

13th December 2021

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Covid Update

Unfortunately we have had another four confirmed cases over the weekend and another two of our teachers are currently poorly with Covid. If your child is showing symptoms of Covid please keep them off school until they have been tested.

Mrs Gale has demonstrated great tenacity in finding supply teachers and it is a huge credit to the staff here at Our Lady's that we have managed to cover all the classes and not yet had to close a class due to staff absence. We hope that this will continue for as long as possible!



Poppy Appeal

The Royal British Legion would like to thank parents, children and staff for raising £211.89 for their 2021 Poppy Appeal





Spring Term - After School Clubs Yr R-6

Monday - Gymnastics Yr 2/3/4 Tuesday- Netball 3/4/5/6 Wednesday -Lacrosse 3/4/5/6 Thursday - Football Yr 3/4/5/6 Friday - Multisports R/1/2

Please book online via your Pay 360 account.





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



Holy Angels after school club

Holy Angels would like to remind families that there is no after school club on the 17th December.





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.

Please ensure the NHS notification is also emailed to the school.





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).





House Points - Weekly



Bevan House
410
Stephenson House
399
Pankhurst House
425
Thompson House
296







Endeavour Awards

Class 1 Teddy Class 2 Jacob Class 3 Alvis

Class 4 Amelia Class 5 Maddy Class 6 Sean T



Achievement Awards



Class 1 Chloe Class 2 Olivia Class 3 Seren Class 4 Anthony Class 5 Jelani Class 6 Jessica





Respect Awards

Class 1 Saanchi Class 2 Delilah Class 3 Annabelle Class 4 Grace Class 5 Ania Class 6 Sean C



Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence <u>by 9.15 a.m.</u> 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.



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/coron avirus/





School Meals

Payment and ordering of meals is via the Pay 360 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 <u>make payment in advance</u> (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. <u>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.</u>





Upcoming Events

December 15th - Christmas Lunch

17th - Christmas Party Day

January 4th - School re-opens

10th - Epiphany assembly led by Y3 2.15pm

13th - Flu vaccinations





Jesus, help us to make space so that our hearts are Warm and ready to welcome you.



Contact us:

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