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"As unique individuals, we
do our best at work and
play for the love of God
and others."



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! It has been lovely to see the happy smiling faces around school. The children are as enthusiastic as ever and have come back with great attitudes.

In the next few weeks, we will be launching a new school website, so keep your eyes peeled!

In the interest of saving the environment, we will endeavour to use email wherever possible to send out letters. Unless we need consent for an event or trip, we won't send a paper copy of letters. This means that homework information will be sent by email too. If your email has changed, please let the office know.

Important: change to the school term dates

The government has decided that the May Bank Holiday 2020 will change from 4th May to 8th May. This means that there will be a 3 day weekend to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE day. School will therefore be open on May 4th but closed on May 8th.

Nasal Flu Vaccine

You will receive a letter to ask you to sign your child up to have the nasal flu vaccine. The deadline is 20th September. Please sign the form and send it in to the school office before this date.

Dates for your diary:

We continue to invite parents and carers to a Friday assembly in the school hall (9 – 9.30am). Children are encouraged to bring certificates from home, or to share news/achievements that they are proud of.

 Denotes ordinary time  Denotes advent

September 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
2	3 Welcome back!	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Girls football Music and Dance club	11 PFC start	12 Tennis	13 Pottery club	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 Thankful Thursday - all parents invited in to see their children's work 8.45 -9am	27 Own clothes day donation for Christmas Fair - Chocolate	28	29

October 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30 September	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Year 2 trip to Tatton Park (£17.20)	9	10	11	12	13
14 Geography Week (details to follow)	15	16	17	18 Harvest Festival (Reception class) Food donations for Hampers Of Hope gratefully received	19	20
21 Booking for parents evening open (see website)	22	23	24 Thankful Thursday	25 School closes	26	27
28	29	30	31 HALFTERM			

November 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1 HALFTERM	2	3
4 Bikeability Year 4	5 Bikeability Year 6	6 Bikeability Year 6	7	8 PTA Halloween Disco	9	10
11	12	13 Year 5 trip to Robinwood	14 Year 5 Robinwood	15 Year 5 Robinwood Own clothes donations for fair - bottles	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Parents' Evening Booking closed	23 Christmas Fair	24 Mass of enrolment 10.30am (sacramental Programme)
25	26	27 Parents' evening 3.30 -6.30pm	28 Parents' evening 3.30 - 6pm	29	30	

December 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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2 Fundraising for CAFOD activities week	3	4	5 'Thankful Thursday'	6	7	8
9	10 Nativity Performance 2pm	11 Nativity Performance 2pm and 6pm	12 9am Pantomime	13	14	15
16	17 6pm Carols at church	18 Christingle Mass Christmas Dinner Day	19 School disco and Class parties 1-3 pm disco	20 School Closes	21	22

More details will be given about the events nearer the time. If you have any questions, please ask your class teachers in the first instance.

'Thankful Thursdays' : We would like to welcome parents in to school from 8.45 – 9am to look at books and to give children a chance to show what they are proud of. Please see the calendar for the dates.

School dinners: if your child would like to change between school dinners and packed lunch, you must give 2 weeks' notice to the office. This helps with ordering and waste management.

Information regarding **after school clubs** will be sent via email shortly.

Kind Regards,

Hannah McGuire

Acting Head