



Sacred Heart RC Primary School

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The Sacred Heart Herald



a call to action

Friday 16th July 2021

Dear Parents & Families,

RECENT COMMUNICATION LINKS:

13/07/2021 | [Cashless Payments](#)

SCHOOL MEALS: Meals are provided at no cost to families for children in Reception, Y1 & Y2. For KS2 children, the cost of school meals is currently £1.80 per day. Meals are ordered on a half-termly basis. The cost for this half term will be £61.20 which covers 7th June 2021 to 22nd July 2021.

Cheques should be made payable to BMBC, and sent to the main office. Please ensure that you inform the office prior to changing your child's meal arrangements.

When we return in September the cost of a school meal is increasing to £2.20 per day.

PARKING: Please respect that over 400 children must enter and exit school safely each day. This partly relies upon everyone parking safely and with due regard for others, including our neighbours. Please do not park **across drives, along pavements or in restricted areas** around our school such as yellow lines. There is no right of vehicular access to the main school driveway for any parents, except by prior permission. For parents of children walk to school, please remind them to cross roads carefully, being sure to check both ways when doing so. Thank you.

COVID-19: Please note, any Covid-19 related communication linked to isolation requirements or testing MUST be sent to covid@sacred-heart.bolton.sch.uk. Any children off school isolating must be completing work set by Google Classrooms, unless they are poorly.

DIARY DATES:

16/07/2021 | Year 6 to broadcast their worship

19/07/2021 | End of year Mass at 10am at Sacred Heart Church – children will take part virtually – [streamed here](#)

22/07/2021 | Term Ends 2:00 & 2:20pm

SAFEGUARDING: Please could we ask that a 'once a day' (8 hour) suncream be applied each morning to children during our current warm weather. Shade is readily available during breaktimes and we are encouraging all children to drink additional water throughout the day.

Please respect that no dogs are to be brought beyond the school gate, irrespective of whether that are on a lead or being carried. This is not solely because of the risk they provide to our children, but also to our animals around the school site. Only guide dogs are allowed on site.

At morning drop off, please ensure children enter the school via their allocated, staffed gate. At pickup, please ensure a one-way system is maintained, entering and leaving via the correct gates.

A reminder that the car park by the driveway & admin wing is strictly for staff and approved visitor permit holders only - and for safeguarding reasons is not an in-car drop off or collection point for children.

Please respect this at all times.

Also, please remember toys are not to be brought into school by the children including fidget toys e.g. fidget spinners. Thank you.

ATTENDANCE: The week ending 9th July attendance winners were Reception who achieved 98.66%!

The overall attendance for the school was 94.08%.

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COVID GUIDANCE: Please click on [this link](#) for the latest announcement and guidance from Bolton Council. Thank you.

SEPTEMBER START TIMES: When we return to School on Tuesday 7th September we will be continuing with the staggered start times we have at present these are :-

8:30am for Reception, Year 1, Year 3 and Year 4

8:50am Year 2, Year 5 and Year 6

MUSICAL TUITION: Would your child like to play a musical instrument? Click [this link](#) to see Bolton Music Services flyer.

FUNDRAISING: The raffle Parker in Year 5 held to raise money to buy seeds to plant bee pollinating flowers in 6 areas across Hall Lee Bank, Cunningham Clough and Eatock raised £112.50 .Well done Parker.

TEACHERS: Mrs Cody is retiring at the end of the School year, after 29 years teaching at School and Mrs Callow as many of you know is also leaving after 24 years, to take up the position of Head of School at a school in the St Teresa of Calcutta Trust .

If anyone would like to contribute towards their leaving gifts please send the money into school in an enveloped marked with Mrs Cody's or Mrs Callow's name. Thank you.

PLASTIC BAGS ON THE LAST DAY: Please ensure your child has a plastic carrier bag with them on the final day of term to bring home examples of work to share in Year 1-6.

SCHOOL UNIFORM SUPPLIERS: Andrew Leach Schoolwear, Aspull Village Embroidery and Whittakers Schoolwear. Please see their websites for more information about the various services these shops offer. Contact details are below:

Andrew Leach Schoolwear Have moved to 98 Winter Hey Lane Horwich Bolton BL6 7PJ Telephone: 01204 697624 www.andrewleachschoolwear.co.uk	Aspull Village Embroidery Unit 16 Moorside Aspull Wigan WN2 1XW Telephone: 01942 830153 www.aspullvillageembroidery.co.uk	Whittakers Schoolwear 106 Deansgate Bolton BL1 1BD Telephone: 01204 389485 www.whittakersschoolwear.co.uk
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For other daily class updates, keep an eye on our social media at <https://www.facebook.com/TheJourneyMatters/>

We thank you for your continued support as we **walk** together.

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