



Sutton in Craven C.E (V.C) Primary School

Flourish together, in the love of God, to live life in all its fullness.

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your compassion and understanding this term in working collaboratively with school to continue to follow our COVID protective measures. We have reviewed the ongoing COVID cases in school and the current protective measures in place, alongside a further risk assessment from NYCC and current guidance from the government. We will continue to review and revisit for this last week of the school term.

Blossom and Willow will hold their Nativity on Monday 13th as previously planned. The first showing will be at 9.30am for Blossom parents/carers and the second showing will be at 2.00pm for Willow parents/carers. The children have been working hard in learning and rehearsing their parts to come together for their performance. We are only able to invite one parent/adult to attend per child. Attendance by parents will be at their own risk as while protective measures can decrease the risk, we are not able to guarantee not risk at all.

Parents/carers attending the assembly will be required to:

- Carry out a lateral flow device test prior to arriving at school
- Not attend the nativity if you receive a positive result or are displaying any symptoms of COVID – 19
- Social distance when arriving at church before the nativity
- Wear face coverings when arriving and throughout the nativity (*)
- Enter the church at 9.25am or 1.55pm
- Use the hand sanitiser available on entering church
- Sit on the pews where allocated/signalled. These are already at an appropriate social distance. Please do not move the allocations and remain seated during the nativity.
- Exit the church only once the children have left to return to school
- Leave the church site in a social distanced manner.

*any parent/carer exempt from wearing a face covering is requested to inform the school office on Monday morning so that consideration for them and the rest of the adults can be made.

We feel very privileged to have the use of St Thomas' where we can space the limited numbers out. The doors will be open and so the church is likely to be cold while you watch the nativity. Please wear appropriate clothing as good ventilation is a requirement of having people in a space together.

We are sorry however but there will be no younger or older siblings permitted to attend the nativity as we would not be able to adhere to St Thomas' risk assessment.

As you will understand the nativity will be reviewed again on the Monday morning to ascertain whether there has been a sudden increase in the positive cases and therefore may be subject to last minute cancellation.

Advent and Christmas is a very special time at Sutton CE and I hope that your continued support, understanding and adherence to our protective measures we can proceed with our nativity.





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I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy weekend and hope that the Christmas preparations are going to plan.

Take care and stay safe.

With very best wishes,

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Headteacher

