

St. Wilfrid's Catholic (VA) Primary School and Nursery



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CEOP

The CEOP website has been developed to offer children, young people, parents/carers and professionals working with these groups with a simple and convenient mechanism for gaining access to trusted online safety advice, help and support. For further information on the CEOP website - CLICK CEOP.

<https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre>



WELCOME BACK.

Thank you so much for all your support this week as we returned to school. The bubbles and balloons definitely put smiles on everyone's face. (A few tears too but I am pleased to say happy ones not sad.)

Thank you to all parents and grandparents for keeping to the one-way system that we now have in operation on the school site for the beginning and end of the day. **Thank you** to those parents that did come alone and a reminder to others that please only ONE adult to bring and collect children to keep numbers on site as low as possible. The children have been so happy in school as have all the staff, it's great to be back!

If you have any questions for your class teachers or school in general please do not hesitate to send an email to the office and we will do our best to support you from a distance.

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NURSERY

We currently have a few places available in **NURSERY** so please pass on to anyone looking for good quality Nursery provision as I'm sure just as last year we will be full before long.

BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Don't forget if you need childcare before and after school use our services that provide both educational and enjoyment for your children. Mrs Fairhurst is the manager and is available each morning and Mrs Byrne is in charge in the afternoons. Both ladies are available to discuss how we operate and how we can help to support you and your children.



PARENTPAY

If you have not already registered for Parent Pay, please do so. This is our main form of communication with parents. We send out regular emails, occasional texts and you can pay for everything in school online via Parent Pay. We will be moving to a cashless system by the end of this term so please ensure you are signed up to the system.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SCHOOL TERM DATES 2020 to 2021

AUTUMN TERM 2020

Inset Day Tuesday 1st September

School starts for children - Wednesday 2nd September 2020

Half Term Close Friday 23rd October 2020

School starts for children - Monday 2nd November 2020

Close (Christmas) Friday 18th December 2020

SPRING TERM 2021

Inset Day Wednesday 6th January 2021

School starts for children - Thursday 7th January 2021

Half Term Close Friday 12th February 2021

School starts for children - Monday 22nd February 2021

Close Wednesday 31st March 2021

Inset Day Thursday 1st April 2021

SUMMER TERM 2021

School starts for children - Monday 19th April 2021

Half-Term Close Friday 28th May 2021

School starts for children - Monday 7th June 2021

Close Wednesday 21st July 2021

Bank Holiday Monday 3rd May 2021

Just a few dates so far this month....

Induction and Mental Health week – Starting the 2nd September for the whole school.

7th and 8th September – Life Caravan PHSE is visiting school.

25th September - Macmillan Fund Raising Day cake sale £1 per cake all proceeds to MacMillan

2nd October – Cafod day - A CAFOD campaign day to address issues of food and hunger around the world. £1 donation.

9th October – We will be celebrating the Feast day of St Wilfrid.

23rd October – Half term.



SCHOOL MEMBER

'Living the Gospel in the spirit of Love and Respect'