



# Welcome Back!



Welcome back to all our pupils and their families. I have had a fantastic first week and I want to thank you all for your kind words and for making me feel so welcome. I have loved getting to know the children and have spent time in their classrooms, watching them play and helping out with the new school lunches in the hall. It is wonderful to be back together again as a school family and the warm weather has really lifted everybody's spirits! We have been able to gather together for our whole school liturgy and awards assembly and we have also enjoyed singing once again.





# *Important Notices*

## **STAFF NEWS**

Unfortunately, Mrs Bradford is unable to be at school this term to teach music but we send our best wishes to her and we look forward to welcoming her back in the coming months. A warm welcome to Mrs Wibberley, who has previously taught at The Mead School. She will be teaching music across the school until Mrs Bradford's return. We also welcome Mrs Town and Mrs Rainbow who will be supporting the learning in Year 2.

## **VOLUNTEER READERS**

I am pleased to inform you that we will be welcoming parent volunteers in again to help with reading. If you, or a family member is interested, please email Pam in the office: [admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk](mailto:admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk)

## **CURRICULUM EVENING**

We will be holding a Curriculum Evening on Wednesday 22nd September with workshops designed to give parents some insight into your child's learning in school. A letter will follow with more information, but we hope you can join us on the evening.

## **MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

This year we will once again host a Macmillan Coffee Morning at the school on Friday 24th September. The morning is a fabulous opportunity to bring together the Sacred Heart parents and wider Sacred Heart community at the beginning of the academic year. It has proved to be a busy and friendly event, giving people the chance to catch up after school drop off and offering those new to the school a warm welcome and the opportunity to be introduced to other parents at the school. The event always raises a large amount of money for such an important cause - yet of course we are not able to place a value on the community spirit an event such as this generates. Baked donations from parents, children and teachers will be gratefully received to support the coffee morning and can be dropped off at the school from pick up on Thursday 23rd September.

## **ROALD DAHL DAY**

Roald Dahl day is celebrated on Monday 13th September so during the week, staff will be reading some of their favourite books and poems. On Friday, there will be a special Roald Dahl inspired menu and in the words of the BFG, I am sure it will be truly 'scrumdiddlyumptious!'

## **GRANDPARENT WEEK**

Grandparent week this year falls on the week beginning 27th September and during that week, we would like to invite any of our grandparents to join us at the end of the day to read a story to their grandchild's class. If you would like to join us for this, please email Pam in the office: [admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk](mailto:admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk)

## **COVID-19**

Following the letter sent last week, please inform the office if there are any positive cases in your household. Your child will still be able to attend school providing they do not have symptoms themselves and you will be advised to give your child a PCR test. They will not need to isolate unless they have had a positive test result themselves. We appreciate your communication in regards to COVID and we want to ensure that we can keep each other, our children, staff and families safe.

## **OPEN MORNINGS**

- **Battle Abbey School:** Saturday September 18th 2021, 10.00am – 1.00pm.
- **St Gregorys:** Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October, Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October, Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October at 9.00am, 10.00am and 11.00 am and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2021 at 4.30pm, 5.30pm and 6.30pm.
- **Mayfield School:** Saturday 25 September (this is now fully booked) and Tuesday 9 November from 10am-12pm, and a virtual Open Morning on Saturday 27 November from 11am-12.00pm.
- **Bethany:** 25th September 2021 or 20th October 2021

# ***Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School where learning is fun!***

## **YEAR 6 LEAVERS – NEW TO YEAR 7**

***With best wishes to the old....***



***...and to the new***



***....and to our new families***

We have lots of new starters this term and extend a special welcome to Henry, William, Isobel, Amadea and Harriet in Nursery. Poppy, William and Joseph in Reception. Joseph and Rose in Year 2. Elsie in Year 3. Oliver and Alissia in Year 4 and finally Rafferty in Year 5. Welcome to our Sacred Heart family.



# MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS: LOVE, LEARN, GROW, WORSHIP



RECEPTION	Whole Class	LOVE/LEARN/GROW/WORSHIP: For all settling so well into the school family
YEAR 1	Whole Class	LOVE: For thoughtful contributions to the discussion about the Mission Statement and for excellent ideas on how to share kindness at school
YEAR 2	Rose	GROW: For settling in SO beautifully to Year 2 at Sacred Heart School
	Joey	
	Annemieke	WORSHIP: For her beautiful interpretation of our Mission Statement
YEAR 3	Ariana	LOVE: For the kindness she shows to others
	Elsie	LOVE: For settling in so well at Sacred Heart and for her enthusiasm and positivity!
YEAR 4	Oliver	LOVE: For settling in so well at Sacred Heart
	Alissia	LOVE: For settling in so well at Sacred Heart
YEAR 5	Rafferty	GROW: For settling in so well to Sacred Heart
	Charlie	GROW & LEARN: For working so hard and displaying such a positive attitude to all of his learning
YEAR 6	Felix H	GROW: For being his best self all week and for listening carefully in lessons - keep it up!
	Lorraine	LOVE: For being so helpful in the hall at lunchtime without being asked
	Anabel	
PE	Luke (Y5)	For excellent Goal keeping in football
	Jack (Y5)	For excellent supportive play in football match
	Coco (Y4)	For excellent goal scoring in hockey
	Amber (Y4)	For excellent goal scoring and tackling in hockey



Key policies are available via the school website or on request from the school.



