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HALF TERM SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Just a reminder that school finishes at the end of the day on Friday 18 February and the children will return to school on Monday 28 February.

Parent Consultations

Parent Consultations have started this week and will continue to take place over week commencing 14th February. The meeting will be an opportunity for you to discuss your child's progress with their class teacher. Please see the timetable below for the days for each class. Appointments will be online video calls via School Cloud. To book an appointment visit:

<https://stbasilscatholic.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Reception	Monday 14 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 1	Tuesday 15 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 2	Wednesday 16 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 3	Tuesday 15 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 4	Monday 14 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 5	Thursday 17 th February	3.15 – 5.45
Year 6	Tuesday 15 th February / Wednesday 16 th February	3.15 – 5.45

Details of how to book an appointment have been sent out by email. If you have any problems at all please contact the school office.

Year 4KJ Parent Consultations have been cancelled for the below dates and will be rearranged after the half term break. Year 4JS will still go ahead as planned.

Class 4KJ Swimming

Mrs Jones class will be going swimming on the following dates Tuesday 1 March, Tuesday 8 March and Tuesday 15 March. The children will not arrive back at school until 3.30pm on these dates.

Lost Property

Someone has handed in one black/grey New Balance trainer size 6.5. Please contact the school office if you know who this may belong to.

INTERNET SAFETY

Internet Safety Day- Tuesday 8th February 2022

For internet safety day at St Basil's every year group took part in an internet safety afternoon, producing posters, role play and information leaflets promoting online safety.



Altru Drama- Thursday 10th February 2022

Altru Drama Theatre performed a show talking about relevant problems in today's world. **Please ask the children all about it!** Some of the information given in the show included; gaming, YouTube and Instagram. They talked about anything said online should be something that could be said face-to-face. YouTube can be lots of fun but YouTube produces videos for the children to click next without knowing the age of the user. There are legally no limit to what people can post online. Photographs online can show so much information about a person, name, address when tagging into areas, school when posting photos including the school badge and also their likes e.g. dogs, food and favourite places to go. Photographs posted to photo apps



Reminder of the age restrictions for popular apps:



Instagram

At least 13 before creating an account



Facebook

At least 13 before creating an account



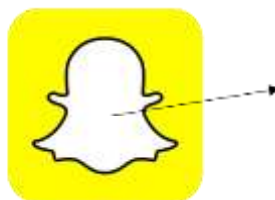
Whatsapp

Minimum age for Whatsapp is 16. It was 13 but in April 2018 returned to 16 as a response to data-



TikTok

At least 13 before creating an account



Snapchat

At least 13 before creating an account

Snap Map lets people **share their geolocation** on a real map that can be used to find users. While this is useful when meeting friends, the location you're sharing is very specific — including even the building you're in.

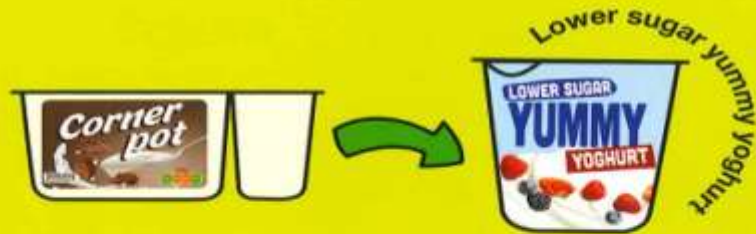
Since this location can be shared as a Story, it can go beyond just friends, which can **expose kids and teenagers to inappropriate Snapchat users.**



Does this mean that these apps are safe for 13 year olds? Not necessarily. What it means is that companies can't legally collect data about users under the age of 13, according to the Children's Online Privacy Protection Rule in the US.



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Can you make 5 swaps?

Try colouring them in as you go*



Name has made 5 swaps and is a Swap Rockstar

*Crayons work best. If you use felt tips make sure you allow time to dry.

We are looking forward to an exhibition of artwork displayed in Halton Lea Shopping Centre starting from Tuesday 15 February. Please visit the exhibition and let us know what you think!

After School Clubs

There will be no after school clubs for the following weeks:

Week commencing 14/02/2022

Week commencing 21/02/2022 Half Term

Week commencing 28/02/2022

Halton Schools Immunisations

The school-aged immunisation service is delivering vaccination sessions on the weekend of the 12th and 13th February 2022. . These sessions will be offering Flu vaccinations to any school-aged child and 1st or 2nd doses of COVID vaccinations for 12 – 15 year olds.

If your child has not yet received their flu vaccination or COVID and you want your child to be vaccinated at this community session rather than a school session, your child can receive their vaccination from the school-aged immunisation service at the following venues: -**Please note:**

Date	Time	Location	Booking requirement
Saturday 12 th February	09.15 – 12.00	Castlefields Community Centre, village Square, Castlefields, Runcorn, WA7 2ST	Please book a timed appointment by ringing 01925 946808 (9am-5pm Monday to Friday)
Sunday 13 th February 2022	09.15 – 12.00	Ditton Community Centre, Dundalk Road Widnes WA8 8DF	Please book a timed appointment by ringing 01925 946808 (9am-5pm Monday to Friday)

- Children must be accompanied by an adult with parental responsibility so the adult can give consent.
- If your child is attending for a COVID vaccination, they must not have had COVID in the last 12 weeks

If your child is attending for a 2nd dose of COVID vaccination, they must have had their first dose 12 weeks ago