



St. Mary's

Catholic Primary School, Marnhull

Everyone matters and is loved by God



18th September 2026,

Dear Families,

There has already been lots to celebrate in the first few weeks of term. The children continue to apply themselves brilliantly to their learning, and behaviour has been wonderfully calm and positive across the whole school.

I was particularly proud to show a prospective parent around our school last week. The children really are a credit to you; they always give visitors a true feel for what an inclusive, welcoming and happy school we are. At St Mary's, we pride ourselves on having happy children who feel safe and enjoy their experiences at school. We believe that when children feel both happy and safe, their learning naturally follows.

I also attended a very successful PTFA meeting on Tuesday, and I am excited to share that our amazing team have some big plans for the children this year. I am incredibly grateful to them for giving up their time to provide those little extras that make such a difference to our children. I know that, when the time comes, you will all be incredibly generous in your support of their events.

Finally, just a reminder that if you have any questions, concerns or feedback, please don't hesitate to catch me at the school gate. Alternatively, you are very welcome to make an appointment to come into school and meet with me.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

God Bless, *Mrs Myatt*

Allergy Awareness - Benedict's Law

At St Mary's, all staff have received allergy awareness training and we are proud to be an allergy aware and nut aware school. To help us keep all our children safe, please ensure that lunch boxes and snacks do not contain nuts or nut based products. Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a safe and inclusive environment for everyone.

Please Name All Uniform

We currently have a large amount of expensive, unnamed uniform that we are unable to return to its rightful owner. Please make sure that all school uniform, particularly cardigans and jumpers, are clearly named. This can be as simple as writing your child's name on the label with a biro.

Dates

Thursday 24th September - **School Mass** 9:30-10:30am in church **all welcome.**

Wednesday 30th September - Open morning for prospective parents.

Wednesday 7th October - Open morning for prospective parents.

Tuesday 13th October - Open morning for prospective parents.

Tuesday 13th October - Y4/5 to Larmer Tree poetry workshop at school.

Friday 16th October - **Harvest Celebration** 2:30-3:30pm **all welcome.**

*Tuesday 20th October - **Parents Evening** 3:30-5pm*

*Wednesday 21st October - **Parents Evening** 4-6pm*

Please message your child's teacher on classdojo to arrange a 10 mins appointment.

23rd October - **INSET Day**

26th-30th October - **Half Term**

2nd November - **INSET Day**