onto the channel with some brand new episodes to prove it! As far as Betty's friends and family are concerned, she's the sweet, brainy girl next door, but when the galaxy's in trouble, she sheds her humdrum persona and becomes Atomic Betty, Galactic Guardian and Defender of the Cosmos! Helped by her faithful crew, Sparky, the hyper-enthusiastic, hyper-hungry and frankly, hyper, co-pilot of the Galactic Starcruiser, and Robot X-5, a mobile encyclopaedia of the universe – always helpful to have on board! Together the team must take on super-villain, the Supreme Overlord Maximus I.Q. who wants nothing more

than to destroy Betty and everything good in the world. With his long-suffering assistant, Minimus P.U. (Portable Underling), Maximus is desperate to track Betty down to her secret base and wreak havoc on life as we know it. Betty's determined to stop him and save the universe, all the while ensuring that no one back home suspects a thing. If her mum and dad knew she was out zooming through the cosmos without a license, she'd be grounded for sure!



This multi-award winning show is the biggest, boldest and funniest comedy show around, and for the first time it's available on CITV every day! Prepare to meet the world's weirdest family. Alien mum and dad, Sophie (Carla Mendonca) and Brian Johnson (Tony Gardner) are all set to take on close encounters of the suburban kind, as the zany

space-cadet couple embark on more lessons in earth culture. With an eighth series due to go into production this year, My Parents Are Aliens just gets better and better. Spare a thought though for the Johnson's foster kids, the very non-alien Josh (Alex Kew), Lucy (Charlotte

Franceis) and CJ (Olisa Odele), plus the latest recruit, Harriet (Stephanie Fearon). Although they know that Brian and Sophie are metamorphosed aliens from the planet Valux, it isn't something they particularly want bandied about. If only Brian and Sophie were able to stop morphing quite so often, or if Sophie could try and prepare more normal foodstuffs. My Parents Are Aliens is funny, wacky and a long-running CITV favourite. With brand new episodes coming later in the year, don't forget to join the gang every day at 5pm as they settle in at the CITV channel, a million light years from home.



Step aside Indiana Jones and make way for Michael Underwood! The award-winning Jungle Run is one of CITV's top rating shows and a brilliant action adventure game show. The breathtaking set is one of the biggest in the country, and is packed full of genuine jungle plants, creeping vines and exotic animals. Jungle Run takes teams

of intrepid young explorers on a quest through a series of death-defying tropical games and jungle challenges, designed to test the nerve of any budding hero. With Michael Underwood as their fearless guide, the teams scale pyramid walls, swing across rivers of volcanic lava and open ancient tombs trying to win monkey statues along their way. The ultimate mission is to collect enough monkeys to buy them time in the show's infamous final destination – The Temple of the Jungle King. With fantastic prizes on offer there's everything to play for . . . .but as the clock counts down there's also the risk that you'll get locked inside for ever!



Naughty children get a taste of their own nasty medicine in this award winning creepy cartoon. Grizzly Tales is a longrunning favourite on CITV. Adapted from the books by Jamie Rix and voiced by actor Nigel Planer (The Young Ones), these spine-chilling stories serve as modern-day cautionary tales to naughty children everywhere. Best behaviour is the order of the day, otherwise you might find yourself getting into a sticky situation. Evil little girls are stuffed and sold off as teddy bears, greedy boys are turned

into sage and onion sausages, and bothersome brothers are sent to the deepest, darkest bowels of the earth. Each episode begins with a creepy cinema owner emerging from the dingy depths of the projectionist's room. As he sets the show reel rolling, keep your eyes peeled for the gruesome grub wriggling around in the popcorn box, sit back, and enjoy the show . . .



Think *Little Britain* for kids with this wacky sketch show. The first CGI animation from creators of Wallace and Gromit, Aardman Animation, it features a mad-cap cast of new characters and a whole host of quirky catchphrases. A rapid-fire, high-energy format leaves viewers laughing and entertained. Planet Sketch is Aardman's first kids' TV series since The Amazing Adventures of Morph, and is exclusive to CITV viewers. Every episode is set in the Planet Sketch 'hood, and features a cast of recurring characters that reflect the lives of kids today. Meet the Street Rappers, a group of mean and moody dudes who

like playing soppy skipping games when nobody's looking, the Gnaughty Gnomes, cheeky little garden gnomes who delight in playing gross-out pranks on innocent passers by, and the Parping Ponies, two horses who never manage to hold down a decent job due to flatulence issues! Planet Sketch contains a totally unique brand of comedy, edgy design and high quality animation. The brilliant cast, with their outrageous behaviour and catchphrases, are destined for playground popularity the country over!