# Fixtures



## **U11/10 BOYS FOOTBALL v Rose Hill School Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

U11 TEAM: Felix H, Oscar, Felix M-C, Rupert, Michael, Baxter (Capt) & Charlie W

RESULTS: SHS lost both matches 2-1 and 2-0. Congratulations Rose Hill

U10 TEAM: Jack (Capt), Fabian, Charlie D, Art, Rafferty, Harrison, Harry, Myles, Luke, Louis and Thomas

RESULTS: SHS drew their first match 0-0 and won the second 1-0. Congratulations to Sacred Heart



## **U9/8 GIRLS HOCKEY v Skippers Hill**

On Thursday the Year 4 and 3 girls were invited to Skippers Hill for a hockey festival. They started with a group skills session followed by 4 small- sided games. This was the first time the girls had played a hockey match and they all had lots of fun, played really well and learnt a lot. Thank you Skippers Hill for inviting us and for the lovely match tea.



## **U9/8 BOYS FOOTBALL v Skippers Hill Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

TEAM 1: Rafe, Padraig (Capt), Gus, Liam and Lorenzo

RESULTS: SHS won the first match and drew the second

TEAM 2: Edward, Oliver (Capt), Harry, Arthur and Isaac

RESULTS: SHS won both their matches. Congratulations Sacred Heart!

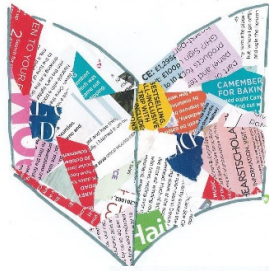
Well done to all the players for representing Sacred Heart for the first time.





# Mission Statements

This week children have been focusing on the School Mission Statement and what it means to them as a Class.



## Our Year 4 Mission Statement

### Love

At Sacred Heart School we feel safe and happy. We always try our best and follow the ways of Jesus, in all that we do and say. We love our neighbours as ourselves.



### Learn

Our learning is fun and exciting! We have teachers who help us to learn new and interesting things and support us when we need help. We always aim high, work hard and do our very best!



### Worship

We are all different with special gifts. We celebrate this and respect others as part of God's family.

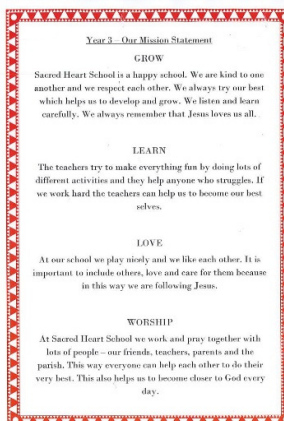
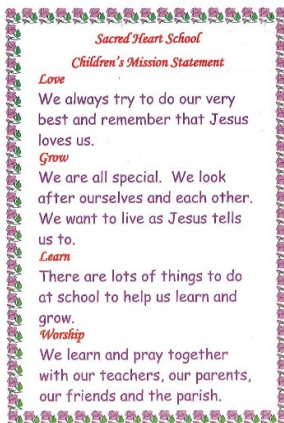
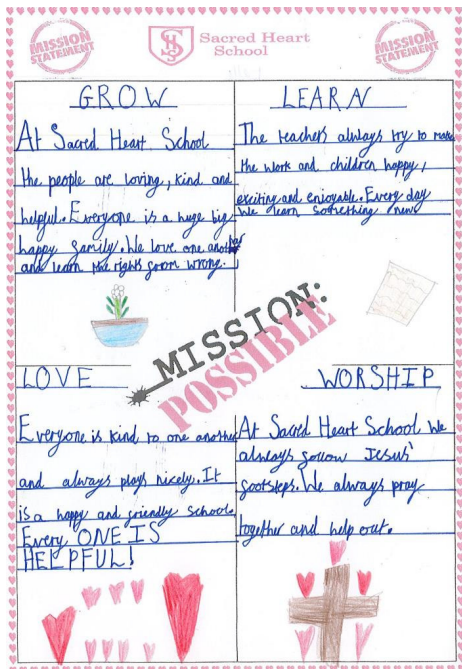


### Grow

We try to live in the light of Jesus and always be our best selves. Small people can do big things.



## OUR SACRED HEART MISSION STATEMENT



## Mission Statement

### Love:

Here at Sacred Heart School, we try our best to keep everyone safe and happy. We know every child individually and respect who they are. One of the first things we teach our children is how to love one another. Our school knows and believes very strongly that children must feel safe and secure to learn well and so must our teachers to teach well.

### Learn:

At this school, we do lots of different subjects and make sure students don't get bored. We do core subjects (English and Maths) everyday to keep them in our minds. We are proud of our children no matter what their work looks like because we know they tried their hardest.

### Grow:

At Sacred Heart School, we make sure everyone grows spiritually (to get closer to God) and mentally to achieve your full potential. We teach our children to set good examples for others to learn through.

### Worship:

At our school, we teach R.E. regularly so all students can get closer to God. We have liturgy and we sing hymns to get closer to God and Jesus. We learn from Gospel reading and believe everyone is part of God's family.