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## Newsletter 25/1/19

Dear Parents/Carers,

### Snow Closure

If the decision is taken to close the school due to adverse weather conditions, you will be informed via Group Call. Please also check the website and local radio stations. We will only ever close the school if we feel that the safety of the children is at risk.

### Pupil Safety

Yesterday afternoon (24/1/19) a man attempted to abduct a girl from a Birmingham school. Whilst we do not want pupils to be overly frightened, please can you remind your children to be vigilant, particularly those who walk home on their own. I reminded the children about safety rules in this afternoon's assembly and will be outside monitoring the situation after school. Please be assured that the safety and well-being of the children is our number one priority.

### Parking

School have been contacted by Councillor Carl Rice regarding complaints he has had from local residents about inconsiderate parking. If you are dropping off or collecting children, please can you avoid parking across drives or in the middle of the road. Local Police and PCSOs will be patrolling the area outside school at various times.

### Job Opportunity

The Birmingham Hospital Saturday Fund are looking to recruit a Receptionist, either full time or for a job share. If you are interested, please contact Hayley Reid on 0121 629 1254.

### Mass Attendance

Catholic children, especially but not solely those undertaking Sacramental preparation, are obligated to attend Mass either on Saturday evening or Sunday. Please pray for the children due to receive First Confession, First Communion and Confirmation this year.

All of the Oratory staff wish you and your family a relaxing weekend.

Mark Paine

Deputy Head Teacher