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Dear Parents/Carers.

# Dates for diary:

### INSET Days 2023/2024

Monday 4th September 2023 Tuesday 5th September 2023 Friday 22nd December 2023 Friday 22nd March 2024 Monday 22nd July 2024

### Asthma Update for schools

It's easy for children to fall out of their usual asthma care routine during the long summer break. For example, they may forget to take their preventer inhaler more often, which means their preventer medication hasn't had the time to build up and they are more sensitive to triggers when they go back to school.

For more information on asthma and children, visit the <u>Asthma & Lung UK website here.</u>

#### Attendance

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Please continue to make every effort to get your child/children in school everyday and on time. Be an Attendance Hero!!

Government legislation states that a child with an attendance of 90% and below is categorised as a "Persistent Absence". An attendance figure of 90% equates to missing half a day every week that means four weeks of missed school work across the whole year. Parents should also be aware that referrals to the school nurse will be considered for those children with an attendance rate of below 95% due to health related absences.

Attendance will be continued to be reviewed next academic year and families who are of concern will be contacted by either Mrs Taylor or Mrs Tibbott (our new attendance officer) and Mr Tomlin our LA attendance of



### Virtues and Values:

This half term we are concentrating on being 'Intentional & Prophetic.' As a school community we are looking for opportunities in our own lives where we show the virtues. Please discuss this with your children at home; highlighting times when you experience or show these virtues.

## Certificate winners this week:

#### Star of the week:

N: Velvet Rec: Thomas

Y1: Leo Y2: Lylah, Angelo, Indie-Rose

Y3: Alicja Y4: All of Y4

Y5: Lois Y6: Akeelah

### Values and Virtues recognition this week goes to:

N: Nicole O Rec: Lily-Rose & Lacey

Y1: Luca Y2: Mia & Lydia

Y3: Uzochukwu & Theadore Y4: Jenson & Josephine

Y5: Lola-Faith Y6: Penny, Shayne and Myles

# Year 6 Leavers

All of us at St Peter's Catholic Primary School would like to wish the very best of luck to our Year 6 students who are leaving us today - we hope you'll all have a wonderful time in your new secondary schools in September!

For the rest of our students (and our new arrivals), we will see you on the first day back on **Wednesday 6th September 2023!** Gates will be open from 8.40am.

Have a peaceful and restful summer,

God Bless,

Mrs H Taylor