

St Robert's R.C. First School Newsletter




19th November 2020

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We care, we serve, we learn together in the love and truth of Jesus



 *Next week's Statement to Live by: Simple things can make us happy*

Upcoming Diary Dates

Monday 23/11	Keyboards Liturgy No Y3 swimming
Tuesday 24/11	PE Restart a heart Y3/4 NUFC Y3/4 workshops Y3 Dodge ball club
Wednesday 25/11	Y4 Ukulele Operation Encompass Y1/2
Thursday 26/11	Violins Dog Safety Assembly
Friday 27/11	Celebration Assembly

COVID: Please inform us **IMMEDIATELY** if anyone in the family has symptoms. Your child will need to isolate until the test result for any family member is confirmed as negative. We will require further information to inform Public Health England in the event of a positive case. Thank you for your support.

OPERATION ENCOMPASS Y1/Y2: Police School Liaison Officer, Karen Kirkbride, will be delivering a Friendship/Relationships session to the children in the afternoon of **Wednesday 25th November**.

NUFC FOUNDATION RESTART A HEART: Y3 and Y4 will take part in a Restart a Heart session led by the coaches from the NUFC Foundation on **Tuesday 23rd November**. This campaign is designed to equip youngsters with the skills and confidence to give potentially life-saving cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) to anyone who needs it.

BLUE CROSS VIRTUAL DOG SAFETY ASSEMBLIES: Our school dog Honey decided that the children needed a little more information about her and her furry friends. On **Thursday 26th Nov** every class will be involved in a virtual Dog Safety assembly from the charity Blue Cross. Blue Cross is a charity that helps sick, injured, abandoned and homeless pets to find out more about them [click here](#).

RECEPTION PLACES 2021 PORTAL: The portal for Reception places for 2021 is open **until 15th January 2021**. You can find all the information by following the link. [Click here!](#)

EYFS CURRICULUM AND TARGET TRACKER: Thank you to all the EYFS parents for kindly completing the form to set you up on Target Tracker to receive observations of your child's learning. A few parents have experienced some difficulties in signing up or haven't received the email. Please check your spam/junk inbox. Please do not hesitate to let us know if you need support.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK: This week we have been united against bullying for Anti Bullying Week. The children in all classes have been learning about their friendships and how important it is to be united against bullies.

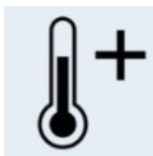
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We are planning to begin First Holy Communion preparation in the new year. If you would like your child to make this Sacrament, please complete this google form at the request of Father Peter: [Click here](#)

WANSBECK CHRISTMAS CAMPAIGN: Is aiming to ensure that every child in the Wansbeck area receives a toy this Christmas. If you have any toys/games that are in good condition that you would like to donate, there is a collection in the car park at the Half Moon in Stakeford on Saturdays 21st and 28th November from 12—1:30pm. For more information [Click here](#).

COVID-19 What symptoms to look for...



A new and continuous cough!



A high temperature



A loss or change in taste/smell

Please inform school immediately if your child or any family member in the household is taking a test and the outcome of the test.

CHILDREN IN NEED: Thank you for the fantastic support and amazing out for Spotacular. As a school we raised £140 to support Children in Need.



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ALERT THE VIRUS LIVES**