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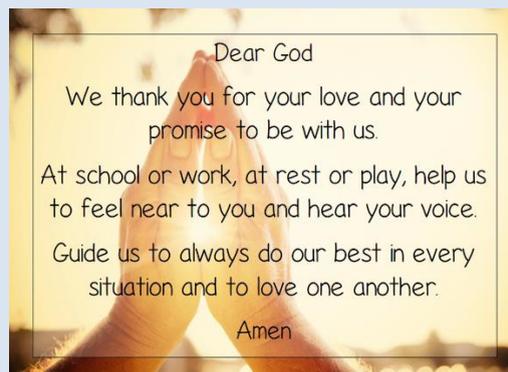
Dear Parents/Carers,

Children have really settled well into school. Year 5 have started their whole class brass music lessons and Year 4 start swimming today. It is lovely to be able to continue to offer activities as normally as possible for the children. The Year 1 children will be attending multi skills this week and I am sure that they are very excited to be heading over to Gosford to take part in them. Hopefully the weather remains dry!

The Friends of St Thomas More are looking for new recruits. They work so hard to raise additional funds for the school and they would really welcome new faces to come and support them in what they do. If you have any spare time then please contact the office and we can put you in touch with the Friends.

As you may be aware PCR tests are no longer required if the LFT are positive for COVID, children can come back into school once they have two negative tests, the first one from day 6 and then another one 24 hours later. If in doubt please contact the school for advice, we are here to help.

There is a prayer group, that meet on Wednesday's, if you would like to join them, or you would like them to pray for you, your family or friends then please let us know. We will set up a prayer box in the front of the school (reception office) where you will be able to post prayer requests.



I wish you all a very peaceful week.

God bless
Breda Bowles

Attendance as at 13th January 2022

Every day counts. Attendance matters.

Children of compulsory school age (5 yrs and above) Whole School:

Reception Class: 88.39

Year 1: 92.36%

Year 2: 90.98%

Year 3: 93.26%

Year 4: 91.43%

Year 5: 93.28%

Year 6: 92.98%

Healthier lunchbox recipes

Whether squeezing it in before the school run in the morning or before bed on busy midweek evenings, preparing your child's lunchbox can seem like just another thing on the list.

School meals are a great choice, but if you do make a packed lunch for your child then we've got you covered with our range of quick, easy, healthier lunchbox ideas and tips.

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/>

