



# All Saints' Catholic Voluntary Academy

Head Teacher: C Cuomo

Broomhill Lane, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire NG19 6BW  
Tel: 01623 474700 Email: [admin@allsaints.notts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@allsaints.notts.sch.uk)  
Website: [www.allsaints.notts.sch.uk](http://www.allsaints.notts.sch.uk)



**“We shall serve.”**

**Mark 10:45** - *“For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”*

15 October 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we approach the end of this first half term, we would like to take the opportunity to reflect on the wonderful achievements of our students since September and thank you for your continuing support during these unprecedented times.

Students have been rewarded weekly for following the All Saints' Way, which looks at attendance and behaviour, an increasing amount of achievement points have been handed out this half term and students have been nominated by subject teachers for excellent effort in lessons. These praise postcards will be handed out over the next few school weeks. Next half term, plans are in place for rewards and celebrations which follow the Health and Safety guidelines but still celebrate the successes of our students.

As you are aware, All Saints' sets the highest standards for our community and there are some areas we feel it is important to address as we break for half term.

Firstly, in relation to the wearing of masks. Unfortunately, there is a small number of children who are frequently 'forgetting' their mask which is becoming quite a concern. Please remind your child about the importance of bringing a face mask to school on a daily basis and that they should wear it when moving around the school site. In this way, we are ensuring that all children and staff are as safe as possible.

Secondly, we have seen a rise in the number of students chewing. As stated in the school's Behaviour for Learning policy, chewing gum is not allowed in school and any incidents of chewing are logged allowing us to monitor. Repeat offenders may be asked to sit an after school detention or carry out community service. Therefore, please could you remind your child that this will not be tolerated.

May we take this opportunity to also remind you that the school day starts at **8.55am**. This is when learning starts. Students need to be sat in their classroom ready to start and we have a small number of students who walk in late or indeed, are dropped off late and we ask for your support in ensuring that your child arrives to school on time. We will be conducting 'Late Gates' after half term to monitor the situation and students may have to sit a lunch time detention if they arrive late.

Finally, as winter approaches, as well as a dark, plain coat, we are allowing students to wear a jumper. This jumper must be charcoal grey, a woollen, knitted material (not sweatshirt material) and needs to be V-neck. It is not compulsory for students to wear the embossed school jumper with the All Saints' logo on it. Students may also bring and wear plain (not patterned) gloves, scarves and hats. They can wear these in lessons but may have to remove gloves to allow them to complete written work.

Once more, we would like to extend our sincere gratitude for your support and very positive messages that we receive during the school year.

Yours sincerely,

C. Cuomo  
Executive Headteacher

N. Kilday  
Assistant Headteacher

---

*"The school is a cohesive and inclusive community characterised by pupils who are highly respectful of each other and very polite. The overall achievement of pupils has remained strong and pupils make good progress overall."*