



Diocese of Westminster
SS. Peter & Paul
Catholic Primary School

Head Teacher: Miss T M Peters



6th September 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the new school year and a special welcome all our new children. We have had wonderful week getting used to the new classes and teachers. We would like to particularly thank you all for the generous gifts that were given to the staff at the end of last year. We were overwhelmed by your generosity and thought.

Education Sunday

Sunday the 9th of September is dedicated to all those who work in the education sector, especially those who work in Catholic Schools.

Dates for the Diary

Assemblies

Year 6	27 th September
Year 5	4 th October
Year 4	11 th October
Year 3	8 th November
Year 2	15 th November
Year 1	22 nd November
Reception	6 th December
Nursery	13 th December

Curriculum Meetings

This year, curriculum meetings will take place after school for parents. Children can attend too.

Year 6	18 th September
Year 5	12 th September
Year 4	16 th September
Year 3	11 th September
Year 2	19 th September
Year 1	23 rd September
Reception	25 th September
Nursery	26 th September



Reminders

Packed Lunches

Parents and carers must ensure that children with packed lunches do not bring in nuts. Staff have noticed an increase in 'junk food' in children's packed lunch. Please ensure healthy lunches are sent in future. This means, no sweets, chocolate, fizzy drinks and juice. Change4life website have some great ideas for packed lunches, recommended by the NHS.

School uniform

Please make sure all children are wearing the full school uniform. If any parents and carers are having difficulty or trouble with acquiring the uniform, please speak with either Miss McGuinness or myself and we will do our best to help.

Earrings and smart watches are not permitted.

Contact with Teachers

Teacher's time is precious, especially before school when their time is best spent with their class, welcoming them at the start of the new day and settling children who are anxious or unsettled. If for any reason you need to speak to the teacher at length i.e. more than a brief statement or sentence, you must make an arrangement to meet the teacher after school. This can be done through the school office.

Prayer for a New School Year

Lord Jesus, I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year.

Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me.

Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings.

Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers.

Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities.

Help me to be attentive to my teachers and let me experience Your presence in my new friends.

Jesus, inspire me to do my best this year!

Amen

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss T Peters

Headteacher