



Diocese of Westminster
SS. Peter & Paul
Catholic Primary School

Head Teacher: Miss T M Peters

24th April 2020

Dear Parents and Carers and Children,

I hope you are enjoying the sunshine during this Easter tide and keeping safe and well.

Home Learning

In the last week, Islington have launched a new home learning page which provides lesson structures for the week with links to activities. Please follow the link below:

<https://www.islingtoncs.org/home-learning>

Please remember that class teachers are posting work on to the Google classroom each morning for your child to complete. If you still do not have your Google classroom login please email parent support and we will send it through to you.

Free School Meals

A huge thanks to Katie for working around the clock to try and sort free school meal vouchers. This week, she has spent a lot of time supporting parents who were unable to successfully get the vouchers they needed. There has been some confusion over entitlement to free school meals as all of the children in our school currently receive their school meals for free. This is an Islington initiative rather than government financial support for those who need it most. If parents believe they are eligible, they need to email parent support and they will be given a link to fill in a form which will determine eligibility. If your child is eligible, Katie can then put them on to the system to be sent meal codes for vouchers via their email. Please check below for eligibility.

Eligibility Criterion

1. Income Support
2. Income-based Job seeker's Allowance
3. Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
4. Child Tax Credit if your taxable income is less than £16,190 and you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit
5. The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
6. Support under Section VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
7. Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit.
8. Universal Credit – if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 and your household income is less than £7,400 a year after tax and before benefits

For those families who are eligible and have sent off for their vouchers but, have not received them, we ask you to be patient. There is a large volume of people applying for the vouchers at one time therefore the system is experiencing delays. We are unable to speed

the process up by emailing on your behalf. Below are the website and telephone number for Edenred.

<mailto:freeschoolmeals@edenred.com>

Phone Number: 0333 400 5932

Children of Key Workers

On Tuesday 28th of April, Miss McGuinness will post the form for key workers to fill in and return to parent support. The form must be filled in full and sent back before 3 p.m. on Thursday the 30th.

We continue our prayers for those affected by Covid - 19 and for those who care for us

Your loving care

Lord Jesus,

when you walked with us on earth

you spread your healing power.

We place in your loving care

all who are affected by Coronavirus.

Keep us strong in faith, hope and love.

Bring relief to our sick,

console our bereaved,

protect those who care for us.

We lift our prayer to you Lord,

and trust in your infinite mercy,

as we wait for the daybreak.

Amen.

"Each encounter with Jesus changes our life. Jesus is with us today! He is alive, Jesus is in our hearts." Pope Francis

Have a good weekend

Yours Sincerely

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