

# ALL SAINTS'

## CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



**Parent Bulletin – w/b 15/07/24**

### Thought for the Week:

This week's word of the week is 'Gratitude'. Gratitude is the quality of being thankful and the readiness to show appreciation for and to return kindness. It is about being grateful for the good things in our lives. We have a lot to be grateful for and it is important to take time to appreciate the good things in our lives. Having gratitude helps us to be truly happy and to live a fulfilling life. This week, we encourage everyone to make a special effort to say thank you this week to those people in your home, family, school and wider community who love and support you. Going to Mass is also a great way of giving thanks, so please find the Mass times on the parish bulletin, as you are all so very welcome.



### Reminders/information:

**All Saints' Way** – This week's All Saints' way theme is **Aspire!** We encourage students to aspire to be the best academically and socially.



### Rewards

"let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works" Matthew 5:16

On Friday last week, students enjoyed Rewards Day. Thanks to the weather staying fine, students enjoyed the "picnic on the park", plus students were fantastic representatives of the school community as they went on trips to bowling, ice skating, Ninja Warrior and Alton Towers.

Lots more to look forward to these last two weeks including Commendation Ceremonies and Chat and Treat for students with great attendance and behaviour. The Proud Podium continues to celebrate students for their excellent work in the school and photos are shared weekly on our Facebook page.

### Work Experience

We wish good luck to all of our Year 10 students going on Work Experience next week. We know you will thrive, learn lots of new skills and make us proud.

## Attendance

All Saints' Catholic Academy has been awarded with an FFT National Attendance Award. FFT collects daily attendance data from over 10,500 schools and for the Spring term, All Saints' Catholic Academy was in the top 25% of all schools in England. Thank you to all our students, parents and carers who support the school community.



## Reminders

As we approach the end of this academic year, we encourage students to remember our CALM mantra as they move around the school, whilst waiting for lessons and when in the classroom.



## Dinner cards

If your child has lost their dinner card, please send them to the IT office to purchase a new one for £1 before the end of the term.

It is important that students remember their card every day to avoid queues at the till. We recommend that students keep their card in their bag rather than in their blazers so that they don't forget it on PE days. We would like to see everyone with their dinner cards ready for the next academic year.

Thank you for your support.

## MFL KS4 Competition results

Please see the slides at the end of this bulletin for the results.

## Personal Development:

**Mental Health and Wellbeing: NHS – Kooth:** With the Summer Holidays fast approaching, at Kooth Digital Health we appreciate there will be some young people who may struggle during the holidays without the access to the daily pastoral support, trusted adults and friends that the school community provides. For this reason, they have attached a summer information and resources pack to highlight that Kooth is still available over the summer holidays.

**Mental Health and Wellbeing reminder:** Please remember that the link on our website is: [Mental Health & Wellbeing - All Saints' Catholic Voluntary Academy - Mansfield](#). The trust Mental Health and Wellbeing space link is: [Mental Health & Wellbeing \(mentalhealthandwellbeing.space\)](#) 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](mailto:wellbeing@allsaints.notts.sch.uk)

**Careers reminder:** Please remember you can also visit our school website: [Careers - All Saints' Catholic Voluntary Academy - Mansfield](#).

**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

Week beginning 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 9 Exam Results and Report
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 9 Progress Evening for Parents. Online
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Year 13 Prom
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June (All Week)	Year 12 Exams
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Information Evening for Year 10. In Person
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Provisional end date for Year 11 and 13 External Exams.
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Provisional Sports Day
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 11 Prom
Week beginning Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 7 to 10 Data
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 12 Exam Results
Week beginning Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 10 Work Experience
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> July	Students break up for the Summer.
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> August	A LEVEL RESULTS DAY (8am – 10.30am)
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	GCSE RESULTS DAY (9am – 10.30am)

MFL competition results:

**MFL KS4 Competition RESULTS**

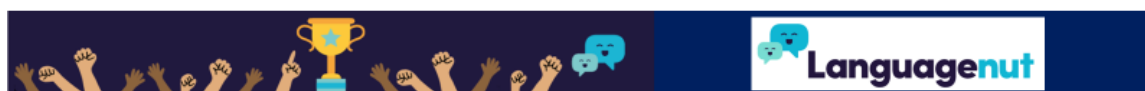


Well done to our 72 entrants. We really hope you enjoyed practising your languages online!

There were hundreds of schools and over 100,000 competitors taking part worldwide.

All Saints came in 24<sup>th</sup> place globally,   
 ☆ an amazing achievement! ☆

All participants will receive certificates and 3 achievement points each!



**MFL KS4 Competition RESULTS**



Students in the top 10 will receive Proud Podiums. Many congratulations to...

School Rank	Global Rank	Name	Points
4 <sup>th</sup>	187 <sup>th</sup>	Jetsy K.	759900
5 <sup>th</sup>	215 <sup>th</sup>	Amelia S.	706000
6 <sup>th</sup>	403 <sup>th</sup>	Sam H.	380200
7 <sup>th</sup>	436 <sup>th</sup>	Victoria W.	350200
8 <sup>th</sup>	787 <sup>th</sup>	Darja P.	220700
9 <sup>th</sup>	1184 <sup>th</sup>	Freja WS.	169700
10 <sup>th</sup>	1350 <sup>th</sup>	Julia B.	158300



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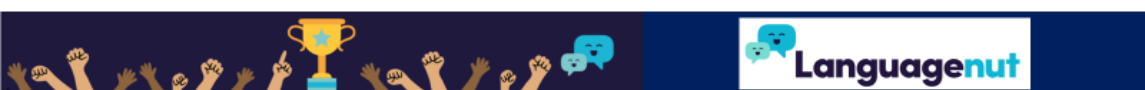


School Rank	Global Rank	Name	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	Laris M.	10160200
2 <sup>nd</sup>	26 <sup>th</sup>	Chloe M.	5599100
3 <sup>rd</sup>	152 <sup>th</sup>	Stanley S.	918300

Out of 100,000+ competitors worldwide, Laris and Chloe came in the top 30! What an incredible achievement!

