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Theme - Belonging

This week we have focussed on the theme of belonging - a feeling of support and security which comes from a sense of acceptance, inclusion, and identity. Students were led to reflect on the school values, mission statement and prayer in assembly to consider where they feel that they belong. The Sixth Form Leadership Team also shared the overview of their leadership with the Year 7 Prayer Group linking to the Parable of the Lost Sheep. This was added to by a few Year 7s sharing their thoughts on the theme of belonging.

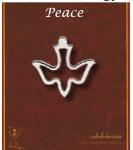
Year II Leavers Liturgy

On Friday, we held our Year II Leaver's Liturgy saying 'Goodbye' to our current year group. Whilst many will return in September as part of our Sixth Form, we know that some will be leaving us for apprenticeships and college. We wish them all the very best of luck in their next steps.

Kate Pereíra

1	Upcoming Events 🥸
25 June	Celebration of Achievement Evening
28 June	Year II Prom
3 July	Year 6 Welcome Day
4 – 6 July	Silver Duke of Edinburgh Expedition

Leavers Liturgy



Today we said goodbye to our Year 11 students. We began with our Leavers Liturgy with God's message of peace, 'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.' John 14:27. Through our readings and prayers, we were reminded that we can spread peace in the way we

treat one another, and this in turn can spread far and wide. The Holy Spirit grants us the gift of peace, and as a reminder of this, and as a gift from St John Fisher, each student received a dove brooch, the international sign for peace. We then celebrated with videos, pizza, and shirt signing. We wish the year 11s all the very best in their exams and pray for a happy, successful, and peaceful future. May they continue to 'Live life to the full' John 10:10

Sixth Form Star Students



June's Star Students are Elana Puga and Dominika Gorka -Year 12. Elana is a hard working and conscientious

student who can always be seen making productive use of her study periods as well as her own time. Her subject teachers speak highly of her efforts in and out of lesson and her developing resilience as the pressures of Year 12 grow. A well deserved star student. Dominika is a strong Year 12 student. She is a positive role model to other students and is hard working in and out of lessons. Her subject teachers comment on her positive attitude to learning and her developing reasoning skills which will stand her in good stead for Year 13. Another well deserved star student - well done Dominika.

Keep your eyes peeled for July's Star Students. Mrs Reay, Assistant Headteacher

Appointments

Medical appointments for students need to be made outside of school hours and, if unavoidable, proof of the appointment must be provided. *Mr Bates, Assistant Headteacher*

Career of the Fortnight: Football Referee

Each fortnight our Careers team focus on a different job to help students explore the many career opportunities that are available. During tutor time they will have the opportunity to discuss, as a group, the career of the fortnight looking at the skills required, roles and responsibilities involved, working conditions,

qualifications needed, annual salary plus more! To find out more about the Career of the Fortnight please visit the school website.



Mrs Maudsley, Careers Lead

Prom Year 11

Year 11 Prom will be on Friday 28 June, please buy your ticket by Tuesday 25 June and come celebrate. *Mrs Reid, Student Support Officer*



Extra-Curricular Activities 2023-24

Monday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club All Years – Film Club All Years – Chaplaincy Ambassadors - Chapel

Monday After School Duke of Edinburgh activities All Years - Boys/Girls Football - Astro All Years – Rounders Club - Field All Years - Homework Club Study Centre

Tuesday Lunchtime

All Years – Keyboard – Room 102 All Years – Maths Help Club All Years – Tennis Club – Tennis Courts Year 7 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Tuesday After School Duke of Edinburgh activities All Years Homework Club Study Centre

Wednesday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club All Years – Tennis Club – Tennis Courts Year 8 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Wednesday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities All Years – Tennis Club – Tennis Courts All Years – Homework Club Study Centre

Thursday Lunchtime

Key Stage 3 – Art Club All Years – Choir – Room 102 All Years - Maths Help Club All Years – Tennis Club – Tennis Courts Year 9 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Thursday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities All Years – Fitness – Gym All Years – Cricket Club – Astro All Years – Homework Club Study Centre

Friday Lunchtime

Years 8 & 9 - Inter Catholic Quiz Team All Years – Maths Help Club

Friday After School Duke of Edinburgh activities All Years – Homework Club Study Centre

Breakfast - Free Bagels

Why not start the day with a filling breakfast. Our Breakfast club runs every day between 8.10am and 8.30am all students are welcome to come and join us in the Dining Hall for a free bagel.



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