

Safe Ready Respectful



10th March 2021



Dear children,

I hope you are all well and excited about returning to school next week, on Monday 15th March!

We have had our P1, P2 and P3 children in school for a few weeks now and everything has been going very well. The boys and girls have been so happy to see their friends and all the staff who look after them. They have been delighted to get into the playground, have lunch together and start their important learning again! Oh, and thank goodness, they have come back with their super manners!

Your class teachers have been working from home too and the return to school will be new for them also. I am sure they will be very eager to catch up with all your news.

One of the most important things when you return will be that you are feeling safe and well. We will all work hard as a community (staff and pupils) to make sure this happens. We all have a big responsibility to look after one another. We must remember what is important at Our Lady of Peace :

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Another hugely important thing is your learning. I know many of you have been working hard on Showbie tasks and well done for this. Your teachers plan for important learning experiences for every day, all day. They will help you lots, to catch up but you will need **to be ready** for school; showing respectful behaviours and being prepared to make the biggest efforts that you can.

Your learning is like a big golden key which opens many, many doors of opportunity...look after that precious key as you must not lose it!

We can't wait to see you all again on Monday and please remember we are here for you so you have no need to worry about anything, at all.

Please remember

- ◆ full uniform– including your shirt and tie
- ◆ dark coloured footwear
- ◆ indoor shoes (to stop our floors being covered in mud and dirt)
- ◆ a healthy packed lunch if you do not take a dinner school lunch
- ◆ your filled water bottle
- ◆ one healthy snack
- ◆ no school bags (they can spread germs as they are taken back and forwards to school/home)
- ◆ we will give you the tools you need to carry out your learning (pencil, ruler, etc.)

You should enter through the big, main gate and please be on time.

I look forward to seeing you all where you belong...in your amazing school on Monday for a 9.00am start!

Take care, keep safe and continue to be great boys and girls!

From Mrs McDonald

Headteacher

