



Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Primary School



14th December 2020

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding

Deputy Child Protection Officers: Tamsin Corline, Kate Davenport, Sam Hill, Zoe Smith

Named Governor for Child Protection: Rachel Nolan



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Christmas Meal

Friday 18th December



Roast Turkey or Vegetarian Roast
Served with

Roast Potatoes, Pigs in Blankets, Peas, Carrots,
Sprouts, Stuffing and Gravy

Followed by

Christmas Custard Cookie with Ice cream

Or

Fruit Jelly and Ice Cream



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Government guidance

The government has announced that, as of Monday 14 December 2020, the self-isolation period for contacts of people with confirmed coronavirus will be shortened from 14 to 10 days. This change will apply to all those who are currently self-isolating including those who commenced self-isolation before Monday. The change reflects new evidence showing that people are most infectious around the time they first develop symptoms. By day 10, only 2% will still be capable of passing on the virus to others.

People who test positive should continue to self-isolate for 10 days from onset of symptoms or 10 days from point of taking a positive test if asymptomatic.





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Government guidance

Guidance has been issued for families about forming bubbles at Christmas. Please follow the link below.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/making-a-christmas-bubble-with-friends-and-family/making-a-christmas-bubble-with-friends-and-family>





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Primary Applications

If your child was born between 1/9/16 and 31/8/17 they will be due to start Primary school in September 2021.

Applications can be made from 1/11/20 - 15/1/21

For further information and to apply please go to;
<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/admissions/primary-place-2021/>





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Open sessions for new parents

Unfortunately we will not be able to hold our usual open sessions for new families due to the virus.

Mrs Harding is happy to meet and show around up to two people from the same family by prior appointment. Of course face masks and the usual precautions will be required.

If you know anyone with a child reaching school age next year, please let them know that they are very welcome to come and view the school. We would love to meet them!

COME MEET US



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Endeavour Awards



Class R Harper

Class 1 Beren

Class 2 Kamylle

Class 3 James R

Class 4 Jelani

Class 5 Weronika

Class 6 Alex



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Achievement Awards



Class R Christopher

Class 1 Adam

Class 2 Mea

Class 3 Arthur

Class 4 Barney

Class 5 Sean C

Class 6 Lily



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Respect Awards



Class R Shivadha

Class 1 Amy

Class 2 Archie

Class 3 Olivia

Class 4 Emelia

Class 5 Lily

Class 6 Julia



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House Points - Weekly

Bevan House

87

Stephenson House

137

Pankhurst House

176

Thompson House

121



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School Meals

Payment and ordering of meals is via the Sims Pay system . The cost of a meal is £2.30. One account links to all your children attending the school. Parents should order their child's lunches and make payment by Saturday for the forthcoming week.

The kitchen manager cooks to order and so late requests for meals cannot always be the child's first choice of meal. If you know your child will be late to school and you have forgotten to pre-order a lunch please contact the school by 9.15a.m. or provide a packed lunch.





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Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.15 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You **MUST** tell us if your child has CoronaVirus symptoms.

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

Please remember to sign your child in at the office if they are brought to school after 9.00a.m.



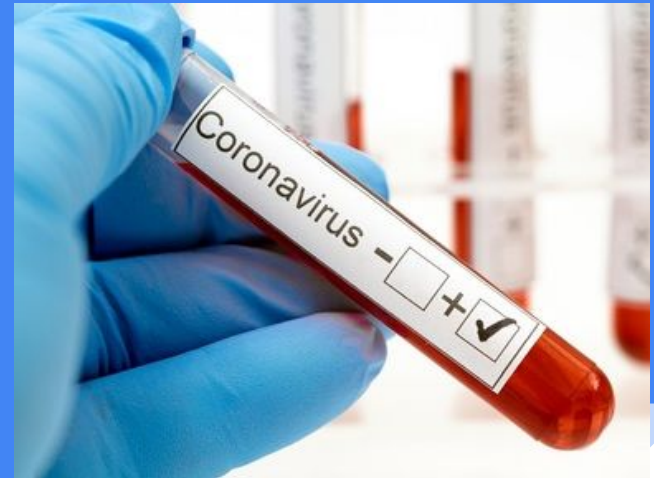
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Positive Coronavirus Test result

If your child receives a positive coronavirus test result it is crucial that you let us know immediately so that preventative action can be taken.

If results are received at a time when the school is closed please email head@olota.uk or call 07969340881 as a matter of urgency.





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Wearing of face coverings

Thank you everyone for wearing face masks on the school premises - this is very much appreciated!

All adults on site - including the playground - must wear face coverings in the same way that you would in shops or on public transport (unless you are exempt). If you enter the school building please also use the hand sanitiser provided.



We would also recommend that you wear a face covering whilst waiting on the pavement outside the school when dropping off and picking up your child(ren).



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Upcoming Events

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| December | 18th - Christmas Lunch, wear some festive clothing
18th - Last day of term |
| January | 4th - Back to school |



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Dear Jesus

Thank you that you were born as a baby in Bethlehem.

Thank you that you help us not be afraid of anything.

Help us to be joyful at Christmas time because you love us!

Amen





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