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Dear Parents

We hope that all our families and children are staying safe and well during these unusual times. We hope that you are enjoying completing the online learning tasks set for the children.

All the school staff wish to thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you all again soon. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

"What Outstanding Work" Assembly

We congratulate the following children who were recognised at our WOW assembly on 13^{th} March:

	Reception	Dominik		Ruby	
	Class 1	Elliot	Gracie	Bethany	
Well done on all your hard work	Class 2	Callie-Rae		Jack	
	Class 3	Jessica		Kian	
	Class 4	Phoebe		Jamie	
	Class 5	Filip	1	Seth	
	Class 6	Jaide	n	Allicia	

<u> Homeworking – Children</u>

We would ask you to go to the class page every day to see the new work for that day. The teachers are setting work for each day to help you continue your learning. When you've finished your learning you can always spend some time doing a job to help Mum or Dad or write a diary about your day. What else could you do?

<u> Homeworking – Parents</u>

Home learning is not an easy task. Get your child to do as much as you can - but if they don't complete everything - don't worry. Remember to balance the work time with play, family time and fun.

<u>Parish Links</u> <u>Summer Fayre - 6th June</u> Please note that this event has been cancelled. <u>Diocesan Pilgrimage - 5th July</u> Please note that this event has been cancelled.



Masses are currently being live streamed on Facebook – Our Lady of Lourdes Hednesford

First Holy Communion

The celebration Mass for First Holy Communion due to take place on 2nd May is cancelled. Due to the current situation and following discussions with Fr Jeremy we plan to hold First Holy Communion Mass for the current year 3 class next year in May, with next year's year 3 class.

Virtues and Values- Eloquent and Truthful

The virtues and values for this term are helping us to think about how we communicate with each other.



This is the ability to speak or write fluently. We are eloquent when we use language to express our ideas clearly and with conviction.

Being Eloquent doesn't just mean in speaking or writing- it can be how we express ourselves in music, drama, painting or dance.

meaningful, persuasive, expressive, reliable, share, fluent, appreciate, articulate, unerring, convincing enquire, eloquent, integrity stirring, moving, powerful, sincere well-expressed,



Jesus said, I am the way, the truth and the life.'

Being honest and truthful means we are following in Jesus' footsteps and living the life God wants us to.



<u>**Prayer</u>:-</u> Lord God, help us to know the truth and to speak the truth today and always,</u>**

Amen.



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Lunchtime Birthday Lunches

All birthday lunches have been cancelled that are due between now and September. This will remain the case should school return before the end of the summer term. Going forward a review will be undertaken once guidance has been received from the Government with regard to social distancing when children return.