



Dear Parents, Staff of St John Fisher Catholic Primary School, Archdiocese of Birmingham, Headteacher and Governing Bodies, Secretaries of Recognised Trade Unions, Neighbouring Local Authorities, Private/Voluntary Early Years Providers, PCT, NHS Trust and Doctor's surgery.

**The Romero Catholic Academy –
Consultation to open Nursery provision**

St John Fisher Catholic Primary School

This is a consultation regarding the proposal to establish a nursery class at St John Fisher Catholic Primary School. This will result in more nursery place being available to meet the increased demand for nursery provision in the city due to more available free nursery provision for 3 and 4 years olds as set out in the Government strategy.

What is being proposed?

The proposal is for a new purpose built Nursery on each school site that will provide enough places for 26 children (AM and PM – 15-hours free childcare scheme), along with the Governments new 30-hour free childcare place scheme. The Nursery provision will be run as part of the school.

- At St John Fisher Catholic Primary School the existing nursery will be refurbished and extended and will be operational for regular school hours.

The children would be able to start in the autumn term after they are three years old, subject to a place being available. There will be an Admission policy in place and it is our intention to prioritise those Baptised in Catholic faith. We believe that we can offer Nursery provision that is of high quality and that will give children a positive start to their school life.

We are proposing to open our Nursery in September 2020.

Consultation meeting

There will be a public consultation meetings on Thursday 26th March and Thursday 9th April 2020 at 6.00pm, this will be an opportunity for members of the community to explore the Nursery project further.

Please confirm you attendance by phone on 02476443333 or admin.sjf@romeromac.com



Further information and making your views known

We are consulting on this proposal for six weeks, starting today Wednesday 4th March 2020 and ending on Wednesday 15th April 2020. If you have any questions or you want to raise any concerns you might have about the proposal, please contact us directly at **02476 443333** or admin.sjf@romeromac.com.

Alternatively you can make your views known by completing the slip and returning it to the school or email admin.sjf@romeromac.com

The closing date for comments is midnight on Wednesday 15th April 2020.

Yours sincerely

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