

St Michael's Catholic Primary School With Jesus we can Achieve what we Dream and Believe!

Newsletter 8

7th November 2020



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Email: contact@stmichaelscatholicprimary.co.uk

Telephone: 0151 263 8460 (Press 1 to report a pupil absence)

Contact Details

In the interest of your child's safety and well being we need:

- * a named adult that can be contacted at all times
- * at least 3 up to date telephone numbers
- * a call if your child is absent from school

If there is no contact a home visit will be carried out. If there is still no contact we may to need to call the police for a welfare check.

Key points from Mrs Rigby's earlier correspondence

As we are now in our second National Lockdown as a country we need to review our practices.

- Year group bubbles will be reduced to class bubbles
- Only 1 adult per family is to drop off and pick up on the playground . Secondary school aged siblings must wait outside the gates
- Everyone must exit the grounds speedily
- All adults must wear a face mask unless exempt and keep their distance
- No extra-curricular clubs will take place
- Early Birds breakfast club and Sparkles after school club will continue to operate

Thank you for your continued understanding and support.



Surviving Christmas: Together For Families

Virtual Coffee Morning



Parents and Carers are welcome to join the Together Trust for a live Zoom webinar on:

Monday 16th November 2020 10am – 11:30am

There will be a short presentation on some common Christmas difficulties and family-friendly strategies to help you with this.

Following the presentation, there will be an opportunity for you to ask questions.

Hosted by: TT Therapy Team

Presentation by Kate Holden, Advisory Teacher

Email tffadmin@togethertrust.org.uk to register.



The parent app provides up to date important information. If you would like an invite to download the app, please call the office on 0151 263 8460



You can apply for free school meals via this link <u>https://liverpool.gov.uk/</u> <u>benefits/free-school-meals/application</u> -form/



Our Family Support Worker

Dawn Foxon is available to talk. Call Dawn on 07712235811 or e-mail dawn.foxon@liverpool.gov.uk







Once again we are supporting Children in Need. Friday is a non uniform day and the children can come to school in their own clothes (preferably in Pudsey or Blush colours). We will be collecting a voluntary contribution of 50p. Thank you for your continued support.



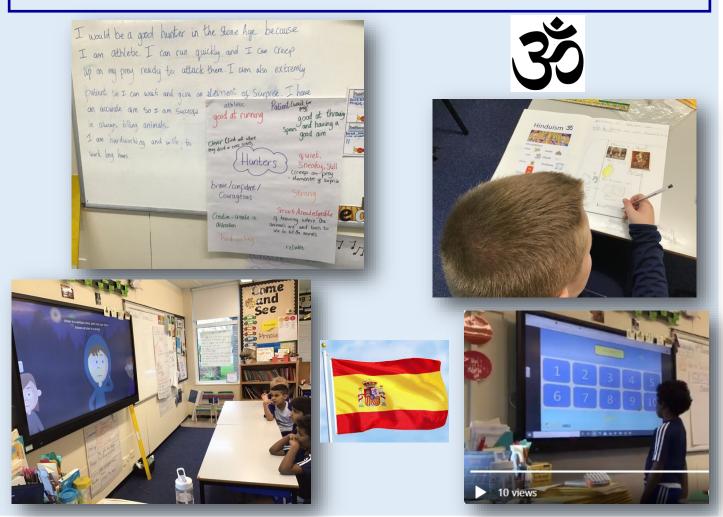
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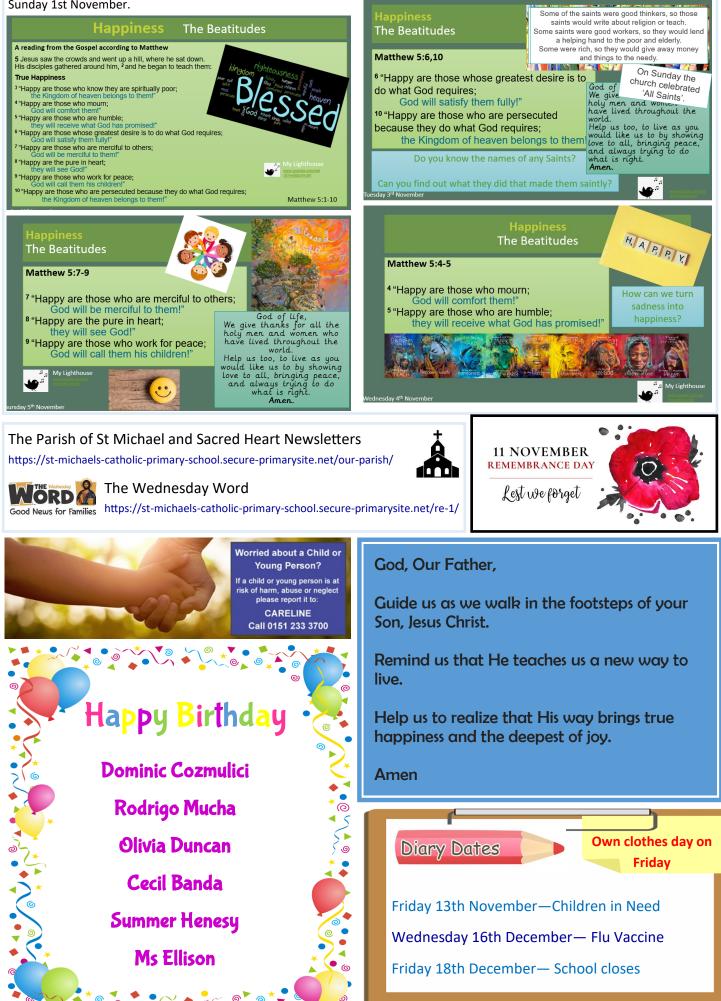
Year 3 Olympians

