



# St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School

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## Daily Update

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back after this unusual Easter break. We continued to be open throughout the Easter holiday and school were happy to help those parents who needed our support. We've all had to adapt to new ways of working, so I wanted to take the opportunity to say what an amazing job you're doing supporting your child's wellbeing and learning during this time. It's definitely been a strange and challenging time, so it's normal to feel worried at the moment. We're here for you every step of the way as we figure this all out together. Remember, if you have any concerns about helping your child learn or you need any other support from the school, please let us know by emailing: [admin@st-bernadette.blackpool.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-bernadette.blackpool.sch.uk) We all miss the children, but we must follow the government's guidance to keep everyone in our community safe. We also love seeing the children's fantastic learning at home – please keep sending in their work so we can update our school website. I have also attached other supportive information – supporting your child's wellbeing parent pack. Finally, we know that some of our school community have been directly affected by Covid-19 so please continue to keep everyone in your prayers.

### Remember:

Where possible, children should be safely cared for at home. However, we understand that this may be difficult for some key workers. We are here to look after the children of our key workers who are critical to the Covid-19 response and vulnerable children who may need our support.

Please can you ensure that we have up to date details if your situation changes:

- If you have indicated that you will need child care for your child on a particular day and then your situation changes, please inform us immediately, otherwise, in line with our safeguarding duties, you will receive a phone call from school
- Is anyone in your household self – isolating?
- Do you no longer require childcare and have not informed the school?
- Are you due to or have you finished a period of self – isolation?
- Have you or members of your family been directly affected by Covid-19?
- Is it possible to alternate your work shift pattern, within the household, so that one parent/carer is able to care for your child?

Please correspond by email if any of the above applies to you and we will respond during the normal school hours.

Head Teacher: Mrs Alexis Satterthwaite



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*A moment of reflection:*

*"May we too accept Jesus's mercy and show that mercy to the most vulnerable, that is what saves and builds the world."*

*Pope Francis*

God Bless  
*Alexis Satterthwaite*  
Head Teacher