



Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Primary School



18th October 2021

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding
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Holy Communion Celebration

Congratulations to Zenna who took her first Holy Communion last weekend.

First Holy Communion is an important stage in a child's spiritual development. If your child was baptised, he/she was welcomed into the family of the Church. Holy Communion is the Sacrament which binds us together as God's family, providing strength and spiritual nourishment for the journey in faith together.



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Preparation for the first Sacraments



If there are any pupils in Year 3 or above at school, whose parents would like their child to be prepared to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist in 2022 please contact the Church of the Assumption.

Their programme begins with a meeting for parents only in the Parish Rooms at Abbey Road on 21st October at 6pm.

A crèche is available for children accompanying their parents.



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Celebration assembly



We are holding our end of half term celebration assembly on Friday afternoon at 2.15 p.m.

Parents of those children receiving an award will be notified by text.

If attending please ensure a mask is worn whilst on the premises



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Gymnastics success!

Willow competed at the Penryn Classic at the weekend, her first competition in over 20 months because of COVID. Her main aim was to go clean on all 4 pieces. Not only did she go clean she also brought home 4 Gold Medals, 1 Bronze Medal and the Champions Trophy.

Vault - Gold Medal

Bars - Gold Medal

Floor - Gold Medal

Beam - Bronze Medal

All around (total score on all 4 pieces) - Gold Medal

Trophy for Overall 8 and unders Champion





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Holy Angels after school club

Holy Angels would like to remind families that there is no after school club on Friday 3rd and 17th December.





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Holy Angels -message

Holy Angels would like to remind parents that if you have booked a place for your child at Breakfast or After school club that you must ensure you cancel the booking if it is not needed or you may be charged.





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Secondary School admissions

If your child was born between 1st September 2010 and 31st August 2011 you will need to apply for a secondary school place. The application period is open from **1 September 2021 until 31st October 2021**.

The preferred method of application is online via the Citizen's Portal. This can be found at www.torbay.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/admissions/secondary-place-2022/ The portal will open on 1st September and will close at 23.59pm on 31st October 2021. Late applications, those made after this time, will be at a disadvantage.

Paper forms can be collected from your child's primary school or by contacting Student Services.

Phone no: **01803 208908** Email: pupil.services@torbay.gov.uk



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Autumn Term - After School Clubs Yr 1-6

Monday - Gymnastics Yr 2/3/4

Tuesday- Tag Rugby 4/5/6

Wednesday -Football 3/4

Thursday - Football Yr 5/6

Friday - Multisports 1/2

Please book online via your Sims pay account.





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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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House Points - Weekly



Bevan House

382

Stephenson House

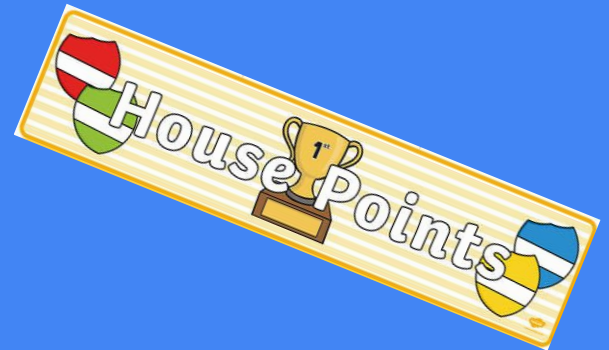
298

Pankhurst House

416

Thompson House

399





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Endeavour Awards



Class 1 Millie C
Class 2 Mitchell
Class 3 Baran

Class 4 Anthony
Class 6 Harry



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Achievement Awards



Class 1 Ammar
Class 2 Julita
Class 3 Godwin

Class 4 William
Class 6 Evan



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Respect Awards

Class 1 Niko

Class 2 Harry

Class 3 Aileen

Class 4 Ashton

Class 6 Sean C





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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 visitors/parents/carers entering the premises must continue to wear face coverings at present.

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).





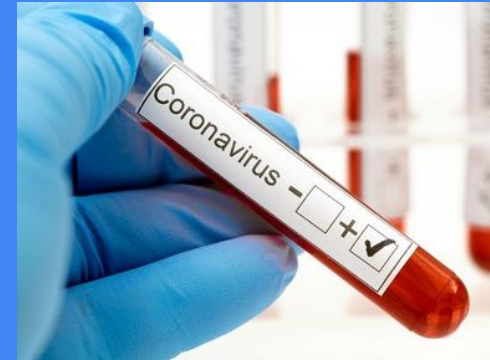
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Local information on Coronavirus

Torbay Council have guidance and information on their website including, how to obtain free testing kits, test and trace support payments and how to help stop the spread of COVID-19 in Torbay.

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/coronavirus/>



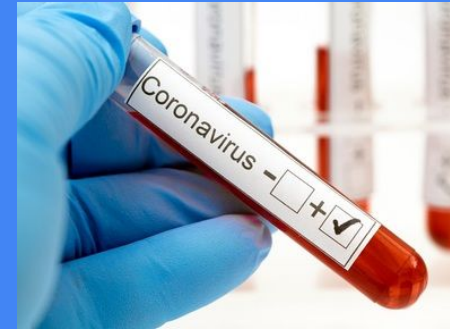


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Positive Coronavirus Test result

If your child receives a positive coronavirus test result it is crucial that you let us know immediately by emailing admin@olota.uk or phoning 01803 613095.





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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 in advance (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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Upcoming Events

October

19th - Parents Evening 3.30 - 6.00 p.m.(Not Yr 4 and 5)

21st - Parents Evening 3.30 - 6.00 p.m.(Not Yr 5)

22nd - Celebration Assembly 2.15 p.m.

25th-29th Half term

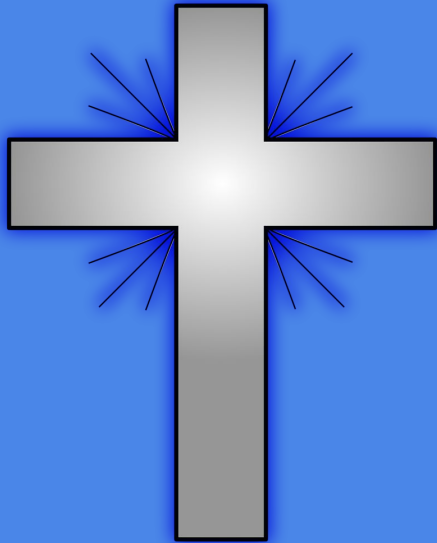
November

1st - Non pupil Day

2nd - School re-opens



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Lord,

Bless us and all our leaders.

Guide us as we try to follow your example.

Amen.



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Contact us:

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