



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

This week in school:

On Wednesday, the flu immunisation programme took place. The school nurses spent the afternoon vaccinating all children whose parents had given permission. If you wish your child to receive the vaccine but did not get the form in on time, you can book a vaccination with your GP instead.

The children have continued to impress us with their excellent behaviour and attitude to learning. I have spent a lot of time this week meeting with each class teacher to discuss the progress of each child since September and to plan individual next steps to ensure continued progress.

Coronavirus Update:

Coronavirus continues to be a concern for us all in school. In order to help keep us all safe and all classes open, please do not send your child to school if they feel at all unwell. This is particularly important with the highly infectious Omicron variant where the symptoms include a scratchy throat, lower back pain, a runny or blocked nose, a headache, muscle pains and fatigue, sneezing and night sweats as well as fever, loss of taste/smell or a continuous cough. So if your child has any of these symptoms, please do not send them to school and get a PCR test. Thank you for all your support in these continuing tricky times.

However, if your child has any of the symptoms above they will be required to have a PCR test to rule out Covid before being able to return to school.

Class newsletters:

All class teachers have sent out their class newsletter for this term with important information and dates on them. Please also check the class dojo or Tapestry apps to check you are receiving the most up to date information or any changes to the timetables.

Assemblies/Visitors:

We are currently only allowing essential visitors into school and asking they wear masks and take a LFD test before entering. Therefore, I have postponed the start of Class Assemblies this term. I will send out further information after January 26th when new government guidance for schools will be released.



Nut free school:

Please remember that we have a number of children with nut allergies: some airborne. This means that we need to **insist that all products sent into schools are nut free**. There are some food items you would not think contained nuts so please can all parents check labelling when making packed lunches.

Finally:

Thank you for all your support. Have a restful weekend,

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IFuFm0m2wj0>

J. Kingston

Mrs Kingston.

Important Dates:

Date	Event
Tuesday 25 th January	Year 2 Trip Aerospace
Thursday 27 th January	Year 5 Bikeability all day
Friday 28 th January	Year 5 Bikeability AM Cake sale after school (Y6 Fundraising)
Saturday 12 th February	Lantern Parade
Tuesday 15 th February	Year 3 Museum Trip
Wednesday 16 th February	Year 1 Aquarium Trip
Thursday 17 th February	Year 5 Performance AM
Friday 18 th February	End of Term 3
Monday 28 th February	Inset Day
Tuesday 1 st March	Start of Term 4

