



# St. Aidan's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Wednesday Word Link

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/welcome?pid=MTA101634&v=33.14>

**SCHOOL IS CLOSED tomorrow for a Training Day and will reopen on Monday 5th July.**

As I write this letter we still have every class in school. This is not the case in other Manchester schools. I hope and pray this continues.

I had a meeting with Public Health on Tuesday with the other Heads in Manchester. They are very concerned about the spread of the variant and the message is that you must go for a test if you display symptoms and isolate until you have the result. Also by testing regularly using the **lateral flow** tests then we will also keep on top of the spread as we will identify asymptomatic cases.

**HOLIDAYS - CURRENT GUIDANCE** If you do go on holiday abroad during term-time then I have been asked to reiterate that if you are going to a country, that is **not** on the green list, then you **must isolate** upon your return. Please do not send your child into school if they have been away under these circumstances. **This is putting the whole school at risk and you are also breaking the law.**

**NOTE FOR CURRENT YEAR 5 parents/carers – the application for High Schools begins today (1st July) and closes on 1st November 2021. You should get a letter in the post with your child's unique code. You then fill in your preferences online.**

**SRE.** I sent, yesterday, the emails regarding the work that will be taught over the next couple of weeks.

**Dinner Money** – Please could you ensure that your dinner money payments are up to date.

**Reports** These will be handed out on Wednesday 14th July.

**The children can wear their own clothes on the last day of term – Friday 16th July.**

Many thanks for your continued support in keeping our school safe.

With prayers,

**Sarah Yates**  
Headteacher