Don't miss the latest instalment in the Transformers saga on the CITV channel. The new series picks up where Transformers Armada left off, at the end of a huge battle with the evil Unicron. Megatron has once more been

defeated and this time he is left trapped inside Unicron who begins to use him as a means to grow strong again. As both the evil Transformers robots are restored to their former selves, they develop a plan to destroy the Earth and Unicron agrees to give the Decepticons a new power, which will increase their weapons and strength to Super powers. It's not long before the Autobots discover their plan! Armed with technology that allows them to combine with each other at will, the Autobots, led as ever by Optimus Prime, are determined to stop Unicron from re-energizing. The battle has started again and this time it's the Earth that is at risk. Catch Transformers Energon every morning on the CITV channel.



Imagine life in the future, one generation into the future to be precise. Yu-Gi-Oh! GX tells the story of a boy named Jaden Yuki. Jaden's ambition is to make it through the hallowed door of the Duel Academy. Although late to the exams, Jaden is still allowed to join. Yu-Gi-Oh! follows the adventures of Jaden Yuki and a new and exciting group of duelists as they begin their training at the prestigious Duel Academy. Join Jaden – and his friend and idol Yugi Moto -

as he begins to learn how to become a strong duellist in time to defeat his rivals, every morning on the CITV channel.



Meet SpongeBob Squarepants: a sea sponge who lives in a two-storey pineapple in the undersea city of Bikini Bottom, nestled deep in the tropical pacific. But SpongeBob isn't any old sea sponge, he's the craziest, most loveable sea sponge around. His two closest friends - Patrick Star (a starfish of course!) and Sandy Cheeks (the world's only undersea surfer girl squirrel), are usually close by

whenever his good intentions land him in hot water! SpongeBob's party tricks range from spraying himself with invisible spray to inflating his pants with a hair dryer to make him fly! You won't want to miss it, watch it every weekend on the CITV channel.



Join Holly and Stephen for the launch of the CITV channel on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March. There will be all the usual fun and games plus a chance to experience the first simulcast of the channel! And there's a twist – when Holly and Stephen introduce the line up of the morning, viewers are given the choice of watching SpongeBob Squarepants and Drake and Josh on ITV1 or tuning into the CITV channel for the premier of the all-new super cool Bratz TV show and Grizzly Tales! Don't miss Saturday morning in Holly and

Stephen's cool new pad, with celebrity guests and bands dropping in every week, plus loads of new games and features. Each week, viewers will be able to register on the Showdown database and get more interactive than ever before, giving Stephen and Holly the power to call them at any time throughout the morning to take part in the show! In addition to the live fun, competitions, games and mayhem, Holly & Stephen's Saturday Showdown will feature videos, cartoons, live chat and the very latest gossip from the hottest celebrity guests and the best bands in pop. Don't miss Holly and Stephen's Saturday Showdown Extra that kicks in straight after the main show on the CITV channel, featuring more fun, games and brand new episodes of Atomic Betty.



One of the greatest TV heroes of all time has arrived on the CITV channel - welcome back Sooty! He's got a new home and he's settling in just fine. This little yellow bear is known all over the world for his cheekiness, blatant naughtiness and total silence, and has fans across all generations. His friends, Sweep and Soo, are equally as famous and join him on the channel for plenty of mischief and fun at Hotel Sooty. Despite his good intentions, Sooty usually manages

to misinterpret most things said or suggested by Richard, Manager of Hotel Sooty. This results in utter chaos, taking the combined puppet power of Sooty, Sweep and Soo to help get Richard and Vicky out of trouble. With the reputation of the hotel to hold up, and plenty of day to day running to organise, Sooty and his friends have plenty on their plates – and plenty to go wrong! CITV is very excited to bring Sooty to a whole new generation of viewers.



