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Principals update 8/9/23

Good morning parents, it is wonderful to be back with you all again.

Uniform

I thank you sincerely for the effort you have invested to ensure that your children have the correct school uniform. I am delighted to say that almost every child is beautifully presented and I appreciate how difficult it is to achieve that. Our school uniform is so smart and worn as well as it is by each child it sends out a very clear message re the high standards we all have for St Clare's Abbey. Your children are our ambassadors and they do this job very well, thanks to you. (As always donations to our pre loved uniform supply will be gratefully received, especially ties, navy socks and tights, key stage 2 tracksuits and summer dresses.) If you require any item of uniform, please contact the school office.

Homework:

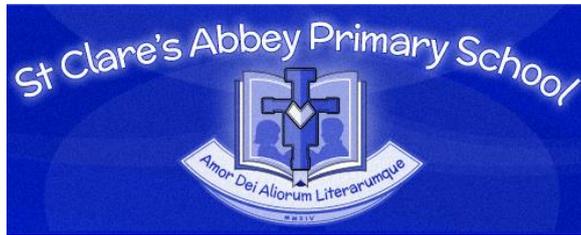
Have a great weekend, knowing that your children have settled well into their first full week. We are easing everyone in gently and homework proper will begin on Monday 18th (although P7 teachers will be in touch prior to that about homework that will need to be completed next week by pupils sitting the GL entrance exam.)

NB The teachers are sending out the QR codes for Seesaw and I know that lots of you have used these to connect already, please do so ASAP if you haven't yet, as all homework will be delivered via Seesaw.

Start of year documents to be signed by each family:

The teachers have posted Start of year consent forms on your child's class Seesaw page. Please respond to say that you approve and if not please respond to say that you do not. From next week pupils will be using digital learning programmes, going for visits outside school grounds and key class photographs will be displayed on the website. If you have not provided your agreement on Seesaw your child will not be able to participate. Should you need to discuss any aspect of this, contact me.





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Website:

I would love to know if you have any comments to make about how your child has settled into school and would urge you to send me a little email or send a message directly to the school website on stclaresabbey@gmail.com We would also love to publish some photographs of your family's summer- these can also be sent to the website

And finally.... I wish you a great weekend, have a nice relaxing time if possible, as homework will soon which will no doubt make evenings a bit busier in your homes.

With my warmest regards at the start of another new year!!!!!!

Mrs Monaghan

