

# St Vincent's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



*To love, serve and learn as Jesus shows us*



**...to all of the mums, grandmother's,  
carers, aunties and other special  
ladies of St Vincent's!**

Year 4 have prepared a Mother's Day celebration which is just being finalised in a format ready to publish on the school website. We will let you know as soon as it is ready.

## REMINDERS AND UPDATES ABOUT SAFETY MEASURES

We are so proud of how brilliantly the children have returned to school - calm, happy and ready to continue learning. Thank you for your support during lockdown and in making this transition back to school so smooth once again.

A few reminders and updates about measures in place to keep everyone safe:

- Please do not arrive at school before 8.30am to avoid large gatherings of people
- Once you have picked up your children, please leave the playground straight away
- Whilst on the playground please maintain social distancing from anyone not in your household
- Please contact staff via telephone, email or Teams to avoid face-to-face discussions
- At home time, the gates at the bottom of the playground near Year 6 onto the driveway between us and Penketh South will be open - please use the gate to exit the playground if picking up children in Key Stage 2 to avoid the bottleneck at the sheds / courtyard gates. We have also moved barriers to expand this area to support better social distancing.

**Friday 12th March 2021**

## POPL OF THE WEEK

Well done to this week's super stars!



Reception	Samuel J
Year 1	Joel G-S
Year 2	Zach B
Year 3	Braydon S
Year 4	Noah G-S
Year 5	Libby H
Year 6D	Tornyei J
Year 6W	Emily H

**CHILDREN ARE NOT TO USE ANY OF THE  
PLAYGROUND PLAY EQUIPMENT AFTER  
SCHOOL—THIS INCLUDES THE EQUIPMENT IN  
THE RECEPTION AREA, THE GYM EQUIPMENT  
IN THE COURTYARD AND THE PLAY  
EQUIPMENT ON THE FIELD.**

**YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THAT  
CHILDREN ARE KEPT OFF THE EQUIPMENT—  
PLEASE SUPPORT US IN DOING SO AND MAKE  
SURE THAT ANY OTHER ADULTS PICKING  
YOUR CHILD UP ARE AWARE OF THIS  
EXPECTATION.**

## FUTURE DATES FOR THE DIARY

**Wednesday 31st March: School closes for Easter  
Break**

**Tuesday 13th April: School re-opens after the Easter  
Break**

## COVID-19 EMAIL ADDRESS

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

### PARENT PAY ACCOUNT

Please keep your child's dinner money account in credit and clear any outstanding debts. We have a large number of accounts that are in debt at the moment and this costs the school in charges.

### 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.



### BOOK TOKENS

World Book Tokens have been sent home this week.

To ensure that children have more time to use their token, participating bookshops will honour tokens beyond the 28 March, whilst stocks last. Each retailer will decide whether they are able to offer £1 off other children's titles.

WORLD  
**BOOK  
DAY**  
4 MARCH 2021

### SCHOOL RESOURCES

With the exception of exercise books, please return all school equipment that has been loaned out during this, or the previous lockdown periods.

### EASTER CELEBRATIONS

Now that children are back in school we are finalising plans for the end of term to make sure that we can still celebrate Easter. We will confirm details shortly and let you know how you can get involved.



### PARENTS' EVENING PHONE CALLS

Some Parents' Evening phone calls have already taken place, however with now that children are back in school, the calls may now take a little longer to complete than originally planned.

You will therefore receive a call from your child's class teacher at some point over the coming weeks leading up to Easter.

## WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

### COVID-19 INFORMATION

As part of the return to school the Council have updated all relevant information on their website. They have also been sending out messages on facebook and other social media asking children to choose active travel for their journey to school, whether this be walking, cycling or scooting, hopeful that the increase we have seen in walking, cycling and scooting continues.

You can access all of this information through social media and on the Warrington Borough Council website:

<https://www.warrington.gov.uk/education-schools-and-childcare-coronavirus-update>

HM Government

## Back to school

Walk, cycle or scoot to school where you can.



STAY ALERT ▶ CONTROL THE VIRUS ▶ SAVE LIVES