



Schools Open

Welcome Edition

St Nicholas Catholic High School embraced Supporting Transition

Welcome Back!

It's been fantastic to see you all returning to St Nicholas this week. We are all very proud of the way in which you have made a real effort in returning to school, seeing your peers and working with the staff here in school completing your Covid-19 testing.

The Learning Mentor Hub is open as normal during break and lunchtime so please do come and say hello!

On Thursday 18th March 2021, it is National Child Exploitation Awareness Day. The Learning Mentor Team here at St Nicholas will be sending out a survey for staff and students to complete to share your understanding of Exploitation, what you would like to learn about exploitation do you know how to spot the signs and where to access support if you or your friend may be at risk.



Poem for Parents

As we welcome all staff and students back to school, here is a little Poem for our wonderful parents:
I hope this is the final day
I hope that this is it
Can we hand back to the teachers
Who are much better at it?
Can I do the massive mountain
Of jobs and chores and lists
Reply to all the emails
Do the cleaning that's been missed
Can the children go and see their friends
Can I look back over weeks
And say, I know I did enough?
I hope today's the last time
And the final time we see
The kitchen as a classroom
And the teacher being me
The never ending juggle
Of working, teaching, "muuum?"
I'll never take for granted
The school dinners and school run
So let hope today's the last day
Let's celebrate like it's so
Crack out a treat, and kitchen dance
And shout to the virus "GO!"



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Useful Contacts and Resources

<https://giveusashout.org/>

My Mind – Transition back to School

<https://www.mymind.org.uk/coping/coping-with-covid-19-coronavirus/back-to-school/>

Support for Students, Parents, Carers, Teachers and Support Staff with lots of resources and strategies to help alleviate anxiety in the transition back to school.

Feel free to access Drop In during Break and Lunchtimes in the Learning Mentor Hub.

