



Saint Thomas More Catholic Voluntary Academy



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Love one Another as I have Loved You
John 13:34

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10th March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a fabulous first week back at school and the children have again amazed us with their resilience and confidence. Thank you to the parents and adults at home for preparing the children so well and making sure children are in school on time.

Lent

On Monday we had a whole school collective worship to look at the different charities each class are supporting. The NDCYS theme this week is Almsgiving and the mission is to think how you can give your time, compassion or love to those in need during Lent.

Class	Charity
Mrs O'Brien	One Roof and Leicester South Foodbank
Mrs Whitehead	Mission Together
Mrs Whitmore and Mrs Wheat	Rayaan Brown Foundation
Mrs Broomhead	The Bridge PDSA
Mrs Lambert	Leicester Hospitals Charity
Mrs Cummins and Mrs Ramsell	Unique
Mr Rowlinson	Leicester Hospitals Charity
Miss Pereira	Cancer Research UK
Mr Plant	RSPCA

Celebration assembly

We will continue to host our celebration assembly on zoom at 2.30 each Friday. Parents are very welcome to join the zoom assembly to listen to all of the amazing things that have been happening this week.

If you join the assembly please:

- Stay on Mute and keep cameras off, thank you.

Mrs Crosse is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Celebration Assembly

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8498886108?pwd=NnNLQUIMaDNwbnpNa1owRTFiclkwQT09>

Meeting ID: 849 888 6108

Passcode: Assembly

Communication

Parents must not come into school or onto the playground. If you need to speak to a teacher or the office please call on 0116 2706365 or e-mail on office@st-thomasmore.leicester.sch.uk





Covid symptoms and test results

DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL IF THEY OR ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD HAS SYMPTOMS OF CORONAVIRUS.

For further information please refer to:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-know-about-early-years-providers-schools-and-colleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19-outbreak>

If your child or any member of the household are awaiting test results or test positive for Covid you must all self-isolate for 10 days. Please keep us informed at testing@st-thomasmore.leicester.sch.uk

Smile

Thank you for your kind words for the staff. The google form is still open if you would like to send a message to any member of staff at STM:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=bdE15ePYJ02rw1J4wx5_OWbuJKysMy5JnFG6ssiBW31URVJTOfgxVFRHTEIBMFEOtZnFTzBUVllwSy4u

Start time and finish times

The children will have different start and finish times depending on what class they are in. Children will also enter and leave school at different places. Children must come into school at their own entrance and not dropped off with siblings.

It is important that the start and finish times are adhered to in order to ensure the safety of staff and children.

ONE parent only must come to school.

Please can parents socially distance whilst waiting to drop off or collect and wear a face covering.

Remember to keep a 2M distance from staff too.

EFYS & KS1	F2	F2/YR1	YR1/YR2	YR2
Class teacher	Mrs O'Brien	Mrs Whitehead	Mrs Wheat & Mrs Whitmore	Mrs Broomhead
<i>Start time & entrance point</i>	9am green gate Newstead Road	Yr1- 8.40 green gate F2- 9am green gate	8.40 green gate	8.50 hall fire door (Newstead Road)
<i>Finish time & exit point</i>	3pm green gate on Newstead Road	ALL 3.10 green gate	3.10 Front door Office area	3.20 hall fire door

KS2	YR3	YR3/4	YR4/5	YR5	YR6
Class teacher	Mrs Lambert	Mrs Ramsell & Mrs Cummins	Mr Rowlinson	Miss Pereira	Mr Plant
<i>Start time & entrance point</i>	8.50 green gate	8.40 side hall door	8.40 silver gate	8.50 Silver gate	8.30 Silver gate
<i>Finish time & exit point</i>	3.20 green gate	3.10 side hall door	3.15 silver gate	3.20 silver gate	3.10 silver gate

Lunchtimes

The children have all enjoyed eating their lunch in the dining hall this week. Each class has a seating plan and so the children sit in the same place each day.

Policies

We have updated our Marking and feedback policy, it on the website if you would like to take a look.

<https://www.thomasmoreprimary.org.uk/statutory-information/school-policies>

God bless,

Mrs Crosse