Laris, Chloe and Stanley will all receive proud podiums and Amazon vouchers.

Enjoy your reward! ☺

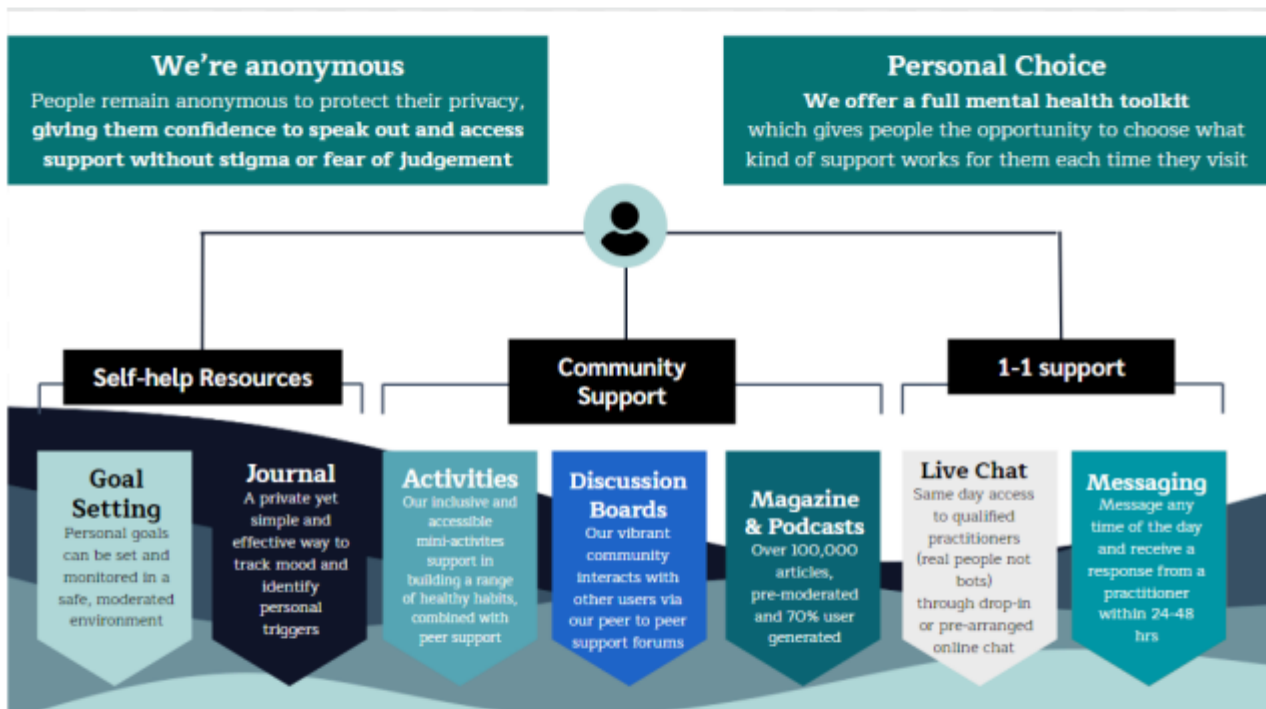




## Kooth Summer Holidays Resource Pack

Kooth.com is a **free, safe** and **anonymous** mental health and wellbeing service available to young people in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire aged **11 - 25**. Available without referral or waiting lists until 10pm each night, 365 days per year, it provides a much needed out of hours service for advice and help.

At Kooth, young people can access a range of support options:



### Kooth's Summer Campaign:

During the holidays, young people may have more time on their hands, and for many that can mean more time spent online or on social media, which can have a negative impact on their mental and emotional well-being.

So, here at Kooth, we're on a mission to inspire young people to break free from the endless scroll and encourage them to #GoSomewhereGood this summer. This campaign aims to promote positive activities and 'good places to go' instead. We've spoken to hundreds of young people and got their ideas for simple things to do that make them feel good and got some fab ideas! And, to make it even better, for 50 days straight,



we're giving away incredible prizes like custom-designed skateboards, brand new 'Bog Man' apparel, 'So Good' merchandise, and vouchers!

Please see more information at [THIS LINK](#) (for professionals only), and please share [THIS LINK](#) with the young people you are working with.

#### Summer Assembly

I have recorded a video to give young people a quick overview of Kooth and our summer campaign, and to remind them that they can log on and receive support throughout the summer holidays. Please access this video [HERE](#)

#### Digital resources

You can access our online resource hub [HERE](#).

I have put together some of the resources [HERE](#)

#### Physical Resources:

We also offer physical resources (wallet cards, leaflets and posters) to hand out/display in your service. If you would like any, please contact me directly at [ejones@kooth.com](mailto:ejones@kooth.com) and I will be happy to send these across.