



St Francis Catholic Primary School

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Monday 5th September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Welcome back to term 1 of the new academic year 2022-23

Welcome to the new school year, I am hopeful that we will be able to continue the return to a sense of normality and will be able to welcome you into school for many social, advisory and information sessions and activities.

Welcome to our new families, we look forward to working with you over the months ahead. We also welcome new members of staff to the team and wish them every success in their new roles.

The children all looked very smart today; thank you for ensuring that they are wearing the correct uniform. Please remember that long hair should be tied back with a suitable hair band and hair should not be coloured or gelled.

Over the last months, we have been building a brand new website and had hoped that we would be able to launch it today. Unfortunately, our current website provider has not completed the changes needed for our new website to 'go live'. Please ignore the information on the old website as it is no longer up to date. As soon as the new website is available we will let you know.

Please ensure that we have the correct contact details for you in case of emergencies. You can contact the school on 01622 771540 or via email on generalenquiries@stfranciscatholicprimary.com.

During the week beginning **Monday 19th September**, we will be holding our usual "Meet the Teacher" sessions straight after school. This is an opportunity for you to receive general information about teacher expectations, PE etc. The exact dates will be sent home to you later this week.

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Our school calendar, which is on the website, will detail all planned events, and dates for your diaries will also be sent out in our fortnightly newsletter. However, please make sure you check your emails, the school website, and read the school newsletters, as there are occasions when we take advantage of opportunities which are made available throughout the year.

Please remember to check your child's report (from last term) for the name of your child's new class. If you need to get in contact with the class teacher then please email them as below:-

Mrs Barker	st_lucy@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Miss Page	st_ann@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Miss Killackey	st_matthew@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Sims	st_joseph@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Walker	st_john@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Allen/Mrs Rogers	st_anthony@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Herron/Mrs Hope	st_luke@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Zokra	st_mark@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Hibbert	st_peter@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Miss Butler/Mrs Brundish	st_paul@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mrs Neill	st_bernadette@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mr Loynes	st_theresa@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Miss Bull	st_clare@stfranciscatholicprimary.com
Mr. Forster	st_margaret@stfranciscatholicprimary.com

We are looking forward to working with you all in the year ahead to make 2022 – 2023 an exciting and productive year for us all.

Yours faithfully,

Elisabeth Blanden
Headteacher

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