## ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



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## Important changes to Attendance Legislation

I am sure you are now all aware of the important changes which the Government has introduced regarding holidays during term time.

The amendments make it clear that Head Teachers may **NOT** grant any leave of absence during term time.

Penalty Notices (fines) will be issued to both parents and failure to pay these within the timescales will result in legal proceedings.

Please do not ask for time off for family holidays. As you can appreciate, we will not be in a position to grant permission.

Thank you for your support and understanding in this matter











