



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy

"Lord be thy word my rule."

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As this school year ends, I would just like to take the opportunity to thank you for your continued support throughout this academic year. It has been wonderful to move into our new school building and be all together this term. In September, the work on our KS2 building will be complete and a new classroom for Year 6 will be open.

This week we sent out our online parent questionnaire and have had a great response. Thank you for all your feedback. If you haven't done so, there is still time to complete the questionnaire (before the prize draw!) We shall be looking at this closely and sharing the full feedback in September. Please follow the link below.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Rycu3grj_U2vxUnRWcZB8dej6CBfEu1CtdoH9UG-jrhUQThOTEkxTIFWR1E0MTRERkowRUgwSzfQNY4u

Today we said farewell to Miss Bickmore and Mr Gibson. I know you will join us in thanking both of them for all of their hard work at St. John's.

We also say goodbye and good luck to our amazing Year 6 children! Your children are a true credit to our school and to you, their families; being resilient through some tough KS2 years and working tremendously hard to close the gaps caused by covid and achieve above national expectations in all subject areas. What a fantastic class they have been and we are truly proud of each and every one of them. Good luck in your new schools Year 6, we can't wait to hear all about your achievements next year.

Thank you for your generous donations for our Mini Vinnie penny trail, the winning class was Nursery who have enjoyed a play and ice creams as their reward.

In September will bring our school times in line with the DfE guidance of 32.5 hours. There will be one time to drop each key stage off in a morning, all gates and doors will be open 5 minutes before this and all children need to be by 8.40am (EYFS/KS1) and 8.50am (KS2).

Class	Start Time	Finish Time
EYFS and KS1 (Nursery, Reception, Year One and Year Two)	8.40pm	3.10pm
KS2 (Years Three, Year Four, Year Five and Year Six)	8.50pm	3.20pm

On a final note, I do wish you all a lovely summer break and we will look forward to welcoming our children back to school on Wednesday 6th September.

Yours sincerely

Mrs H Rigby
Principal
