



**HOLY NAME CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**NEWSLETTER: JUNE 2023**

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

**RE TOPIC**

**The focus of this term's work in Religious Education is the role the Holy Spirit plays in our lives. We will continue to study the themes of, Reconciliation (Inter-relating) and Universal Church (World).**

**HOLY NAME WORLD CUP**

The teams have been selected and the tournament will begin straight after half term. Because of the congested timetable, we will be playing matches at short notice so we require all the children taking part to bring in their school PE kits every day, so that they are ready to play. Children must wear their school PE kit or a white T-shirt and navy shorts to play in the tournament.

**ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORMS**

Please ensure your children are accessing the various online learning platforms we have available, especially Whiterose '1 Minute Maths', Doodle Maths, TT Rockstars and Reading Plus.

**SATS**

You may have seen reports that this year's KS2 SATS were particularly difficult and we have to agree that they were. We are delighted with how our pupils approached the tests; with calm determination and resilience.

**READING BOOKS AND READING RECORDS**

Please encourage your child to read every day and then sign the reading record for them, even if they read an online book. It is very important that the children read every day, especially because of the interruptions to learning they have faced in the last three years.

**CHILDREN'S BELONGINGS**

Please remember to label all items of your child's belongings to make it easy to identify any that go missing. Please check any clothing that you may have labelled at the beginning of the year in case the label has worn off or fallen off. Thank you.

**REPORTING ABSENCES**

Please contact school by telephone before 8.45 am if your child is going to be absent.

**PE KIT**

The school PE tracksuit is available at Laser Schoolwear, our uniform supplier, in County Road at a cost of £20 for the tracksuit bottoms and hooded, zipped jacket. Otherwise, it is navy shorts and white round necked t shirt. Please follow school rules and do not send



your child to school in other bright coloured, named sportswear. Laser Schoolwear stock the school t shirts with the Holy Name badge on.

### **BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB (OUT OF HOURS)**

If you need your child to attend Breakfast Club and/or After School Club, please complete the online form the week before to ensure your child has a place. If possible, pay online. Ms Hunter will provide the necessary details. If you are still in arrears for fees, we would be grateful if you could settle the amount owed. If you owe money, it could result in your child losing their place. Any monies owed will be credited to your account. Cost for Breakfast club - before 8.00 am = £3, after 8.00 am = £2.00 and after school = £7.00 per day.

**If you require a place in After School Club on the same day, please contact school before 2pm, so that we can ensure that class teachers receive the message in time.**

### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Please put suntan lotion on your child during sunny days before school. Children can bring suntan lotion to school if they have sensitive skin and they will be supervised re applying it. Please ensure it is clearly labelled with their name and put into a bag with a note from yourselves giving permission for it to be re applied. Jelly shoes, sliders and open toed sandals should not be worn for school. The children are running round during playtimes and sometimes the field is a bit damp. Long hair should be tied back and nail varnish should not be worn to school.

### **PARKING**

Thank you to everyone who still has children attending at the moment for parking safely and not across the zig zag lines and over people's driveways. 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](mailto:jackiebrougham@btinternet.com).

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**School closes today at 3.00 pm**  
**School reopens on Monday 12 June at 8.45 am**  
**Year 4 Times Tables Check WB 12/6/23**  
**Year 1 Phonics Screening Check WB 19/6/23**

**We hope you all have a lovely half term break and we will see you all again in June.**  
**Thank you.**