

ALL SAINTS'

CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY

Parent Bulletin – w/b 22/01/24



Thought for the Week:

Scripture is the Word of God. It is a collection of sacred writings that tell the story of God's love for humanity. As we read scripture, we learn about God's plan for our lives, and we are inspired to live a life of faith. Scripture can also be a source of comfort and guidance in difficult times and speaks to us throughout our lives. Still the best-selling book of all time, the Bible contains something for everyone. Take a few extra moments this week to read from your Bible and see how you can be inspired by God's word.

Reminders/information:

<u>All Saints' Way</u> – The All Saints' Way theme this week continues to be Learn! In recent assemblies, students having been learning about the great things All Saints' Sixth Form has to offer and we hope this has inspired many of our students to make this their first choice after their GCSEs.



Charity Fundraising

As mentioned last week, the Houses are starting to raise money for their nominated charities. Please see information about the charities and we hope that all students will support and enjoy the activities on offer.

Industria (Y7) The Emily Harris Foundation

Caritas (Y8) CAFOD

Vocare (Y9) Faith in Families

Fortitudo (Y10) John Eastwood Hospice Fidem (Y11) Aid to the Church in Need

Servio (Sixth Form) Macmillan / Children in Need / Lourdes

Handball tournament

Congratulations to all of the students who represented the school at the KS3 Handball Festival last week. All students were outstanding and a credit to the school.

Uniform reminders

A reminder that on PE days, students need to wear a black hoodie with the All Saints' Logo. We have spares in school to lend students if they come in the incorrect hoodie. Black leggings or tracksuit bottoms (not joggers) should be plain with only a small logo no bigger than 5 cm and trainers worn should be suitable for PE lessons and not fashion trainers.

Online safety

From an online safety survey, students at All Saints' said they follow influencers. Some influencers can be harmless and fun however, influencers can cause some risk depending on the nature of the content they share and promote. Some of the more popular influencers amongst our students include KSI, Mr Beast, Andrew Tate and Sidemen. It is always worth having access to your child's social media accounts to be able to explore the content they access from influencers.

Film Club reminder:



Wellbeing reminder: Please remember that the link on our website is: Wellbeing - All Saints' Catholic Voluntary Academy - Mansfield. In addition, if you have any questions or specific concerns regarding your child's wellbeing then please email the address: wellbeing@allsaints.notts.sch.uk.

Free School Meals - Derbyshire County Council administers the applications for **Free School Meals** for students studying at All Saints' Catholic Voluntary Academy. Please use the link below to apply. https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/schools/your-child-at-school/meals/school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx

If your child is in receipt of **Free School Meals,** you may be able to receive support with payments for school trips and uniform. If you are unsure whether you are entitled to claim, please complete the eligibility form on the website to check.

If you experience any difficulties please let us know and we will ask Derbyshire County Council to assist.

Parent and Carer Planner 2023-2024

Wook haginning 9th January 2024	Voor 7 10 Data Information
Week beginning 8th January 2024	Year 7-10 Data Information.
Monday 8 th January (All week)	Year 7 Reports. Year 11 Mock Speaking Exams for MFL
Tuesday 16th January	Year 11 Progress Evening for Parents. In Person Year 8 Reports
Week beginning 22 nd January	
Wednesday 31st January	Year 8 Progress Evening for Parents. In Person
Wednesday 7th February	Year 8 Options Afternoon
Wednesday 7th February	Year 8 Options Information for Parents. Online
Wednesday 7 th February	Year 11 Drama Exam
Thursday 8th February	Year 11 Drama Exam
INSET Day on Friday 9 th February- Students not in school. Students return to school on Monday 19th February.	
Wednesday 21st February (All week)	Year 11 and 13 Mock Exams
Monday 26th February (All week)	Year 11 and 13 Mock Exams
Monday 4th March until 12th March	Year 12 Exams
Thursday 7 th March	
Thursday 21st March	Year 7 Progress Evening for Parents. Online School Show
	School Show
Friday 22 nd March	
Thursday 28 th March	Year 11, 13 and 12 Data Drop
Year 12 Reports Students break up on Thursday 28 th March and return to school on Monday 15th April .	
Week beginning 15 th April	Year 7 to 10 Data
Monday 15 th April until 26 th April	Year 11 MFL Speaking Exams (Actual)
Monday 22 nd April	Year 10 Exams Week
Monday 6th May - Bank Holiday Thursday 9th May GCSE Exams Begin	
Friday 10 th May	Year 11 Drama Exam
Monday 13 th May (All Week)	Year 9 Exams Week
Monday 20 th May	Year 10 Progress Evening for Parents. Online
Week beginning 20 th May	Year 10 Exam Results and Report
Friday 24th May	Year 13 Leavers' Mass
Students break up on Friday 24 th May and return to school on Monday 3 rd June .	
Week beginning 17th June	Year 9 Exam Results and Report
Wednesday 19 th June	Year 9 Progress Evening for Parents. Online
Friday 21st June	Year 13 Prom
Monday 24th June (All Week)	Year 12 Exams
Thursday 27th June	6th Form Information Evening for Year 10. In Person
Friday 28th June	Provisional end date for Year 11 and 13 External Exams.
Monday 1st July	Provisional Sports Day
Friday 5 th July	Year 11 Prom
Week beginning Monday 8 th July	Year 7 to 10 Data
Tuesday 16th July	Year 12 Exam Results
	Students break up for the Summer.
Friday 26 th July	
Thursday 15th August	A LEVEL RESULTS DAY (8am – 10.30am)
Thursday 22 nd August	GCSE RESULTS DAY (9am – 10.30am)