



HOLY NAME CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER : JANUARY 2022

Please be advised that all school documentation is available in different formats, on request.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Welcome back to everyone. We hope you all had a lovely Christmas and enjoyed the New Year celebrations. We hope that everyone's New Year's resolution is to ensure your children arrive at school on time every day. Please remember that the school opens at 8.45 am but all pupils should be in school by 8.55 am before the bell goes and the door closes. Pupils who arrive after that time will have to enter via the main entrance and will be marked down as late. We now have a new, electronic signing in system which requires all children who are late to sign in and state the reason for being late.

TOY APPEAL DONATIONS

Thank you to everyone who donated gifts to the local toy appeal, organised by Fazakerley Federation. Mrs Hughes took a car full of stuff that staff and parents/carers and pupils had donated. I am sure everyone will feel happy and proud that they have helped people in need, especially at this time of year.

NURSERY/RECEPTION

Please do not forget to apply for a place in Reception if your child turns four by 31 August this year. Please inform others who you think need to know too. The closing date for applications for Reception starters in September 2022 is 15 January 2022.

SPARE UNIFORMS/UNDERWEAR

If you have any spare uniforms still in good condition that your child has grown out of, please send them into school for us to pass on to families to use as spares until they can get to the uniform shop or for us to give to children who need to get changed. Also, if you have any underwear, socks, tights etc belonging to school that your child has come home in, please pass them back to school as we are constantly running out and have to purchase more. Thank you.

PARKING

We ask that ALL parents/carers park considerately to keep OUR children safe, especially at this time of year with the inclement weather and dark mornings. Some people are still pulling up over the zig zags and with two wheels on the pavement. This is not fair to others who take the time and make the effort to park safely and unfortunately and it is dangerous for people who have to leave the pavement and cannot see the road clearly. It is sad that the majority of people park carefully and the same minority who do not consider the welfare of others.

WEBSITE

Please remember to check the website on a regular basis as the information is updated on a regular basis.

NSPCC NUMBER DAY

Friday 4 February is NSPCC Number Day. We will be asking the children to dress up with a number on them or their clothes. We are also asking for a £1 donation for NSPCC

Please do not go out and buy anything; there are some great ideas on the video link that Mrs Burns posted on Dojo.

READ WRITE INC

We are delighted with how well the children have adapted to our new phonics/reading scheme and they are making lots of progress. Thank you to parents and carers for your support; can we ask that you look after any books that are sent home with the children as we have spent a lot of money purchasing the resources and want to keep them for as long as possible.

LIBRARY BOOK DONATIONS

We will gladly accept any unwanted books (in good condition) for our class libraries, thank you.

MARRIAGE & FAMILY SUPPORT TEAM (Archdiocese)

This is offered by Jackie Brougham who can be contacted on Tel: 0789 179 5145 or by Email: jackiebrougham@btinternet. com.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

17.01.22 = Health and Well Being Week

01.02.22 = Celebration of Chinese New Year (01 February)

27.01.22 = Holocaust Memorial Day

28.01.22 = Big School Birdwatch

04.02.22 = NSPCC Number Day

School closes for half term on Friday 18 February at 3.00 pm

School re opens on Monday 28 February at 8.45 am