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"Love your neighbour as yourself."

Luke 10:27

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy New Year again. Earlier this week we introduced the children across the school to the theme of Social Justice. In our assembly and over the next few weeks children will explore ideas around gender equality, stereotypes and discrimination. Already from the answers the children started to share in assembly many of them are well informed and are beginning to appreciate the importance that this has in our curriculum.

Covid update

In a school of over 430 children our Covid numbers remain low. We have 10 pupils across the school absent due to Covid. Five members of staff who had Covid over Christmas have now returned and there is currently one member of staff off with Covid, who is due to return on Monday. Across Wirral the last validated 7-day data does show a drop and unvalidated data for the last 7 days shows a more significant drop.

Changes to the self-isolation period for those who test positive for COVID-19

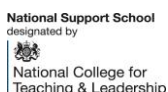
From Monday 17 January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education or childcare setting immediately on day 6. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day.

Maths Workshop

Thank you to all of the year 1 parents who attended our socially distanced maths workshop. The feedback was very positive and we are looking forward to inviting all of the year 2 parents who have signed up to attend next week. The workshop is held in the hall and you can access this from the playground.

NHS Food Scanner App

On the school website we have posted some information from the NHS which helps families find healthier choices using a scanner app. [NHS APP info](#)



Polite reminder - Safety at the end of the day

The playground is very busy at the end of the day and my staff continually notice young children playing on the equipment and sometimes with little supervision. While the equipment is tempting for children to play on it is only to be used in school time with teacher supervision. In this way we are able to avoid accidents or any serious incidents

Inset Days 2021-22

- Monday 28th February 2022
- Friday 27th May 2022

Wishing all of the families at St. Bridget's a Happy New Year .

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