

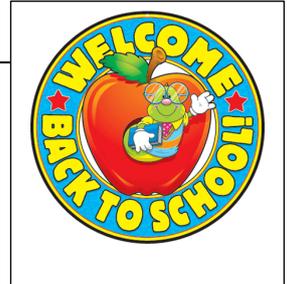
St John Fisher Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents

Welcome back! The children all look so smart in their uniforms. We are all ready for the new school year and I hope this year will be more settled than last year. I thank God for keeping us safe and well during these difficult times.



Key dates for Autumn Term 2020

Monday 21 st September	New Reception Children – All Day
Wednesday 14 th October	FLU Vaccinations – Whole School
Friday 23 rd October	BLACK HISTORY CELEBRATION – see below
Monday 26 th October	Half Term – Back to school on MONDAY 2 nd November.
Tuesday 22 nd December	Break up for Christmas Holidays
Thursday 7 th January 2021	Back to School.

While the weather remains warm children may wear their summer uniform until October half term, then please remember children need to be in full school uniform. (reminder below of correct school uniform)
 Please remember you must wear a tie when you wear a white school shirt.

OPEN EVENING

We will not be able to hold our normal Open Evening due to COVID 19 restrictions.

We are busy assessing all of the children so we have a clear base line to move forward from due to the long period of absence due to COVID 19.

Please remember that if you have any concerns call the school office and your child's teacher will call you back.

School Holiday dates are on the back of this newsletter.

Please remember Holidays during school time WILL NOT be authorised.

Parents will be fined - the set amount is £60.00 per day, per child, per parent! Please do not put us in the position of having to issue fines.

Please do not ask for time off especially as the children have only just returned to school.

ALL children are expected to be in correct school uniform.

GIRLS

GREY SKIRT
 WHITE SHIRT
 SCHOOL TIE
 SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT
 SCHOOL CARDIGAN
 WHITE POLO SHIRT
 BLACK/GREY/NAVY/WHITE TIGHTS

BOYS

GREY TROUSERS
 WHITE SHIRT
 SCHOOL TIE
 SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT
 WHITE POLO SHIRT

BLACK SHOES - NO TRAINERS TO BE WORN TO SCHOOL

Please make sure that your child/ren DO NOT have different colour braids or patterns cut into their hair.

Girls – hair same colour as their natural hair and ALL long hair tied back.
 Boys –hair ONE length all over – No patterns/lines cut into their hair.

DINNER MONEY

Please remember to pay your dinner money

£12.00 a week

All children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 need to pay for school dinners. Please make sure you put money in an envelope with your child's name on it. Your child will hand their dinner money to their class teacher upon entry to their classroom.

Due to water fountains being turned off again as part of COVID 19 precautions - you must send your child to school with a drink.

Water will be provided at Lunch time - water bottles can be - refilled from the school kitchen.

LATENESS AND ABSENCE

Every month I meet with the EWO (Education Welfare Officer) and we look at attendance and lateness.

She will be writing to all parents whose children are late or absent. In some cases she will take legal action.

Please ensure your child is at school every day on time and is collected on time.

LATE GATE FINES - will be issued to parents who are late (arrive after 3.15pm) £10.00 per child.

You have a 30 minute window to collect your child



Please contact the school office if you have any concerns. Thank You





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It is only Day 1 and we need to make a slight change to the procedure regarding PE and PE Kits. As from Monday 14th September – the children will need to come to school in their PE kits on the days they have PE.

This is after evaluating movement around classroom and the possibility of mixing the class bubbles.

Please make sure your child has the correct PE kit.

- Plain white T/Shirt
- Black/Navy Shorts
- Plain Black or Navy Tracksuit
- Trainers

Year 1	Come to school in their PE Kit	MONDAY and TUESDAY
Year 2	Come to school in their PE Kit	WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Year 3	Come to school in their PE Kit	MONDAY and TUESDAY
Year 4	Come to school in their PE Kit	MONDAY and THURSDAY
Year 5	Come to school in their PE Kit	MONDAY and WEDNESDAY
Year 6	Come to school in their PE Kit	MONDAY and THURSDAY



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6

Today, these words were of comfort to me as we all entered this new day and this new way of working and learning at SJF 'His huge outstretched arms protect you - under them you're perfectly safe; his arms fend off all harm'. Psalm 91:4

