



KEYHAM BARTON CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear School Family,

It's been fantastic to see so many families supporting our Walk to School month! Please keep supporting as there is the opportunity for you to win a personal prize and raise money for the school! Further information has been shared on Facebook. With the weather getting colder, please can you ensure your children come to school with a coat on as we do get outside as often as possible.

This week we had a visit from our new CEO, Zoe Batten. Zoe was very impressed with the learning and behaviour she saw and is keen to really get to know our school and support us. It was lovely for her to see your children hard at work. They were a credit to you.

COVID Reminder

The three key symptoms to watch out for are:

- **A high temperature;**
- **A loss of sense of smell or taste**
- **A new, continuous cough lasting more than an hour, or 3 coughing fits in a 24 hour period.**

If a child displays any of the above, we are directed to call you immediately and for you to pick them up. If a member of your household is symptomatic, you need to isolate for 10 days or until you have received a negative test result.

You do not need to keep children home for any other symptoms unless you normally would.

Google Classrooms

In the event of being symptomatic or awaiting a test result, every class will be posting the same learning they are doing in class on Google Classrooms. All children have logins to the classrooms and to IXL. We would very strongly recommend that your children are accessing our online provision if they can't be in school, as it is crucial that we work together to help them keep up!

HERE EVERYDAY, READY ON TIME

Now more than ever, regular and punctual attendance is crucial to your child's achievement in school, especially as we begin our catch-up programme to support them with the term they have missed.



The class with the highest attendance and punctuality this week were:

Justice Class!

Well done! Keep it up!

The expectation for every child's attendance is at least 97% and above.

If your child is going to be away from school, we need to know each day before 9:10 am. Thank you for your support in this matter.

HOUSEPOINTS



This week's winners are: **Fatima!**

Well done!

The team with the most stars will win a mufti day at the end of the term!

CLUBS AT SCHOOL

Autumn Term Sports Clubs:

Monday - Year 3/4 Football with Plymouth Argyle (starting Mon 28th)

Wednesday - Year 5/6 Multi-Skills with Plymouth Albion (starting Wed 30th)

Thursday - Year 5/6 Running Club
Friday - KS1 Football with Plymouth Argyle

You will need to sign up for clubs by emailing the office. All sports clubs are free for this term only.

WORSHIP AND LITURGY



Each Monday, we begin the week with a liturgy based on the Sunday Gospel. From this, we get an action to practise throughout the week. Liturgies take place in class and I will share these on our Facebook page, along with our Celebration assemblies weekly, so you can participate remotely. The theme next week is:

Join the Celebration



In this week's Gospel, Jesus told a story about a king who held a party for his son's wedding. The people who had been invited didn't turn up! The king sent a message to them to tell them about the great food and wine he had prepared for them and let them know what they were missing.

When the guests still didn't come, the king sent his servants out to invite anyone they could find. The servants went to the crossroads and invited everyone! The good and bad alike, and the wedding feast was soon full of guests!

God invites everyone to his feast, even some unexpected people!

All are welcome!

Action: Prepare a meal or volunteer to help cook dinner with your family this week!



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Children's University is ONLINE!
If your child is already collecting stamps we will send you login details and password for your Online Account.

For children and families
Children will collect stamp codes in their Passport to Learning that they can then add online. By adding their codes to Children's University Online they'll unlock further information showing them the interests and skills they're developing through participation. All children will have their very own dashboard which will help them see how they're progressing towards the next award level; reflect on the skills they're building and help them find new activities. There are also online-only exclusive badges that can be collected. Check out their Facebook page
<https://www.facebook.com/DevonChildUni/hildUni/tions>.

If your child would like to join Children's University please email admin@keyhambarton.plymouth.sch.uk

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If you think you may be entitled to Free School Meals you can apply online, please follow this link:- <https://www.plymouth.gov.uk/schools/education/childcareskillsandemployability/freeschoolmeals>
If your child is in Key Stage One - Courage, Kindness and Compassion classes you still need to apply. In the event you need to self-isolate, Catered will provide food parcels to eligible families of Free School Meals, so now more than ever it is important to apply.

Music Tuition

Mr Miluski

Music Lessons

Free online music lessons until October half term

- Guitar & Piano
- Small group lessons or 1:1 available
- 20 minute lessons

Weekly Guitar & Piano Lessons
Every Mon/Tue
from 16:00

To book contact:
admin@keyhambarton.plymouth.sch.uk

Keyham Achievers!



Courage: Jaden

Jaden has practised his name everyday and today he wrote a perfect capital J.

Kindness: Zara

Zara has made a great start to her Keyham Barton school life. She comes to school and follows instructions with a smile every day!

Compassion: Oliver S

For being a model pupil and ambassador for year 2, displaying a mature approach to learning and impeccable manners. Fantastic attitude Oliver!

Forgiveness: Matilda

Matilda has been a superb writer! Her innovated instructions text was very well-written and absolutely hilarious! The staff thoroughly enjoyed it - well done Matilda!

Peace: Elsie

Elsie has made huge progress with her times table recall this week, which is something that all of Peace class have been working hard on.

Integrity: Laveen

Laveen has been learning independently at home, using our new learning platform; IXL. Great progress, Laveen

Justice: Lewis

Lewis was amazingly engaged with our class discussion as we started our new RE unit on Commitment this week. He made several reflective contributions that showed his deep understanding and consideration of our Big Questions.

MTA Lunchtime Awards



Courage - Zara- always friendly and polite.

Kindness - Frankie- Great manners.

Compassion - Eliza- continuous great manners all week!

Forgiveness- Annie- Always using please and thank you.

Peace - Corey- concentrating really well and finishing his lunch.

Integrity - Addison- consistent great manners all week.

Justice - Jack- lovely manners and always polite.

CAFOD Fast Day



Thank you for your support with CAFOD Fast Day today!

We are incredibly proud of you all!
Keep up the good work!

Have a wonderful weekend and stay safe.

Rachael Riley
(Headteacher)