

Let's Walk To School...

The children at St. Bernard's will be taking part in an exciting year-round **walk to school** challenge, starting next week.

Children will be encouraged to **walk, cycle, scoot or skate to school**. If they do this at least once a week, they will receive a **badge** at the end of each month. Children who live further away can still earn badges by hopping off the bus one or two stops earlier or parking a few streets away from school and walking the rest of the way.

Here are some reasons why **walking** to school is **good**:

- Healthier bodies, happy minds**
- Fewer cars at the school gates, making it safer for everyone**
- Less pollution**
- Opportunity for family talk time**



We hope you will support your child to take part in this exciting initiative!

Hair Donation to Little Princess Trust

On the 12th of October, one of our teachers, Miss Erskine, will be cutting off 30cm of her hair in support of the Oncology Unit at Royal Manchester Children's Hospital.

Your support is greatly appreciated!

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/AErskine



Next week's statement to live by...

I can recognize good things about myself; I can say how I feel



Rise and Shine Breakfast Club



If your child attends The Rise and Shine Breakfast Club, please be aware places **must** be booked in advance and **paid for** at the School Office. This is to ensure the correct staff ratio is in place.

Celebration Assemblies

Wednesday's:

EYFS — 8:45am

Friday's:

KS1 — 8:45am

KS2 — 9:20am



School Dinners

Daily: £2.20

Weekly: £11



If a child has received 5 school meals and has arrears of £11, they will be refused a meal from the school kitchen until the debt has been cleared. You can either set up a direct debit, or pay at the beginning of each week by telephoning Dolce Customer Services on the following number:

01942 707 709

Admission Deadlines



Year 7 — Wednesday 31st October 2018

Reception — Tuesday 15th January 2019

Notice Board...

Please make sure your child is in full school uniform every day. No hoodies are permitted. Children can wear trainers for playtime only. Black school shoes must be worn at all other times.

- * Royal Blue jumper or cardigan
- * White blouse/shirt
- * Grey/black trousers or skirt/pinafore dress/summer blue & white gingham dress
- * School tie - Black shoes

PE Kit:

- * Royal Blue shorts/white t-shirt/pumps
- Please make sure your child's name is clearly marked in each item of clothing.**



Safety Reminders

- * Church/school car park is not accessible by parents, please park safely elsewhere
- * School gates close at 8:50am, lates must go to the school office after this time
- * Please remember no jewellery is allowed
- * Please update the school office if your contact details change

Useful Reminders...

Dates for your diary...



<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
10th October	World Mental Health Day
11th October	Willow Assembly
15th October	Parent's Week - letters to be sent out on Monday 8th October
22nd-26th October	Half Term
29th October	Inset Day

Last day of term is Friday 19th October 2018.