



19 July 2019

Dear Families,

Thank you for your support this year and for letting us have the pleasure of working with your children. I hope you have a wonderful summer holiday and we all look forward to seeing you on **Wednesday 4 September 2019**.

End of Year Mass

Thank you to Fr Bill and seminary student, Luke, for leading Mass with us this week to celebrate the end of a wonderful year in school.

Drop off zone for morning drop off

During the summer the school car park will be marked with a drop off zone for the morning drop off. This will enable children to be dropped off without the need for families to find a parking space. The gate next to the car park will be the **only gate** open in the mornings from September. This is to ensure children cannot leave the site once dropped off. The drop off gate will be staffed by Mrs McCabe. Mrs McCabe will not be taking messages as her role will be to safely get children into the school grounds. Any messages to be passed onto teachers could be passed on in a letter, contacting the school office or parking and speaking to staff at the doors. Families are very welcome in the playground and this is just an additional option for families.

Messages for teachers

Messages can be passed onto the following staff when dropping off your child in the playground. Mrs Shuttle receives messages for Year 5 and Year 6, Mrs Clasper/Mrs Haley for Year 3 and Year 4 and Ms Elizabeth for Year 1 and Year 2. You can call the school office or email admin@stcharles.newcastle.sch.uk with any messages for teachers. Teachers will try and call you back as soon as possible once they have finished their teaching commitment.

Uniform

School uniform can be purchased from Tots to Teams. Please can we remind families when purchasing new uniform for September that Reception and Key Stage 1 pupils should only be bringing in a book bag to school. **We do not have storage for large bags.**

Children in Key Stage 2 should only be bringing in a small back pack or bag to carry a homework book, reading book and water bottle.



Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 book bags



PE bags for all classes (these do fit in outdoor and indoor PE kits)



Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 back packs

If you are purchasing your own back pack bag for a Key Stage 2 child, please ensure they are small. Your child needs to fit their coat, PE kit and bag on their peg.

Nursery and Year 6 Leavers

Good luck to all of the children leaving St Charles' today. It has been a pleasure working with you all and we wish you all the best as you embark on the next stage of education. We are extremely proud of each and every one of you.

Diary Dates for Autumn term 2019-2020

September 2019			
02.09.19	Whole School	Training Day	All Day
03.09.19	Whole School	Training Day	All Day
04.09.19	Year 4	Swimming for the Summer Term	1.15pm – 1.45pm
11.09.19	Year 5	Year 5 at Royal Grammar School - Computing – Cryptography	All Morning
17.09.19	Whole School	New School Year Mass	9.10 Holy Hall School Only
24.09.19	Year 3	Year 3 to attend Mass at Church. Parents welcome to walk with children or meet at Church for 10.00am.	10.00am at Church
25.09.19	Year 6	Year 6 at Royal Grammar School – Computing – Crazy Maze	All Morning
27.09.19	School Council	The school council are organising a MacMillan Coffee Morning. All parents welcome. More information to follow.	9.00am
30.09.19	Whole School	Tin donations for Harvest Festival welcome this week	All Day
October 2019			
01.10.19	Year 4	Year 4 to attend Mass at Church. Parents welcome to walk with children or meet at Church for 10.00am.	10.00am at Church
02.10.19	Whole School	School Photographer Year Group photos for Nursery, Reception and Year 6. Individual and sibling photos for Year 1 – Year 5	All Day

07.10.19	Mini Vinnies	Mini Vinnies Harvest Festival Celebration Assembly. All Welcome	10.45am All Welcome
09.10.19	Year 5	Year 5 to attend Mass at Church. Parents welcome to walk with children or meet at Church for 10.00am.	10.00am at Church
14.10.19	Whole School inc Nursery	Parents Evening	3.30pm
15.10.19	Year 6	Year 6 to attend Mass at Church. Parents welcome to walk with children or meet at Church for 10.00am.	10.00am at Church
16.10.19	Year 3	Year 3 at Sacred Heart High School to watch a RSC performance of The Merchant of Venice	1.00pm
17.10.19	Whole School inc Nursery	Parents Evening	3.30pm
24.10.19	Whole School	Last day of Half Term	School Closes at 3.15pm
25.10.19	Whole School	Training Day	All Day

Have a lovely summer holiday with your family.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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