



Archdiocese of Birmingham

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Dear Parent



October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary

Parent Consultations: Tuesday 15th and Thursday 17th October

Please remember that each appointment is limited to 10 minutes. If you need more time, then you will need to make another, mutually agreed, meeting. The children's books will be available to look through either before or after your appointment.

A Thought for the Week...

**This is how faith grows,
through confident, trusting prayer.
Prayer is the door of faith;
Prayer is medicine for the heart.**

Pope Francis during Mass of Canonisation of St John Henry Newman,

Y7 Applications for September 2020

All applications must be made by midnight 31st October 2019. Applications are on line only, <https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions> and you will need to complete a School Supplementary Form and send direct to Catholic schools.

Applications received after 31st October will be considered as late and will impact negatively on your prospects of securing the place you desire for your child.

EU Settlement Scheme

Parents/Carers of pupils who are EU, EEA or Swiss citizens need to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme to continue living in the UK after 2020.

If you are an EU, EEA or Swiss citizen, you and your family can apply to the EU Settlement Scheme to continue living in the UK. The deadline for applying will be 30 June 2021, or 31 December 2020 if the UK leaves the EU without a deal.

The EU Settlement Scheme is now open. You can apply now if you meet the criteria. It is free to apply to the scheme. Please follow link below: -

<https://apply-for-eu-settled-status.homeoffice.gov.uk/>

If your application is successful, you will be granted either settled or pre-settled status.

To find out more about settled or pre-settled status, please visit: - <https://www.gov.uk/settled-status-eu-citizens-families>

PHOTOGRAPHS!

On 23rd October our photographer will be in to take individual/sibling photos. If you wish to have pre-school siblings included, you will need to be in school by 8:15 so that these photographs can be completed before school begins at 8:45.

Inset Day – Friday 25th October... Reminder

Next Friday, the school is closed to the children and therefore they finish for half term on Thursday 24th October.

Cleaner Required

10 hrs per week 3.45 - 5.45 p.m. Monday to Friday.

This position is term time only plus 5 weeks during the holidays. If you are interested, please contact a member of staff in the school office for more details.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher