



10th April 2019

Dear Parents

Mass and Assembly – a copy of the mass and assembly rota was sent out last week . The first class mass will be **Year 1 on Tuesday 30th April**. The next class assembly will be **Year 5 on Friday 3rd May**

After school club timetable – this will be sent out by Friday 26th April.

Admission to Nursery September 2019 – there are still a few places available for nursery. If you are interested in applying for a place, contact a member of the school office staff who will explain the application procedure.

Admission to School September 2019 – allocation of school places will be notified by Tameside Council Admissions department by email and letter on the 16th April 2019.

Children absent from school – any absence **must** be notified to school before 10:00am on the day of absence by phone. Parents must give a reason for the absence, which school will then authorise or not depending on the circumstances. Tameside LA have issued updated guidance for schools when children fail to attend and are ‘missing’ from school. Thank you.

Robinwood Year 5 Residential trip – please bring your payments up-to-date. If you wish to pay by cheque, please make cheques payable to St. Peter’s Catholic Primary School alternatively you can pay using the online payment scheme www.eduspot.co.uk **The last instalment of £20.00 was due on 25th March 2019**. Please bring any outstanding payments up to date no later than Tuesday 23rd April.

Dinner Money/Nursery snack fund – school dinner money for next term will be £51.75 (23 days), and alternatively you can pay weekly £11.25 payable to School, alternatively you can pay through the Tameside website www.tameside.gov.uk school & education > school meals.

We will not be able to issue a school dinner to any child where there is a debt of more than £20.00. In such cases parents will be expected to provide their child with a packed lunch.

School fund for the term will be £5.00 per family for the term payable to St. Peter’s Catholic Primary School.

Nursery snack fund - for the term will be £17.50 payable to St Peter’s Catholic Primary School; alternatively you can use the School Money on-line system www.eduspot.co.uk

First Holy Communion –The last parents’ meeting is 29th April at 6:00pm in school. Communion ties and sashes will be distributed on the night. Would you please ensure that you have paid for the ties/sashes if you already haven’t done so.

Free adult e-safety session Monday 20th May at 8:50am in school – these sessions are to be held in the school hall and are for up to 20 adults and will last for 1 hour, covering all aspects of internet safety, the dangers, how to prevent them, and where to go for further help, covering computers, tablets and mobiles. The sessions also incorporate children’s apps and ensure they are safe and secure. Please complete the attached slip below and return to school as soon as possible – first 20 returned will be booked on the training. A text message will be sent to confirm.

Boys' haircuts –please can I remind parents that any haircuts over the holidays must follow school policy on return to school. Shaved sides, hair art and extreme styles are not allowed. Please see uniform policy. summer uniform

Summer uniform – children can now wear their summer uniforms, weather permitting! The children will still need to bring a coat. Can I remind parents that for girls the uniform consists of a **navy or sky blue checked dress, plain white socks**.

School shoes - no heels, strappy sandals or sling backs, please. Ballet flats are inappropriate for our school due to the number of steps we have. Slip on shoes very quickly stretch and 'slip off'. I appreciate that many retailers advertise these as school shoes but in our school they can become a hazard.

For boys the uniform consists of a **short sleeved pale blue shirt, tie, grey trousers or grey shorts, plain grey socks and sensible black school shoes. No logos, stripes or black trainers, please.** See also school website under Parents' Information section for full uniform lists.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 10th April – School finishes at 2:30pm. Parents are welcome to come and have a look at our RE art work.

Tuesday 23rd April – School reopens.

Wednesday 24th – 26th April – Year 5 Robinwood Residential.

Monday 29th April – Year 3 Parents' final FHC meeting.

Saturday 18th May – First Holy Communion celebration 10:30am.

Tuesday 21st May – Thanksgiving Mass 9:15am

We offer our very best wishes to Miss Cunningham and Miss Holland who are both getting married during the Easter holidays. Miss Cunningham will be known as Mrs S.Walker and Miss Holland will be known as Mrs Cooke.

Kind regards and have a happy and holy Easter!

Mrs E Summersgill

Headteacher

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I would like to attend the free adult e-safety session on Monday 20th May at 8:50am in School.

Signed.....

Childs name..... Year.....