

ST JOHN'S C E (A) PRIMARY SCHOOL



Newsletter March 2020



Dear Parents/Carers,

A big thank you to all of you who attended parents evening last Tuesday, it was lovely to have the opportunity to meet and chat with you. I look forward to doing the same tomorrow evening.

In this newsletter there are lots of updates for you to take note of and dates of upcoming events. I hope you will find any changes made useful and advantageous in further developing strong links between home and school.

As always if you have any concerns or queries please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Yours sincerely

Maxine Rizk
Headteacher



COMMUNICATION WITH SCHOOL



Class Dojo will no longer be used as a means to communicate with school from today.

If your child is absent please call school on 238889 where you can leave a message.

For any other communication around appointments/issues please call the office and speak to a member of staff.

If you wish to speak to your child's teacher call the office and they will inform the teacher who will call you back when they are out of class.

Text to Parents

In the event that school needs to communicate with you we will call or send a text message.

Please make sure that the office have an up to date contact number.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Car Parking

Thank you for all of your positive comments around the reopening of the car park.

Please continue to drive carefully.
Just a reminder that you must not park in the drop off zone.



WORLD BOOK DAY

On **Thursday 5th March** we are celebrating World Book Day.

Your child can come dressed as a character from a book of their choice.

We will be holding a parade in the hall of costumes and will be enjoying a day around sharing of favourite books.



SCHOOL UNIFORM

Many of you have been asking about the correct school uniform. Please find attached a copy of the correct uniform for pupils. From tomorrow we will be monitoring individual pupils and looking for the best dressed class each week.

Please also ensure that you child has a full PE kit in school.

Cuckoos

Please remember that if you need to book or cancel a place in Cuckoos please call Jodie on 07591334868

Breakfast Club

Just a reminder that you must call a member of staff on 07591334868

if your child will not be attending when a place has been booked for them.

School Lunches

Please note that school meals **must be paid for in advance.**

If you have any issues concerning paying for meals please contact Mrs Ramsden for support.

Communion

On Tuesday 31st March at 10.15am you are invited to a whole school communion led by Reverend Chris Rushton.

Crèche available please book via school office.

After School Clubs

Just a reminder that if your child is not attending a club that they have registered for **you MUST inform the office.**

We will not allow your child home unless we hear from you directly.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 3rd March – Parents' Evening (3.10pm to 6.00pm)

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day 'Share a story'

Wednesday 1st April – Easter Worship Extravaganza – 9.15am or 2.15pm for Y3/4 parents & carers

Thursday 2nd April - Easter Bonnet & Egg Parade – see below for details

Monday April 6th – Friday April 17th EASTER HOLIDAYS

We are back in school on Monday 20th April 2020.



Easter Bonnet Parade - *Come and celebrate with us!!*

9.15am Nursery, Reception & Y1/2 classes bring a decorated bonnet into school.

Parents/carers are invited to come and watch. Prize for the best bonnet in each class.

2.15pm Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 parade their decorated eggs.

Parents/carers are invited to come and watch. Prize for the best decorated egg in each class.

Please note that all prams and buggies will not be allowed in the hall as this is a health & safety issue.

These can be left in the main reception area. There will also be a crèche available should you wish to use it.

Crèche places MUST be booked in advance by calling the school office.

Places will not be available on the day