



Sacred Heart RC Primary School

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The  Sacred Heart Herald

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RECENT COMMUNICATION LINKS:

09/05/2022 | [New Intake Invitation Letter](#)

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 £2.20 per day. Meals are ordered on a half-termly basis. The cost for this half term will be £59.40 which covers 19th April to 26th May. Payment can be made via our Pay360 online shop, if paying by Cheque it 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.

SAFEGUARDING:

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.

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.

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:

09/05/2022 | KS2 National Tests Week
13/05/2022 | Class 1D Assembly 2:50pm in school
20/05/2022 | Class 4SA Assembly 2:50pm in school
26/05/2022 | Whole School worship
26/05/2022 | Break up for half term-usual finish times
06/06/2022 | Summer Trinity Term begins
10/06/2022 | Class 1B assembly 2:50pm in school
17/06/2022 | Year 6 Kingswood Residential
17/06/2022 | Class 3C Assembly 2:50pm in school
24/06/2022 | Sacred Heart Feast Day
24/06/2022 | St Joseph's Y5 Roadshow
01/07/2022 | Class RE Assembly 2:50pm in school
07/07/2022 | ST Joseph's move up day 1
07/07/2022 | Whole School Move Up Day
08/07/2022 | St Joseph's move up day 2
08/07/2022 | Class 3F Assembly 2:50pm in school
12/07/2022 | Y6 Leavers' Assembly 2pm
15/07/2022 | Class RR Assembly 2:50pm in school
21/07/2022 | Last Day of Term -Finish 2:10 & 2:20pm

INTERNET SECURITY: Please follow this link for up to date information of how you can stay safe online:

<https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/>.

PAYMENTS: If possible we would prefer all payments that need to be made to School, including dinner money and wraparound care clubs be made via our Pay360 online shop. Thank you.

SNACK SCHEME: Thank you for all those who have booked onto our Snack Scheme for this half term. Please look out later this half term if you wish to put your child onto the scheme for Summer 2.

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SATS WEEK: From all of #TeamSacredHeart, we'd like to wish our year 6 pupils the very best of luck this week as they complete their SATs tests. Remember the gifts that God has given to you are so very valuable to the world and are not measured by a test. Keep shining and do your very best this week. We are proud of you all. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you. Stay with us Lord, on our journey.

Y6 LEAVERS HOODIES: On Thursday 12th May our Year 6 parents are invited to come onto the school field after school to hand out the Leaver's hoodies for Kingswood at 3:30pm. If the weather is bad, we will use the Y6 classrooms.

Y4 MULTIPLICATION CHECK: Within June our Year 4 children will be completing their Multiplication check. Please follow this link for further information about this check: <https://bit.ly/3P0WXVY>

PARKING: Please respect that over 400 children must enter and exit school safely each day. This 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.**

We have received an increased number of complaints from neighbours who are very concerned about the safety of our children and our wider community due to inconsiderate parking.

There is no right of vehicular access to the main school driveway for any parents, except by prior permission. For parents of children walking to school, please remind them to cross roads carefully, being sure to check both ways when doing so. Thank you.

CLEVER NEVER GOES ASSEMBLIES: Mr Dootson, our family liaison officer and pastoral lead, led assemblies using the CLEVER NEVER GOES campaign materials that teach children how to stay safe from abduction whether they are outside or online.

Rather than fearing the worst in everyone they don't know, Clever Never Goes helps children to recognise specific situations that are unsafe and gives them the tools to respond...

<https://clevernevergoes.org/>

PE KIT: We are missing some of our team kits from school since the start of September 2021. Please could you check at home and return them to the school office this week. Thank you

ICE POP SALES: Y6 pupils and their parents will be continuing to sell ice pops at home time every Friday during May to raise funds for the Leaver's party. They will be on the top yard, the ice pops cost 30p each and correct change is appreciated. Thank you.

VIA LUCIS: Please join us on Thursday 26th May for an afternoon of prayer and reflection through song, drama, and storytelling, to celebrate the 'Via Lucis' – also known as 'The Stations of the Resurrection', 'Stations of Light', or 'The Way of the Light'.

Weather depending, this will be an outdoor event taking place at various locations across our school grounds.

We cannot wait to see you all there!

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS: On Friday 13th May children at Sacred Heart will join together for a whole school celebration taking a time hop through the decades with songs and dancing to mark the Queens 70 years in reign.

ASSEMBLY: From this term, class assemblies will return to being in person. This means that friends and family are invited to attend school on a Friday to watch their child's class assembly in the main hall at 3pm.



TERM DATES:

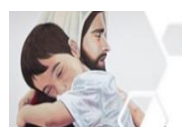


TERM DATES 2021-2022

AUTUMN TERM 2021	SPRING TERM 2022	SUMMER TERM 2022	STAFF INSET DAYS 2021-2022
Term begins: Tue 7 th September 2021	Term begins: Thurs 6 th January 2022	Term begins: Tue 19 th April 2022 Bank Holiday: Mon 2 nd May 2022	1. Mon 6 th September 2021 2. Fri 11 th February 2022 3. Fri 27 th May 2022 4. Fri 22 nd July 2022 5. Transferred to Twilights for Triangulation: 1 hour attached to Wednesday staff meetings on 3 rd Wednesday of each half term.
Half-term: Mon 25 th October - Fri 29 th October 2021	Half-term: Fri 11 th February - Fri 18 th February 2022	Half-term: Fri 27 th May - Fri 3 rd June 2022	
Term ends: Wed 22 nd December 2021	Term ends: Fri 1 st April 2022 (Easter Sunday: 17 th April 2022)	Term ends: Thurs 21 st July 2022	
72 DAYS	56 DAYS	61 DAYS	5 DAYS
189 PUPIL DAYS (note revision linked to Platinum Jubilee)			
194 STAFF DAYS			

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TERM DATES 2022-2023

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Term begins: Tue 6 th September 2022	Term begins: Tues 10 th January 2023	Term begins: Tues 18 th April 2023 Bank Holiday: Mon 1 st May 2023	1. Mon 5 th September 2022 2. Mon 9 th January 2023 3. Mon 17 th April 2023 4. Fri 21 st July 2023 5. Transferred to Twilights for Triangulation: 1 hour attached to Wednesday staff meetings on 3 rd Wednesday of each half term.
Half-term: Mon 24 th October - Fri 28 th October 2022	Half-term: Mon 20 th February - Fri 24 th February 2023	Half-term: Mon 29 th May - Fri 2 nd June 2023	
Term ends: Wed 21 st December 2022	Term ends: Tues 4 th April 2023 (Easter Sunday: 9 th April 2023)	Term ends: Thurs 20 th July 2023	
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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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