



St Gregory's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and children,

There is great excitement in the school as we get ready to welcome you all back on Monday 8th March. Over the past year, the circumstances around the lock down have been a challenge for everyone: children, young people, parents/carers, and school staff. Though there are still challenges ahead, we are slowly starting to see light at the end of the tunnel. On behalf of all the school staff, I thank you for your continued support with remote learning. If your child has pieces of learning that, they still need to share with their teacher; they are welcome to bring those in on Monday.

Breakfast Club and School Dinners

Breakfast club will be recommencing on Monday 8th March. Please do contact the office to book your child's place. The online ordering for school lunches is now open. Please do check that you have booked the meals you require.

Lent 2021

As part of our Lenten almsgiving, we had a non-uniform day on Wednesday and children brought in donations of food. Thank you for all your donations, for the St Thomas Centre Food Bank at the Cathedral.



During Lent, we are asked to pray more, repent, support charities and to give something up or do something extra. Please do look at our Lenten Calendar to guide you.

On 26th March, children will be invited to bring in loose change for a "Penny Mile Challenge". All proceeds will go to CAFOD, which is, this year, focussing on bringing fresh water to the people in remote villages of Ethiopia.

Please do re read the information letters about our return, which have been sent out. As a reminder of the key points, please see a summary of the arrangements for dropping off your child and the pick-up arrangements.

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs K. Yuen
Executive Headteacher



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'Walking Together in the Light of the Lord'

Details for Drop Off and Collection

8th March 2021 onwards

Morning Drop Off

- Breakfast Club arrangements are as usual, using the Main Car Park and the Adventure Playground Gate. If you wish to book your child(ren) a place at Breakfast Club, please contact the School Office.
- Children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are to arrive at school no earlier than 8.45am. Members of staff will direct them to their classroom. Please note, the gates will not be open until 8.45am.
- Children in Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 are to arrive at school no earlier than 9am. Members of staff will direct them when they arrive at school. If you arrive earlier than this, you will be asked to park in a bay and wait until 9am.
- Sibling groups (children at both arrival times) should arrive at the later time of 9am.

End of Day Collection

- One adult from each family will be allowed on site to collect the children.
- All adults are expected to wear a face covering unless exempt. Please be ready to show your exemption badge or certificate if asked by a member of staff.
- Nursery and Reception Class – 2.50pm via the Nursery Gate.
- Year 1 and Year 2 – 3pm via the Adventure Playground Gate.
- Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 – 3.15pm via the Adventure Playground Gate.
- Sibling groups (children at two or more collection times) should be collected in time order or altogether at the latest pick up time for the family.

Please Note:

To reduce the number of people entering the school site, parents and carers may attend the School Office between 9.30am and 2.30pm. Please contact the School Office by telephone outside of these times: 01604 403511.