



St Stephen's Catholic Primary School

'Working together to succeed, through faith in Jesus Christ'

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CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) UPDATE:

Dear Parents/Carers,

Further to my letter last week, I would like to inform you all of some of the precautionary measures we are taking in school to minimise contact as we continue to follow strict guidelines by Public Health and the Department for Education. In order to support all areas of increasing health and safety for our pupils, staff and families we have made the following decisions:

- **All Parents' Evening planned for Wednesday 18th March and Tuesday 24th March from 2.00-6.00pm will be postponed and rearranged for after the Easter holidays.**
- **The PTA meeting on Wednesday 18th March has been postponed.**
- **Cardinal Newman Catholic High School have postponed the planned Y6 Retreat Day on Thursday 19th March. This will be rescheduled for after the Easter holidays. Y6 will continue with lessons as normal in school on Thursday.**
- **Reception Class' Mother Day Liturgy on Friday 20th March has been cancelled. In order to minimise contact for the Reception Class, we will be asking that as of tomorrow that you hand your children over to staff at the classroom door at the start of the day.**
- **We received notification in school today that the PAN Art Exhibition has been cancelled which was due to begin on Thursday this week. School will look at alternative arrangements for displaying the children's work after they have gone to such time and effort to produce their masterpieces!**
- **All Good Shepherd Fundraising Friday activities have been postponed until further notice.**
- **Year 4's trip to Warrington Museum, planned for next Monday 23rd March, has had to be cancelled. Parents/carers will receive a refund for any monies paid.**

We apologise for any inconvenience or disappointment this may cause but in the interests of pupil, staff and public safety, we feel it necessary to put these measures into place. We will endeavour to keep you up to date with further developments over the coming days. Thank you for your understanding and support with this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Hatton
Headteacher

