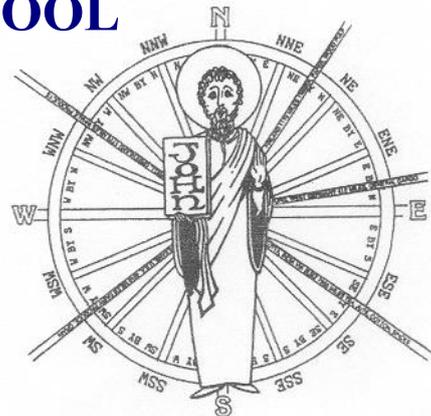


ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/carers,

As you will be aware we are unable to invite you into our school at the moment; as keeping everyone safe is a priority. However we do hope that this video will give you a flavour of our school as you make this important decision.

We believe that St. John's Catholic School is special and there are many things we are proud of which are unique to our school. We would like to share these with you:

- *As a one form entry school we are family orientated and getting to know you and your child is important to us so that the school - home partnership supports your child.*
- *We are a Catholic School and we offer the children a wide range of opportunities for prayer and worship. Our motto is 'to love and serve one another' and we welcome all families who wish to be part of our school. Whilst we give priority to practising Catholics in our admission criteria, every year we welcome families who are not practising or who have other faiths.*
- *Leading on from this we are proud of the international diversity of our pupils and celebrate this. We have over 60 different nationalities represented across our school.*
- *We are a school which offers a rich curriculum and a variety of experiences. Outings and trips are a significant part of our curriculum and learning outside the classroom is something we believe helps children to achieve and learn.*

If you feel this is a school which will help your child to develop and grow and achieve beyond their potential then please consider us.

Our website illustrates many of these points, so please do look at this closely (<http://stjohnsrotherhithe.co.uk/>). We are happy to answer any questions you may have so please contact us; selecting a school which is right for your child without visiting is a challenge and this is a very important decision for you.

We have enclosed a list of Frequently Asked Questions which should help you in your decision.

Kind regards,

Ms J Babb
Executive Headteacher

Ms V Jajechnyk
Head of School