



St. Jerome's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Kathryn S. Monaghan BEd (Hons) NPQH – Headteacher

Greenloons Drive, Formby, Liverpool L37 2LX

Tel: 01704 833211 Fax: 01704 831724

Email: admin@stjeromes.sefton.org.uk

Website: www.st-jeromes.co.uk

13th September 2019

Dear Parents and Children,

Collective Worship

This week we have focused our thoughts and prayers on "Care for Our Common Home" as the focus for this year's mission week. We have all pledged to try and become "Zero Heroes" and to make changes in our lives to try and protect our Earth from the effects of Climate Change

Reception Class

Our Reception pupils have all made a super start to school life at St. Jerome's and all seem to be settling in really well. They stayed for lunch today and we are delighted that they will be with us all day from Monday onwards.

Mission Week

This week all of the children have spent time exploring the letter from Pope Francis which draws our attention to Climate Change and how we must act to care for our common home. As a school we have made some changes to the way we do things and we aim to continue this work over the coming year and into the future. We want to become a Plastic Free school and to promote a sustainable approach to all aspects of school life.

Aldi Team GB Campaign

Aldi are offering a sticker for a school competition each time you spend £30 or more. We are collecting these stickers and we will then be in with a chance of winning £20,000 which would be fantastic. We need 300 stickers to fill our poster which wins us a bag of sports equipment.

Open Day and Evening

We will be holding an open event for prospective parents with Reception aged children and anyone else who would like to look around. The Open Day will be on Tuesday 22nd October from 10-12 noon and 1-3pm; this will be an opportunity for prospective parents to see the school in action. If you have friends or family who are thinking about schools for Reception aged children please let them know. The school welcomes children of all denominations. The Open Evening will also be on Tuesday 22nd October between 5pm and 7pm with a short talk from me, tours of the school and activities in the Reception classroom.

Dinner Money

A polite reminder that dinner money should be paid in advance each Friday. The cost is still £10.50 per week (£2.10 per day) and should be sent into school in a marked envelope. Unfortunately, we already have £228.90 arrears so please send in your payments as soon as possible.

Website Calendar

Don't forget to check the website calendar for new dates and forthcoming events. [Click here to check the events on the website](#). Upcoming events are **Jeans for Genes day on Friday 20th September** and **St. Jerome's Feast day Mass on Friday 27th September at 10am followed by Macmillan Big Coffee morning** in the school hall. Class 3 will help with mass and host the coffee morning.

Regards,

Mrs. Monaghan