



Newsletter - 3 July 2020

[Please remember to view the school calendar/website for further information](#)

Our Catholic Mission

Mass that parishioners can attend will start again next week - full details will be on the parish newsletter this weekend.

St Peter & Paul is also now open for private prayer on Tuesdays (10 am – 2 pm) and Thursdays (4 pm – 8 pm). It is recommended that you watch the [video tour](#) before your visit.

Lunch provision

Parents requiring a school meal must book on ParentPay by Tuesday of the week before. (unfortunately late bookings are not possible at this time).

Goodbye and Good Luck

We are saying a fond farewell to Max, Noah and Oscar this week. We wish them the very best for the future.

Class pupil numbers

If you know anyone who is in need of a school place for their child/ren from September 2020, we have spaces in Y1/Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6. We anticipate these places will be filled quickly so would encourage mid year applications to be submitted as soon as possible. Further information can be found on the school website.

Return of reading/library books and collection of exercise books

If your child (or child's sibling) is not currently able to attend school, please can you return labelled reading/library books and collect your child's exercise books on the following dates:

YR/Y5 Friday 10 July 2 pm – 3 pm

All books can be returned/collected from under the Pre School canopy.

Summer Reading Challenge

If you've not done so already, please [sign your child up](#) for this year's [Summer Reading Challenge](#) which is available now online.

Home Learning

We are so proud of all the children who are still working their socks off at home! We have seen some wonderful examples of work over the last few weeks.

Closure of School for Summer

On Friday 26th June, the Department for Education (DfE) released a statement confirming that there is no expectation for schools to open for vulnerable children and children of critical workers over the summer holiday. They also stated that 'Teachers, support staff and school leaders deserve a break to recharge and rest.' Therefore, I can confirm that our last day of opening for the summer term is Friday 17th July 2020. In September, school will be having two INSET days on Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd September 2020. Therefore all children will return to school on Thursday 3rd September 2020.

Coronavirus Covid-19 information and support (Children's Society)

The Children's Society has a range of support materials for young people, parents and schools in their mental and emotional health resource 'vault'.

<https://www.childrenssociety.org.uk/coronavirus-information-and-support>

End of Year Reports

Your child's end of year report will be emailed to you week commencing 13th July. The information provided in the reports is based on your child's achievements from September 19 – March 20. If you have any questions about the content of your child's report, please use the class email/google classroom to contact the class teacher. Please feel free to complete the pupil comment page with your child at home.

And finally

Caring God, you are there with us in the most difficult times. Help us when we find things hard. Help us to be there for others when they are struggling. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen



May God be with you
Miss Briers
Acting Headteacher