



Archdiocese of Birmingham  
**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY  
SCHOOL**

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Dear Parent

## June is dedicated to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



### Sacrament of the Eucharist

A number of our Y3 children will receive the Eucharist over the next couple of weeks. We ask you to pray for these children as they go forward to receive their Lord in Holy Communion. It is such a beautiful time in the life of your child. May God bless them abundantly.

### COVID-19 UPDATE



There are a number of schools we work with who have closed 'bubbles' due to infections and one school has had to close completely due to the amount of staff and children who have tested positive. We need to remember that this virus is still circulating and therefore we must insist that all adults wear face masks on our premises. My understanding from some of our parents in the medical field is that things are beginning to increase in the hospitals (though not as ferociously, we hope). Let us all look out for each other and support the health and well-being of all. Thank you for your understanding and positive response.



### **Reading Recommendations ...**

**Miss Horton's (6F) top recommendations from her class library!**

**Miss Horton recommends Mary Poppins because it is completely different to the film! She said every chapter is full of surprises and really funny!**

### **Cleaner Vacancy**

We are looking to appoint a friendly cleaner to join our highly motivated, enthusiastic and hardworking team.

Hours of work are: 15 hours per week, 15:00 – 18:00, Monday – Friday during term time plus 5 weeks during school holidays to undertake deep cleans as follows - First 2 weeks of the summer break, October half term, February half term and May half term.

More details relating to this position, including rates of pay, can be found on our website under the Vacancies tab.

If you have relevant experience and are interested in applying please email [office@stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk](mailto:office@stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk).

### **Reception 2021**

Most unfortunately, our planned induction day for our new Reception children has had to be cancelled due to the latest concerns about the Delta variant and we have been directed by Birmingham LA to cancel all on site inductions. Parents have been written to and this important first step will now take place in September.

### **Kidz.comm – support at end of term**

In the week commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July, Jane Lewis (Kidz.comm) is offering cover to parents who require childcare for that week. The provision will be available between 7.30am and 5.00pm each day. If you want to take up this offer, please go directly to Kidz.comm on 07736 399789.

## **SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

As you are all aware – if your child will not be in school for any reason, you **MUST** inform us on the first day of absence. You can telephone (0121 464 2141) and press option 1 or email the school office [enquiry@stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk) If we do not hear from you, we have an obligation to call you. Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

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