

Friday 16th October 2020

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Keep our school safe. Keep our school open!

Please contact us if you have any questions.



Wear a mask on the yard.



Only ONE adult per child.



If anyone in your household has symptoms (high temperature; new, continuous cough; loss of taste or smell), he or she must be tested and the **WHOLE HOUSEHOLD** must not leave the house for 14 days. You can come out of isolation if you receive a negative test result.

Alder Hey Donation

Once again we have a lovely story to share with you all. After having an operation herself, one of our pupils, Scarlet Winder, generously decided she would like to help other patients of Alder Hey. Together with her dad, Scarlet streamed on Facebook for 12 hours doing games and raffles and with the help of the local community managed to raise an amazing **£2750** which they used to buy arts and crafts sets and colouring books. Well done Scarlet, what a fantastic inspiration!

Absence reporting

If your child will be absent it is extremely important that you call the office by 9am on the first day of absence. We have strict guidelines to adhere to and telling us that a child is 'unwell' is not sufficient. Can you please provide a specific reason for their absence e.g. vomiting, high temperature etc.

See-saw online learning

Our online learning platform, **see-saw** is up and running and all children have taken home passwords and log in details. In the eventuality that a child has to self isolate due to COVID symptoms or a bubble is sent home, your child will be able to access work.

Snacks and water bottles

If children bring in snacks for play time can you please ensure these are healthy items such as fruit NOT crisps or biscuits. It is also very important they bring in their own refillable water bottle rather than a single use plastic bottle.

Sponsored numeracy events

We hope the children have all been practicing for their sponsored numeracy activities, which they will do next week in order to raise money for school funds. Can we ask that any money raised is brought in to school by **Friday 23rd October**. Many thanks for your continued support.



St
Benet's
Mass Times

Saturday
6:30 pm



Sunday
9:00 am
11:30 am

Mon & Fri
10:00 am

Attendance
& Punctuality

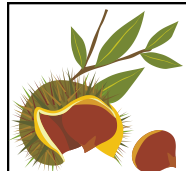
Whole School:
95%

Highest Class:
5NE

 98.2% 

Well Done!

Number of
Lates
8



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Champions of the Week			
	Star of the Week	Maths Champion	Writer of the Week
Rec	Esme Von Bargaen	Amy Lunt	Riley Roman
1GG	Faye Vernon	Esme Bilbao	Ethan Miller
2C	Isobel Criddle	Ruby Mossman	Millie Waterfield
3C	Emma Hudson	Oscar Smith	Emma Cansfield
4CL	Adam Clague	Lauren Williams	Hannah Wallace
5NE	Dominic Grimson	Grace Carter	Aaron Ward
6O'M	Harvey Gilsenan	Aiden Backhouse-Byrne	Libby Middlehurst

Half term

We break up for half term next **Friday 23th October**. There is an inset day on Monday 2nd November, so Children will return to School on **Tuesday 3rd November**.

Community Soccer Coaching after school club

There are still plenty of spaces left on the multi sports after school clubs.

The nights for each class are as follows:

Monday - Year 2

Tuesday - Reception

Wednesday - Year 1

Thursday - Year 4

Friday - Years 3 and 5 (with two separate coaches)

If you would like your child to go please send in the permission slip and pay directly via bank transfer. The charge for one half term is £17.50, payable to Community Soccer Coaching. The children can come in wearing their PE/games kit or a plain tracksuit and will be collected at 4:15pm from their Class room doors.

We realise Year 6 are not included at the moment but we hope to have something in place for them after half term.

School Terms and Holidays 2020/21	
<p><u>Autumn Term 2020</u> Monday 26th - Friday 30th October Monday 2nd November Tuesday 3rd November Friday 18th December</p>	<p>Half-Term Holiday Inset Day School re-opens for children Close for Christmas (Close at 1:30pm)</p>
<p><u>Spring Term 2021</u> Monday 4th January Tuesday 5th January Monday - Friday 15th - 19th February Friday 3th April</p>	<p>Inset Day School re-opens for children Half-Term Holiday Close for Spring Break</p>
<p><u>Summer Term 2021</u> Monday 5th April Monday 12th April Tuesday 13th April Monday 3rd May Monday - 31st May - Friday 4th June Monday 7th June Tuesday 8th June Wednesday 21st July</p>	<p>Easter Monday Inset Day School re-opens for children Bank Holiday Half-Term Holiday Inset Day School re-opens for children School closes for Summer Holiday (Close at 1:30pm)</p>