

St Vincent's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



To love, serve and learn as Jesus shows us

Friday 16th April 2021

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Week ending: 02/04/2021

Year Group	Attendance
Reception	100%
Year 1	98%
Year 2	90%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	95%
Year 5	90%
Year 6D	100%
Year 6W	100%

Congratulations to Reception, Year 3 and Year 6 who had the best attendance in school.

Easter Egg Bingo and plants

Thank you for your support at the end of last term with your donations of plants and for Easter Egg Bingo. The plants have made a huge difference to the school grounds and we raised £677 for our school funds.



Future dates for your diary...

Monday 3rd May: School closed - Bank Holiday

Friday 28th May - School closes for half term

Monday 14th June - School re-opens after half term

COVID-19 EMAIL ADDRESS

If your child, or a member of your household receives a positive COVID-19 test result over the weekend, please notify school immediately so that we can make the necessary plans, using:

office@stvincentsprimary.org

LEARNER OF THE WEEK



Well done to this week's super stars!

Reception	Tilly McP
Year 1	Bonnie F
Year 2	Lily H
Year 3	Maria H
Year 4	Erin E
Year 5	Charlie C
Year 6D	Seb L
Year 6W	Charlotte W

SUMMER UNIFORM

Summer Uniform can now be worn:

Pale Blue Short Sleeved Shirt & Tie / Pale Blue Polo Shirt
(School Logo optional)

with Grey Trousers/Shorts/Grey Socks

or

Blue Gingham Dress with White Socks

Hair Bobbles – Navy/Black or Gingham

Sensible, black shoes—no trainers with uniform

PE Kit

Pale Blue Polo Shirt (School Logo optional)

Navy Sweatshirt/Cardigan (School Logo optional) from uniform above - no hoodies please

Navy Shorts or Joggers

Trainers

As was the case before Easter, whilst we expect that children to be wearing uniform and only items listed as uniform, we understand that children may need to wear a mixture of summer / winter uniform, depending on what you have and what fits due to recent and current restrictions.

SNACK

From Monday, children will once again be able to order a breaktime snack from the kitchen.

Toast and orange juice will be available to order at a cost of 25p **per item**.

If your child would like to order this snack, please make sure that there are sufficient funds on your ParentPay account. Unlike for school meals, snack will not be given if funds are not available.

If not taking up this offer and providing your own snack, a reminder that this should be a healthy snack.

SSK KARATE CLUB

Great Sankey Karate Club has relocated to Penketh Youth Centre on Honiton Way.

This is a fantastic opportunity for children to get active again after lockdown with a local, friendly and professional club with a reputation of producing WUKF World and European Champions.

The club takes children from age 6 upwards and would like to offer all children 2 free lessons at this venue. Please visit www.sskarate.org for more information.

TERM DATES

Term dates for this current year (2020-2021) and next year (2021-2022) continue to be available on our school website, now alongside the term dates for 2022-2023 (also attached):

https://www.stvincentsprimary.org/website/holiday_dates/325248

We publish these dates well in advance to enable you to book holidays which do not fall during term time as time out of school is disruptive to your child's learning and progress. Please support us in making sure that holidays are not taken during term time.

NUT FREE ZONE

A reminder to all parents that children should not bring nuts, or foods containing nuts into school as there are children in our school who have a nut allergy.



SWIMMING

Y4 swimming will begin on Tuesday 19th April, and will take place every Tuesday (no session 25th May) until the last session on Tuesday 13th July,

Please make sure your child wears their PE kit on Tuesdays and brings with them their swimming kit, a towel and a coat. Please ensure that all these items are labelled clearly with your child's name. Please note that bikinis should not be worn.

Swimming permission forms (3 forms) must be returned to school by Monday to enable your child to attend swimming sessions from Tuesday.

SUPERVISION OF CHILDREN BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL

A number of parents continue to make us aware that children are unsupervised whilst waiting for the gates to open in a morning or are wandering off from adults once they have been picked up from school.

This compromises safety on a number of levels, both in relation to maintaining social distancing but also in relation to general road safety. Please make sure that you do not arrive at school before 8.30am, and supervise your children until the gates are opened in a morning. At home time, children must remain safe once they have been picked up, by keeping them close.