Winner of 10 major international awards, Art Attack is a long-running favourite on CITV. Packed full of visual delights and irresistible ideas to try at home, presenter Neil Buchanan encourages kids to find their inner creative genius and take them through the 'I can't do that' barrier. Neil, who has never had an art lesson in his life, insists that 'Art should be fun'. And that's what he's been proving to viewers of all ages for 18 series! Set amongst the giant pots of paint and pencils, Art Attack is highly visual, fast moving and exciting. From Lolly Lettering and Groovy Blob

Writing to creating your own bedroom cosmos, Art Attack shows kids how to experiment with colour and materials, and is packed with the kind of vibrancy guaranteed to encourage children and their families to get stuck in and have a go!



Can the human body be explosive? Is Dover Castle haunted? Is it possible to turn a glass of water upside down without spilling it? Let's Prove It! Presented by Joe

Challands and Jamie Rickers, Prove It! is the ultimate investigative experience where kids can seek out the truth for themselves. Our super science sleuths will go to the ends of the earth in pursuit of the evidence that will satiate a kid's querulous mind. It is a fast paced show that will stop at nothing to separate fact from fiction. There's the 60 Second Challenge, where Jamie and Joe achieve the seemingly impossible in just one minute, Test the Truth, Fred's Shed with the legendary Fred Talbot and U Prove It, where children get the opportunity to prove that they can do something amazing. Join the boys on the CITV channel as they show you how to Prove It!



Breathtaking animation meets mind-blowing action in this dramatic CITV series, based on the original Captain Scarlet and the Mysterons. Every episode packs all the punch of a blockbuster movie, and with Scarlet no longer held back by his strings, the latest motion capture techniques and CGI

animation brings the series bang up to date for a new generation of fans. The story begins 20 years after man's first steps on Mars, and follows the adventures of the security force Spectrum in its attempts to protect Earth from the evil Mysterons. Spectrum agents Captain Scarlet and Captain Black are assigned to investigate mysterious signals emanating from Mars. Finding an alien city, Black launches an attack, angering the Mysterons, who capture him and turn him into one of them. Captain Scarlet manages to escape but the attack leaves him with a genetic condition making him virtually indestructible. Putting his new found strength, and the Spectrum team, to the test, Scarlet and his friends embark on their biggest battle yet – Earth versus Mars. Scheduled to show on the Channel at weekends, Captain Scarlet is set to become a firm family favourite.



You can keep your David Blaines and Dom Jolys, stand by to be amazed as CITV presenter Stephen Mulhern presents a magic show with a difference. With hidden cameras and celebrities as part of the line up, this is a show that promises to shock and entertain! For the first time ever, magic and wind-ups have been put together in a show especially formulated for kids. Packed full of surprise stunts, wicked wind-ups and top tricks, every episode sees

Stephen going undercover on the streets of the UK to perform some classic wind-ups on members of the public. He might be disguised as the loudest librarian in Leeds one day, or a useless ice cream seller in a busy shopping centre in Manchester the next. And who knows what will happen when London Zoo allows Stephen, masquerading as a bumbling, ageing zoo keeper, to mind the insect house? Not only do viewers get to see some of the coolest magic tricks around, but Stephen will also teach them how to do some brilliant tricks at home. Now that's magic!



Find out what Holly Willoughby and Steve Wilson nightmares are made of as we put pressure on these two CITV stars to experience what scares them most! Feel the Fear reveals their 'caught on camera' behaviour as each week Holly and Steve take it in turns to face their particular phobias with the guidance of popular TV psychologist

Anjula Mutanda. Every episode opens with a phonecall from the challenging presenter, who reveals which fear they are challenging their co-host to face. Will it be sharks, spiders, rats – or maybe heights, rollercoasters or flying? Holly and Steve will have their heart rate monitored to gauge the extent of their fear. Feel the Fear is packed full of interesting facts about how fear works and where our phobias come from, as well as revealing insights about the presenters from their friends and family, including *MOM*'s Stephen Mulhern, and video diary footage from Holly and Steve themselves. Feel the Fear is not a battle of physical prowess but of mind over matter and determination to conquer fear. Holly Willoughby vs Steve Wilson – who will be the bravest? Find out on the CITV channel.