



The Communicator

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Today is the last day of remote learning and we are very pleased to be welcoming all of our children back to school on Monday. Congratulations to everyone who is graduating from the school of Teams or Purple Mash today. We truly hope that no further closures will be necessary but will continue to teach one lesson each week on Teams in school to children in Y2 – Y6 so that they are confident to use it, should it ever be required in the future.

I would like to congratulate all the staff, children and families both at home and school for the way they have adapted to a very different way of working over the last few weeks. I know that it has been extremely difficult but we should all be very proud of the way that we have carried on, done our best and continued to learn. I am sure that there will be some anxieties about the return to school and no doubt we will need to make some adaptations along the way but, I'm sure that you will agree, it is the very best thing for all our children to be in school and taught face to face.

As you know, we have very many safety measures in place to enable us to reopen and keep our community as safe as possible. Many of you will have your own views on whether these are enough, too much, necessary or not. However, the procedures set out in our risk assessment and parent guidance are those which have been approved for our school and I must insist that you follow them whatever your views. Please take some time this weekend to read our guidance and talk to your child about their return to school, the rules they must follow and reassure them that we are looking forward to seeing them.



Many parents have expressed concerns that children have found learning tricky whilst at home and may not have fully understood some of the concepts which have been taught. Please be assured that teachers will take the time to settle the children back into school and to assess any gaps in learning. We will be mindful of children's varying experiences over the last few weeks and will allow children to readjust. It will be important that children continue to do their very best including with reading and homework to help them to catch up any gaps. If you have any concerns, please speak to your child's teacher.



World Book Day

It was lovely to see so many children from home and school enjoying World Book Day celebrations yesterday. Thank you for your support with costumes.



WOW award

- Nursery - Maciej Jezierski
- Reception - Grace Zhang
- Reception - Cody Meredith
- Year 1 - Billie-Mae Nixon
- Year 1 - Keira-Lei Kelly
- Year 2 - Taloola Campbell
- Year 2 - Ann Lorraine Cabalbal Agsalda
- Year 3 - Sophia Allcock
- Year 3 - Victoria Owen
- Year 4 - Winnie Maughan
- Year 4 - Rio Price
- Year 5 - Jacob Hewitt
- Year 5 - Kai Clews
- Year 6 - Yasmyne Robinson
- Year 6 - Ryan Murray
- Year 6 - Kathleen Quinn

Values and Virtues (Grateful & Generous)

Nursery : Sienna Bailey

Presentation award

(for presenting work to a very high standard)

- Nursery - Joe Joseph Justine
- Reception - Hollie Hope
- Reception - Callen Wheeldon
- Year 1 - Ella Gilbert-Spencer
- Year 1 - Olivia Longmore
- Year 2 - Logan Swinswood
- Year 2 - Spencer Smith
- Year 3 - James Ward
- Year 3 - Theodora Peter
- Year 4 - Lily Nounga-Vanderpuye
- Year 4 - Quinn Jenkinson
- Year 5 - Shannel Smith
- Year 5 - Aurelia Lazna
- Year 6 - Grace Pearce
- Year 6 - Poppy Hiller

Please ensure that you supervise your children carefully before school starts and after you have collected them at home time to avoid accidents and other children being hurt. Children should not be playing on playground equipment after school- please support us by ensuring that your children stay with you after collection. Thank you.

Uniform

Please ensure that children are wearing the correct, full school uniform including a tie and school shoes (not trainers)

Roadworks

As you know, we were advised that new internet cables were to be laid underground in Mobberley Road from 1st – 12th March. Following discussion with the company, they have agreed to complete the work before 8th March to reduce the disruption when school is fully open. However, we all know that roadworks don't always go to plan so please be aware that you may need to park a little further away from school early next week if the work does run over.



PE Days

NURSERY	-	Wednesday, Friday
RECEPTION	-	Tuesday, Thursday
YEAR 1	-	Wednesday, Friday
YEAR 2	-	Monday, Wednesday
YEAR 3	-	Tuesday, Wednesday
YEAR 4	-	Tuesday, Friday
YEAR 5	-	Wednesday, Thursday
YEAR 6	-	Monday, Wednesday



Dinner Money

Please make sure Dinner Money is paid in advance on ScoPay.

Nursery £2.15 per day

Year 3-6 £2.60 per day

Diary Dates

Monday 8th March – school reopens to all pupils

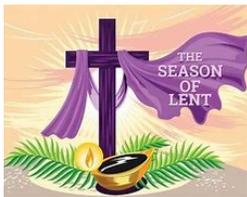
Wednesday 17th March – St Patrick's Day. Children in St Patrick's house (green) may wear their own clothes **including something green** on this day

Friday 19th March – St Joseph's Day

Thursday 1st April – school closes for the Easter holidays

Catholic life

The Catholic Church is now in Lent, a season of prayer, fasting and good works to help us to prepare our hearts to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus on Easter Sunday. During Lent, we are encouraged to "repent and believe in the Gospel." One way that we can do this is by saying sorry to God and so our prayer of the month for March is the Act of Contrition.



Prayer of the Month for March: Act of Contrition

O my God,
Because you are so good,
I am very sorry that I have sinned against you,
And by the help of your grace,
I will not sin again.

Amen.



I wish you a restful weekend. Please remember to follow the current restrictions so that they can be reduced as soon as possible. As always, we are here to support all our families in whatever way we can. Please do not hesitate to contact us. I look forward to seeing you all on Monday morning.