

St. Joseph's Camberwell Catholic Schools'



Federation Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Carers,

A very Happy New Year to you all and welcome back to school. I hope that you all enjoyed the holidays and are looking forward to the year ahead. The children settled back into their school routines very quickly, enjoying the new playground equipment purchased by the school council.

Headteacher Headlines –

- **Year 2 Parents:** Your child was sent home with the application form for the Junior School. Please can I ask that they be returned to the school office as soon as possible.
- **Reception 2022:** If you have a child born between 1st September 2018 – 31st August 2020, they are due to start school in September 2022.
Deadline for Reception applications for children starting school in September 2022 is **January 15th**.
Please ensure that you have completed the Local Authority online application as well as the school supplementary form.
- **Year 3:** Start swimming next week. Please ensure that you check the day that you child has their lesson and ensure they bring in their swimming kit. Remember **all** children **must** wear a swimming cap.
- **Breakfast Club:** Breakfast Club is due to start on **Monday 17th January**. Parents you will be emailed next week with confirmation of the days you have been given.
- **After School Clubs:** After School Club programme is currently being finalised and all of our clubs will start the week beginning **17th January**.
- **School Closure:** The temperature has dropped dramatically over the last couple of days. Hopefully we will not have too much bad weather this year, however in the event of school being closed because of extreme weather conditions for Health and Safety reasons a decision will be made by 7:30am in the morning. Any closure notification will be on the school website.



- Many of you may be aware of the passing of one of our beloved parents. Dorothy Imakon Agho passed away on Wednesday 10th November 2021. All four of her children attended our school and her youngest is still here with us. The family have set up a **gofundme** page, so that they can raise money for her funeral and memorial. If you would like to make a donation please use the link below.

https://www.gofundme.com/f/dorothy-esohe-imakon-funeral-memorial?utm_campaign=p_cp+share-sheet&utm_medium=email&utm_source=customer

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of the faithfully departed rest in eternal peace. Amen.

- **Christmas Raffle:** Please see below the raffle numbers still to collect their prizes.

Infants



Juniors



Term dates 2021-2022

January 2022

Monday 17th January – After School Clubs due to start

Saturday 15th January – **Deadline for Reception Applications for September 2022 Admissions**

February 2022

Inset Day – Friday 11th February 2022 STAFF INSET DAY – (School closed to pupils)

Monday 14th February – Friday 18th February – Spring Half term School closed for staff and pupils

April 2022

Friday 1st April - School closes for Easter

Tuesday 19th April 2022 – School starts for children

May 2022

Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June – May Half term School closed for staff and pupils

June 2022

Monday 6th June - STAFF INSET DAY – (School closed to pupils)

Friday 22nd July 2022 – School closes for the summer