

Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School March 2018 Newsletter

"Love one another as I have loved you"

Have you got any questions, concerns or queries? Please don't hesitate to come in and see us.

New Uniform

We have been thinking for some time now about making a change to our school uniform as we are aware that the yellow polo shirt quickly loses its colour after a few washes and doesn't stay looking smart for very long.

Obviously we want our children to look as gorgeous and smart as possible because we are very proud of them all and our school and so have decided to make some slight changes from September 2018. Below is a picture of the new Sacred Heart School uniform!



In addition the PE T-shirt will change to red and Identity will also stock a blue and red hoodie which the children can wear for outdoor PE.

The tie is an elasticated one - just in case anyone is panicking (as I would have done) - about having to fasten a tie every morning!

Nursery children wont wear the tie and will have a blue polo shirt instead of the buttoned shirt.

There will be no requirement to buy this new uniform until you are ready although we know that many of you like to buy new uniform for the start of the new school year. However, we are happy for the old uniform to run concurrently with the new one for a while. Just to remind you that if anyone is struggling to provide school shoes or a uniform for their child, please come and see me and we may be

able to help.

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Dates for your diary:

March

Tuesday 27th March - Easter Activity Day

Thursday 29th March - End of Term non uniform day

April

Monday 16th April -School re-opens for Summer term

IPads for Sacred Heart School

Mrs Marshall has set up a fundraising page to help us raise money for our school to help replace our outdated IPads

https://spsr.me/7jpf

We are looking to purchase 5 new iPad's to replace our old iPad 2s which are becoming obsolete in February 2018. They are an invaluable way to help our children communicate and motivate them to learn and engage.

As part of our drive to ensure our pupils get access to a creative and relevant curriculum, we have embedded the use of iPads in the classroom to improve workflow and make their learning relevant and accessible to all. We have had our current iPads for many years and they are showing signs of wear and tear. The iPad 2 operating system is becoming obsolete in February 2018 which means that most apps will be unusable and there will be no further updates for these products. Purchasing a new set of iPads would mean we can continue with the work we have started and give our children the best start in their education.

The iPads will be used as a whole class teaching tool across the curriculum, especially in ICT lessons. The new set would be future-ready so that students can use the latest apps and learn the newest-functions.

Only 3 days left

Please do donate if you can, but if you can't donate right now you can help us in other ways! Share this project with anyone you think would support us.

Share the link at the top of the page on Twitter, Facebook, email, your website, blog, mention us in a phone call or even just a chat over the fence!

Spread the word in your local area. Thank you to all the very generous people who have donated so far—we have just about reached our target—how amazing if we could go beyond it!! Please support us and help make a difference to our children.

School Meals

Just a reminder that unfortunately the price of a school meal will increase by 10p to £2.30 from 16th April 2018. Meals for the infants remain free of charge.

School Mini Bus

We will definitely have our new mini bus after the Easter holidays so we now need to know who will require a place to be picked up each morning. As we only have 16 spaces priority is going to be given to children who live the furthest distance from school and are without transport of their own.

Please give your name in to Mrs Cadman in the office as soon as possible if you would like to be considered for a place on the mini-bus.

I would just like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your wonderful support both to our school and for the many fundraising activities we do for those people who need our help. Your generosity and kindness never fails to amaze me and I am so proud to be Headteacher of our wonderful school.