**Dear Parents and Families** 

## All the best for Easter.

I hope that you are well.

We wish you all the best for the school Easter holidays which start at the end of school today.

Thanks for all your support for the children and staff since our wider re-opening during this term, including in observing rules around the school which are in place due to COVID.

School will open to children on **Monday**, **12<sup>th</sup> April**, and we look to seeing the children then.

If you need to contact the school for any reason over the holidays, please email <u>stmonicas@st-monicas.co.uk</u>

## **COVID Tests**

We have been instructed by the Department for Education to advise parents that if a pupil tests positive for coronavirus (COVID-19), having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school, i.e. before Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> March, parents are asked to let the school know. We can then assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation as the pupil may have been infectious whilst in school. If this happens, parents can contact me on <a href="mailto:stmonicas@st-monicas.co.uk">stmonicas@st-monicas@st-monicas.co.uk</a>

#### Parents' Evenings

You have previously been contacted about and can now book parents' evenings appointments online on Parentmail.

Due to COVID, we will be having parents' evenings either by phone or virtual GMeet this year.

The appointments with teachers will be at fixed times between Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> April, and Friday, 7th May.

If you have not booked for each of your children, please do so over the holidays. If you need any help with this, please email <u>stmonicas@st-monicas.co.uk</u>

## **Return to School information**

School will open to children on **Monday**, **12**<sup>th</sup> **April**, and we look to seeing the children then. I will write you nearer the time confirming timings of the day etc. which will remain the same as they are now.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Mr O'Malley

# Headteacher