

# ST MICHAEL'S CE ACADEMY "Learn together, Succeed together, Believe together"

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# Message from the Head Teacher

Hi all — one week to go!

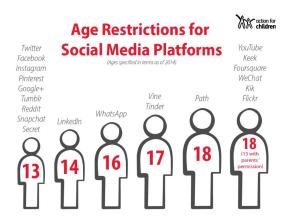
It's the last week of half term and on Monday I will be giving special prizes for the children that have behaved exceptionally well. They have been collecting raffle tickets for walking around school sensibly, ensuring that their uniform is looking smart and for following the school rules. Well done in advance for the children that have won this half term.

Please keep an eye out for letters for the new after-school sports clubs. They cost just £1.00 per session and are delivered by a qualified sports coach. Please note that these places are given on a first come, first served basis, so please return the letters as quickly as possible.

It will be Safer Internet Day on the 11th February. The internet can be a fantastic resource that can expand all of our minds when used wisely, however, where usage is not monitored closely, it can cause a great deal of harm. Below is a useful guide for age restrictions for popular sites.

Have a blessed week.

The Lord is good, a refuge in times of trouble. He cares for those who trust in him. Nahum 1:7



Our attendance target is 96%. The attendance figures for week ending Friday 31 January 2020: Reception 91.8% Y1 96.4% Y2 93.6% Y3 97.3% Y4 94.8% Y5 89.1% Y6 96.3%

Unfortunately, every morning from 10 February until 14 February, there will be no lollipop man on St Michael's hill.

#### **Attendance**

Holidays during term time cannot be authorised and you may find that you will be subject to a fine from the local authority if you do so. If your child is away for any reason you will need to contact the school office by 8.45am on the first morning of absence.

# Important dates for your Diary

Dates	Event
Monday 10th February 2020	Y3 Swimming
Monday 10th February 2020	Debate Mate
Friday 14th February 2020	Y5 swimming
Friday 14th February 2020	School closed at 3.15pm for half-term
Monday 24th February 2020	School re-opens after half-term
Wednesday 1st April 2020	Parents evening

# Celebration book

Year 1 - Adith

Year 2 - Samiya

Year 3 - Diya

Year 4 - Zevrene

Year 5 - Harleen

Year 6 - Alimah

Parents are welcome to attend the Celebration Assembly on Friday 14th February at 9:00 am.

## Reminders

#### **School Term dates**

#### **SPRING TERM 2020**

Term Starts: Monday 6 January 2020.

School closed: Monday 17 February 2020 to Friday 21 February 2020

Term starts: Monday 24 February 2020

School closed: Monday 6 April 2020 to Friday 17 April 2020

**SUMMER TERM 2020** 

Term Starts: Monday 20 April 2020

School closed: Friday 8 May (May day bank holiday)

School closed: Monday 25 May 2020 to Friday 29 May 2020

Term starts: Monday 1 June 2020 School closes on Monday 20 July 2020

# **DINNER MONEY**

Please ensure your child's dinner money is in a sealed envelope with their name, class and amount and handed to their class Teacher.

School dinners - Please ensure this is paid in full on a Monday morning. Children cannot change from dinners to sandwiches or vice-versa. Please let us know at the start of each half-term if you wish to change.

Emergency contact details: Are your details up-to-date? Or do you have an alternative number that we can use in an emergency. Please let the office know.

We will have fruit 30p, milkshake 40p and juice 40p on sale in the canteen at break time.



Please ensure your child is wearing the correct uniform to school, trainers are not allowed. All children must have their P.E kits in school everyday.

