

ALL SAINTS'

CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



Parent Bulletin – w/b 28/03/22

Thought for the Week: 'Let us stop just saying we love people; let us really love them, and show it by our concerns' John 3:18

Reminders/information:

- **All Saints' Way theme this week** - this week's All Saints' Way theme continues to be Never Give Up! This week our students will show how they never give up striving to be the best they can be in and out of the classroom. Commendation ceremonies are taking place for all year groups throughout the week. We look forward to celebrating with all students and well done to all those students who are nominated for an award.



- **Non-uniform Day** - This week we have a non-uniform day on Friday 1st April. This has been organised by the Student Council to raise money for extra-curricular activities and revision resources. The money raised will also be shared with the Ukraine appeal. Therefore, students can accessorise with or wear blue or yellow to show their support if they wish. However, the rules with regard to jewellery and make up still apply and students need to wear clothes suitable for school and if they have PE.

Well-being updates:

- **Social media and self-esteem:** Social media is a big part of young people's lives and what they see when they're scrolling can impact their self-esteem, confidence and well-being. Help them navigate social media and boost their self-esteem with our free tools and resources. Use the link below to access short articles to help support students with this area. We will also share some resources with students next term. [Influencers, social media and body image – Dove](#)

- **Parent voice results:** Thank you for those that completed the parent voice, please find a summary of results below:

Area	Strength	Area to develop
Catholic life of the school	76% understand the unique nature and mission of All Saints' as a Catholic Academy.	Continue to support those families and students that do not come from a Catholic background during transition into Year 7 and throughout the student's time at All Saints'.
Mental health and Wellbeing	88% of parent/carers know how to support their child's Mental Health and Wellbeing.	Providing online parent/carer sessions on how to support your child's mental health and wellbeing.
Behaviour and attitudes	85% agree/strongly agree that the school has high expectations for behaviour in school.	Continue to apply the rewards system to ensure all students receive appropriate rewards.
Homework and Independent learning	The majority of parent/carers agree that they are confident in supporting students with homework and specific revision techniques, such as brain dump.	Continue to offer online support sessions for parent/carers.

- **Wellbeing email address:** If you have any questions or specific concerns regarding your child's wellbeing then please email the address: wellbeing@allsaints.notts.sch.uk
- **Website links:** Please refer to our school website for any extra support: [Wellbeing - All Saints' Catholic Academy](#)

Upcoming events:

- **Wednesday 30th March** – Year 9 Parents' Evening
- **Friday 1st April** – Bronze Duke of Edinburgh expedition / end of term (school re-opens Tuesday 19th April)
- **Thursday 21st April** – Year 9/10 trip to Derby Theatre – Blood Brothers
- **Tuesday 26th April** – Year 8 Exams begin
- **Friday 29th April** – 6th Wall Show – Moose Tracks
- **Monday 2nd May** – Bank Holiday, school closed
- **Friday 6th May** – Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award Expedition (and Saturday).
- **Wednesday 11th May** – Year 7 Parents' Evening
- **Tuesday 17th May** – Year 9 Exams begin
- **Monday 23rd May** – Year 8 Parents' Evening / Year 10 Exams begin
- **Tuesday 24th May** – Year 12 Exams begin
- **Friday 27th May** – end of term. School re-opens on Monday 6th June.

Also coming up:

Dates for the panto – Snow White:
 SUNDAY 24th APRIL @4.00pm
 MONDAY 25th APRIL @7.00pm
 TUESDAY 26th APRIL @7.00pm

ALL TICKETS PREVIOUSLY BOUGHT WILL BE VALID FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE SAME NIGHT.

