## Holy Rosary Primary School

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

As was mentioned in the text last Friday, we hope to begin our after schools club on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September. The purpose of this letter is to get an understanding of the level of demand for the service.

Due to dealing with COVID we will be making a number of modifications:

- 1. Children will stay in Year Group bubbles and will be supervised in rooms separate from other year groups where possible.
- 2. The sessions will be more formal than previous years. Of course the children will need to get up and about but the environment especially for the older children will be a lot more settled when indoors.
- 3. When the pupils are outdoors they will still stay in their year group bubbles.
- 4. When there is an after school Literacy or Numeracy class, such as the classes we will have in P7 until Christmas; the children in the P7 after school club will need to attend the class. They will then stay on in P7 rooms as part of the normal after school club. This is to try to keep the P7 children in the P7 rooms and we need the three P7 rooms for the Literacy and Numeracy classes. P7 parents should therefore only book the after school club for those days where there are lessons <u>and</u> the children will be staying on after 4pm.
- 5. Bookings will be made by parents on the School Money App with bookings for the following week closing on 2pm the previous Friday. This is more flexible that previously but on the other hand we will not be able to take emergency bookings.
- 6. As we will be operating out of seven rooms with hopefully one year group in each room we will have to employ extra staff. This will result in increased cost for using the club. Unfortunately, we will need to increase the daily charge to **£3 per day per child**.

Hopefully most of this makes sense and please bear with us as we try to adjust to new ways of doing things.

We would be grateful if you could return the slip on the reverse of this letter if you will need your child to go to the afterschool club so we have a better understanding of current demand.

Best wishes,

PMcAllister

Principal

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I would like my child to attend after school club \_\_\_\_\_ day(s) per week

The normal time between 2pm and 5pm that I will need to pick up my child from after school will be \_\_\_\_\_

Name of my child:

Name of the teacher:

Signed (Parent):







