

St Robert's R.C. First School Newsletter

23rd September 2021

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We care, we serve, we learn together in the love and truth of Jesus



Next week's Statement to live by: I know what to do if I see someone being hurt

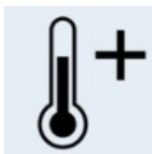
Upcoming Diary Dates

Monday 27/9	Keyboards Liturgy Y3 swimming Trust consultation begins 3weeks
Tuesday 28/9	PE—PE kits to be worn to school Football Club (Mr Hall)
Wednesday 29/9	Y4 Ukulele
Thursday 30/9	Violins Multiskills Club (Liz Ions)
Friday 01/10	Celebration assembly



COVID-19 What symptoms to look for...

A new and continuous cough!



A high

temperature

A loss or change in taste/smell

Please inform school immediately if your child or any family member in the

National Fitness Day: It was fantastic to be part of National Fitness Day. The children enjoyed being active. They enjoyed jump start Jonny, aerobics, dance and the mile run to mention a few activities that were completed throughout the day.

For more ideas on how you and your child/children can stay fit and healthy visit the National Fitness Day website: <https://www.nationalfitnessday.com/>

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY: Images from celebration assembly will no longer appear on the newsletter. They will be posted on School Story every Friday for parents and carers to see.

SCHOOL OPEN DAY: We will be hosting a school Open Day for any new prospective parents on Thursday 14th October from 9:30am—6:30pm. We have produced a flyer which will be shared on Class Dojo, please share with anyone who might be interested. Bookings should be made via the School Office.

BISHOP BEWICK TRUST CONSULTATION: On Monday 27th September a 3 week consultation will begin. It is a consultation to convert to Academy status and join the Bishop Bewick Catholic Education Trust (formerly Sacred Heart Partnership of Schools). Within the process you will be able to share your opinions about the school joining the Trust. For further information about the Trust please visit:

bishopbewickcet.org

A letter from me and the Chair of Governors (Fiona Swift) will be shared on Monday 27th Sept to formally start the process of consultation.

EARLY YEARS PARENTS MEETING: We are holding a meeting on Tuesday 5th October at 9.30am for Nursery and Reception parents/carers to explain the new curriculum and give you the opportunity to explore both classroom environments and ask any questions to help support your child with their learning.

NAMES ON SCHOOL CLOTHING AND WATER BOTTLES: can parents and carers please ensure that their child's name (or family name) is on their jumpers and cardigans. The same applies to water bottles. We would recommend this website: <https://www.stikins.co.uk/> for labels which are both washing machine and dishwasher proof!

FREE SCHOOL MEALS: All pupils in reception, year one, and year two are entitled to a free meal, without having to apply for this. However, if you are on any form of benefit you may be eligible to apply for free school meals and this means that the school would receive extra funding. This also entitles your child to free school milk after the age of 5.

ADMISSIONS: Applications into Middle (Y5), Secondary (Y7) and High School (Y9) for September 2022 entry opened on 12th September. Please log on via the NCC website and apply before 31st October. Applications received after 31st October will be classed as 'late' and will not be processed until all 'on time' applications have been allocated. The following link will provide further information and guidance: [click here](#)

Online Admissions Portal for Reception admissions will open on the 1st of November 2021.

FLU VACCINES: Due to the rollout of Covid-19 vaccines for 12-15 year olds, the flu immunisation date for St Robert's has been changed to Monday 15th November 2021.

CARPARK: A reminder that the car park should not be used between the hours on 8:30am and 3:30pm. Thank you in advance for your support.

CAR PARKING AT PET HQ: Just a reminder that the spaces down the side of Pet HQ



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