

6<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back to the start of the new academic year! We are looking forward to starting a new year with the children. As we begin to return to many of our pre pandemic activities, we look forward to taking the children out of school for their learning through educational visits and to having more speakers/visitors back into the school to support the curriculum. We are pleased that you have chosen St Michael's as the school for your child's educational journey and look forward to working in close partnership with you this year as your child continues to develop spiritually, academically, morally and socially.

### **RAAC**

The local authority has sent surveyors to the school to check for the existence of RAAC, they have confirmed that the school building does not have RAAC.

### **Term Dates**

Please see attached the term and holiday dates for the 2023/24 academic year. These can also be found on the school website:

<https://st-michaels.newham.sch.uk/our-school/term-and-holiday-dates/>

### **After School Sports Club**

We will be starting our multi-sports clubs for this term on Monday, 11th September. A form to sign up was sent out recently via School Ping; the deadline for applications is 12 noon on Thursday 7th September. You will be notified if you have been successful.

### **Meet the Teacher Meetings**

Over the next few weeks, we will be holding Meet the Teacher meetings for years 1-6.

This is an opportunity for you to meet your child's new class teacher and learn about the curriculum they will be learning this year; you will also receive key information such as how to support your child at home, PE days, homework, etc.

Monday, 11th September 2023 at 3:30 p.m. - Year 6 and Year 4

Tuesday, 12th September 2023 at 3:30 p.m. - Year 2 and Year 3

Thursday, 14th 2023 at 3:30 p.m. - Year 5 and Year 1

### **School Uniform**

The children are looking very smart in their uniforms. Please see below for a reminder about the uniform expectations.

Please ensure that your child is dressed in full school uniform.

### **Nursery**

- Navy jumper
- Navy jogging bottoms
- White polo T-shirt
- Black shoes/trainers with no laces

- St Michael's school bag

#### Reception

- White Polo shirt
- Burgundy jumper with school logo (**boys compulsory**)
- Burgundy cardigan with school logo (**girls compulsory**)
- Mid grey trousers/tailored shorts (boys)
- Mid grey pleated skirt/pinafore/trousers/tailored shorts (girls)
- Sensible black shoes (**No boots**)
- Grey socks (boys)
- White socks - Grey tights may be worn in the winter months only (girls)
- A plain black or navy top coat/anorak (no logos)
- Woollen winter hats with or without school logo
- Hair ribbons/bands in school colours
- School bag with or without logo

#### Year 1 to Year six:

- White school shirt
- School tie (Burgundy & gold stripe)
- Burgundy jumper with school logo (boys optional)
- Burgundy cardigan with school logo (girls optional)
- Mid grey trousers/tailored shorts (boys)
- Mid grey pleated skirt/pinafore/trousers/tailored shorts (girls)
- Sensible black shoes (**No boots**)
- Grey socks (boys)
- White socks - Grey tights may be worn in the winter months only (girls)
- Blazer **compulsory**
- A plain black or navy top coat/anorak (no logos)
- Woollen winter hats with or without school logo
- Hair ribbons/bands in school colours
- School bag with or without logo (Yrs 1 & 2)
- School backpack with or without logo (Yrs 3-6)

PLEASE MARK CHILDREN'S CLOTHING CLEARLY WITH THEIR NAME - items of clothing cannot be returned unless they have a name printed inside them.

Important: Please note, these items are not permitted in school:

- Jewellery including earrings
- Nail varnish
- Hair gel, hair dye or razor markings
- Trainers

For health and safety reasons, long hair must be tied back using plain ribbons, bands or hair slides in school colours.

#### PE Kit:

- White round necked P.E. T-shirt
- Plain navy blue shorts
- Plain navy blue track suits with/without school logo
- Black plimsolls (indoor PE)
- Swimming costume and swimming hat (Yrs 3-5 only)



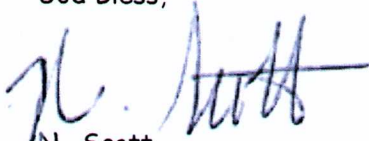
### Staffing

Our teaching staff for this academic year are listed below:

Staff	Role
Ms N Scott	Acting Executive Head Teacher
Miss J. Pereira	Deputy Head Teacher
Miss M. Alexander	Assistant Head Teacher

Nursery	Role
Miss H. Tucker	Teacher
Ms R. Rahman	Teaching Assistant
Reception	Role
Mr S. Ramdial	Teacher
Ms F. Hug	Teaching Assistant
Class 1	Role
Mrs M. Jovancevic	Teacher
Mr S. Balkeesoon	Teaching Assistant
Class 2	Role
Mrs S. Edgar-Charles	Teacher
Mrs L. Isaacs	Teaching Assistant
Class 3	Role
Mrs D. Corriette	Teacher
To be confirmed	Teaching Assistant
Class 4	Role
Mrs K Davies	Teacher
To be confirmed	Teaching Assistant
Class 5	Role
Ms C. Omo-Osagie	Teacher
Miss S. Harvey	Teaching Assistant
Class 6	Role
Mrs S. D'Cruz	Teacher
Miss S. Harvey	Teaching Assistant

God Bless,



N. Scott

Acting Executive Head Teacher