



Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Primary School



29th November 2021

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding
Deputy Child Protection Officers: Kate Davenport, Lauren Stone
Named Governor for Child Protection: Angie Baldwin



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Parking

You will have heard the very tragic news that a secondary school child was knocked down in Queensway last week and suffered serious injuries. I am sure that you will agree that we all need to work together to prevent another accident from happening. At times, people park selfishly around the school which puts the children in our community in dangerous situations. The Highway code sets out what is and is not legal - but more importantly - how to park safely and prevent harm to others.



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It is not safe and therefore illegal to stop or park:
(Highway Code Rule 243)

- On double yellow lines opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction
 - On zig-zags outside a school or near a school entrance
 - Anywhere that would prevent access for emergency services
 - Over a dropped kerb
 - In front of an entrance to a property
 - Near the brow of a hill

Double yellow lines indicate **NO WAITING OR PARKING** at any time.



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Blue Badge Holders

The blue badge only entitles you to park or wait on double yellow lines where it is safe, at least 15 metres from opposite a junction and providing you are getting out of your car. Please note therefore that blue badge holders should not park on either the double yellow or zigzag lines that run the length of the school site.

The school fully supports all people with disabilities. So if you are reliant on a blue badge holder picking up your child, on their own and in a vehicle, please speak to Mrs Harding so that a special pick up arrangement can be made.



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Governor role

Governors provide crucial support and challenge to the leadership of the school with regard to school improvement. Their ultimate aim is to ensure that the school is the best it can be for our pupils. We currently have two vacancies on the governing body. The first is for a Community governor which can include any member of the school community, including parents. The other is for a Foundation governor - this role requires a practising Catholic. The commitment is for one meeting per half term 5-7pm. If you are interested please contact a.baldwin@holyangelpreschool.org.uk or if you would like to talk in person, please give her a call on the school telephone number.



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Open Day

Parents whose children are due to start school in September 2022 are invited to attend a school open morning at 10.30 a.m. on the 7th December.

Please note face coverings must be worn on the premises.



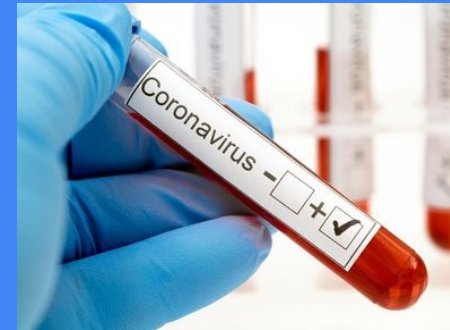


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Positive Coronavirus Test result

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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Primary School admissions

If your child was born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018 they will be due to start at primary school from September 2022. You will be able to apply for a primary school place between November 2021 and 15 January 2022.

You will be able to apply online using the Citizen's Portal. If you do this the local authority will notify you of the outcome of your application by email on 19 April 2022. This is the most preferable way to make an application.

For further information visit:

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/admissions/primary-place-2022>



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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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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 Pay 360 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 8.50 a.m.



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House Points - Weekly

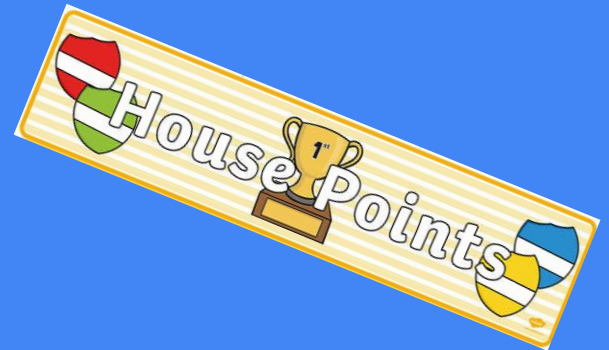


Bevan House
247

Stephenson House
441

Pankhurst House
451

Thompson House
229





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Endeavour Awards



Class 1 Lana
Class 2 Everybody
Class 3 Riley

Class 4 Thomas
Class 5 Leonard
Class 6 Brandon



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Achievement Awards



Class 1 Ammar

Class 2 Everybody

Class 3 James

Class 4 Peyton

Class 5 Evie

Class 6 Elesha



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Respect Awards

Class 1 Millie C

Class 2 Everybody

Class 3 Archie

Class 4 William

Class 5 Emelia

Class 6 Saket





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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).





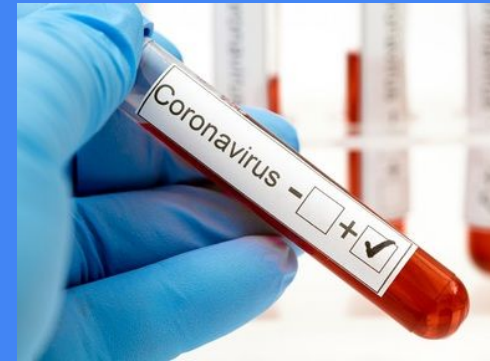
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Local information on Coronavirus

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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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

- December
- 3rd - PTA Wear a Christmas accessory - donation to PTA
 - 7th - Open Morning - 10.30 a.m.
 - 10th - Christmas Jumper Day - donations to CAFOD
 - 15th - Christmas Lunch
 - 15th - EY/KS1 Nativity - To Be Confirmed
 - 16th - Celebration Assembly - To Be Confirmed
 - 17th - Christmas Party Day



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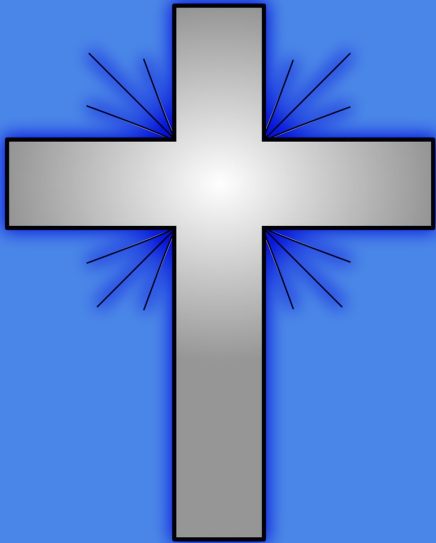
Dear Jesus

Thank you for our family and friends.
Guide them and protect them always.

Be with us as we prepare for your coming.

Help us to stay awake and pray.

Amen





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