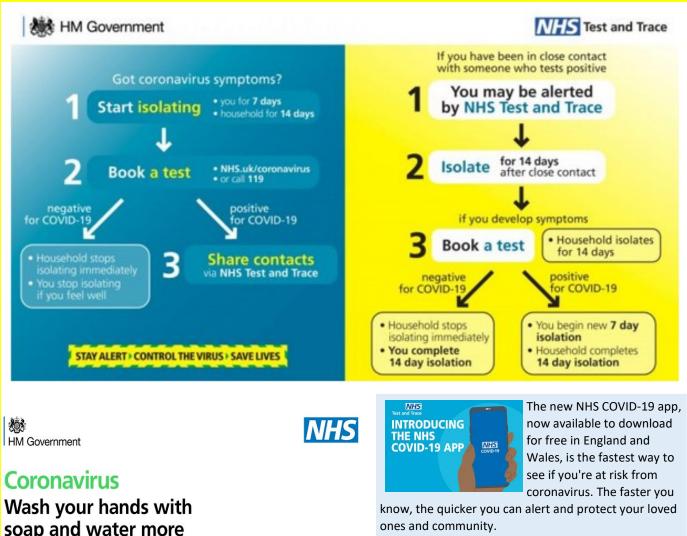
Olympians have enjoyed their first week back after half term. We have been using some phenomenal adjectives and expanded noun phrases to describe settings and give extra detail in a portal story. We travelled back to the Stone Age and pretended to be a gatherer or hunter and listed the key qualities they have that would make us good at that job. "I am patient in waiting for the right time to sneak up on my prey" - Evi. As it was Bonfire Night this week we have discussed how to keep ourselves and others safe.

The children have been practising counting in Spanish from 1-10 and recognising numbers (see Twitter for videos). We have enjoyed learning all about Hinduism in Come and See and have been designing a poster to inform people about the special features of a Mandir. I am so proud of all of your hard work and effort Olympians! Keep shining like the bright stars that you are!



This week our <u>Collective Worship</u> theme was 'Happiness' and we have reflected on The Beatitudes following All Saints day on Sunday 1st November.





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The backs of hands

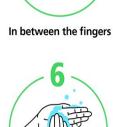
Palm to palm



The back of the fingers

The thumbs

Use a tissue to turn off the tap. Dry hands thoroughly.



The tips of the fingers



The app has a number of tools to protect you, including contact tracing, local area alerts and venue check-in. It uses proven technology from Apple and Google, designed to protect every user's privacy. If your postcode district becomes high risk, the app will let you know – and give you advice on what action to take.

- If you come into close contact with another user who reports a positive test result the app will send you an anonymous alert
- A built-in QR scanner lets you check in to venues quickly and easily
- You can check your symptoms in the app and if they suggest you may have coronavirus, the app is an easy way to get tested
- Any data shared with the app is held on your phone
- Nobody will know who or where you are. You can delete the app and all data at any time
- The NHS COVID-19 app is the fastest way to see if you're at risk from the virus. The faster you know, the quicker you can alert and protect your loved ones.



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Term Dates 2020-2021



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Autumn Term 2020

Term: Wednesday 2nd September to Friday 18th December 2020 Half term: Friday 23rd October to Friday 30th October 2020 Terms ends: Friday 18th December 2020

Spring Term 2021



Term: Tuesday 5th January 2021 - Friday 26th March 2021 Half term: Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February 2021 Term ends: Friday 26th March 2021

Summer Term 2021



Term: Monday 12th April to Tuesday 20th July 2021 Half term: Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June 2021 Term Ends: Tuesday 20th July 2021 May Bank Holiday: Monday 3rd May 2021

Staff Development /Training Days—School Closed for Pupils

Tuesday 1st September 2020 Friday 25th September 2020 Friday 23rd October 2020 Friday 15th January 2021

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