



Love God, Love each other, Love Learning

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2021

RE: Year 1 and Year 2

Dear Parents

As we start the new school year, I wanted to take this opportunity to tell you about certain things that you will need to know:

**Reading books:**

At Sacred Heart, we greatly value reading and the importance of fostering a love of reading that will take your child into adulthood. One of the ways in which we do this is to involve yourself as parents on this journey and ask that as far as possible, you read with and to your child on a daily basis. Please sign in your child's book when you have heard them read, how much they have read and how well they did.

Your child will have a reading book and Reading Record (Y1) or Homework Diary (Y2). We ask that they bring them to school on a daily basis and that they take them home to read each evening. Please note: It will not always be possible for the child to change their book daily.

**Spellings:**

Your child will receive a list of spellings in their spelling book each Friday. We ask that at some points in the week you help them to learn them. They will also be learning them in class during the following week. The children will then be tested on these spellings on the following Friday.

**PE:** Your child needs a PE kit for PE lessons; which should be kept in school during term time.

**Water bottles:** Please ensure that your child has a water bottle in school. These will be sent home daily for cleaning.

**Meeting with teachers:** As per school's procedures, if you wish to speak to your child's teacher please make an appointment to do so via the school office. However, there will be opportunity to speak about your child's progress at parent's evening, later in the term.

Kind regards

Mrs Price

Deputy Head