

12.9.2022

Dear families of St. Kentigern's,

It has been a pleasure to welcome back the children and families. The children look incredibly smart in their uniform and they have settled beautifully into school life.

Bank Holiday

A bank holiday has been allocated on Monday 19th September, the date of Queen Elizabeth's funeral. Following the instruction from the Department of Education, schools will be closed that day.

Loreto High School

Mrs Hughes, the Headteacher of Loreto High School, will be visiting St. Kentigern's with pupils of Loreto High School to meet our Year 5 children and their parents on Wednesday 14^{th} September. I know that Mrs Hughes is eager see you all and to answer any questions that the children and parents might have about Loreto High.

The Open Evening event will take place at Loreto High on Thursday 22nd September 5.30pm - 8pm

Parking

Thank you to the great majority of families who continue to park in a careful and sensible manner. Unfortunately, the Traffic Warden has reported that some families have still pulled up outside school, even stopping on the zigzag lines, allowing the children to open the car doors onto the road and make their own way into school. On one occasion, somebody stopped outside school, the children opened the car door only for the driver to rethink their decision and drive elsewhere. The car door was still open as they were driving which is incredibly dangerous. The Traffic Warden has informed school that he has taken the appropriate

action in relation to these matters. Children should be escorted by an adult to their classroom if they are in KS1 or in EYFS.

Chester has been busy!

Chester is exhausted! He has been collecting apples from the orchard with our Year 1 children, he has taken a trip into space with Year 5 and he has welcomed our Year 6 children. Well done, Chester!













MacMillan Coffee Morning

School is happy to take part in the Macmillan Cancer Support Coffee Morning again this year. Please come and join us for our coffee morning and cake sale on Friday 30th September at 9.00am. Everyone is welcome, even if they don't have children at our school.

Year 5 combine Geography with Design and Technology

In Year 5 this week they have been looking at where in the world our clothes come from. They looked at the labels and found the country it was made in, and then used atlases to mark in on a map! They realised that the UK imports most of our clothing.



A message from Fr. Michael

Dear Lord.

We give you our school. We give you all the teachers and staff who work here,

We give you all the children who study here. We pray our school would be place of great discovery, adventure and creativity.

May it be a place where we love to learn and where we learn to love,

A place where everyone is respected and all are deeply valued.

We ask all this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

With continued best wishes,

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Headteacher