

Reception 2021-2022. Remarkably, we have to start the process of applying for Reception next year very soon. The advice I have received is as follows:

“Parents to visit www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions and submit an online application by 15 January 2021 (the final closing date). We would strongly recommend that you ensure you read the ‘Primary School Admissions Criteria 2021 Information’ prior to submitting your application. Online applications will receive an immediate email confirmation when the application is submitted. Those online applicants who have not provided an email address will not receive an acknowledgement so it is very important that you include an email address. If you have not received an acknowledgement by 15 January 2021, then you should call Children’s Services on 0121 303 1888 to confirm that your application has been received. Online applicants that submit their application with a valid email address will be sent an offer by email on 16 April 2021. Parents/carers that submitted an online application without a valid email address will be sent an offer letter by first class post which should arrive from 16 April 2021 and should be delivered by the end of that week”

Harvest Assembly 2020. We are joining in with schools across the country for a “virtual Harvest assembly” next Thursday the 8th October. Each class will be designing a box and everyone will be asked to donate a tin. If everyone gives one item of food, we will have nearly 400 things to eat for those less fortunate than ourselves. Please donate some food if you can.

Parents Evening 2020. Following advice, sadly, Parents evening will not happen this term in the way it normally operates. We are going to issue a “Report Card” now to every child, which Mrs Logue will write more about shortly. I hope that after Christmas we can host a more “normal” face to face parents evening as we normally do.

Virtual Learning 2020. Please follow, use and comment on the individual year group Twitter feeds we have created. If we ever have to “close” a year group, work can be accessed via this portal. I am grateful to all the staff for updating and maintaining the respective year group feeds.

School/Church Car Park. As the darker evenings and mornings become a reality please can I once more urge everyone to exercise great caution when using the car park. Now staff have to park there, space is very much at a premium. Unfortunately, one of our signs asking people to park considerately was damaged this week after a car collided with it; please do take care if you have to use the car park.

Perry Common Recreation Ground. Please take extra care when coming to school if you use the entrances at the rear that head out on to the park. I spoke with the contractors this week who informed me that some heavy machinery would be working within vicinity of the school in the coming weeks and months. This is to enable all the “finishing off” to be done in the park that has been extensively delayed for a number of reasons. Do please be vigilant.

Please Pray For. All those about to make their First Holy Communion.

Many thanks for your support and cooperation with all these matters.

M Aldred. Head teacher.



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