



Theme: Aquest



Our theme this week across school has been about saying yes to God. Following the solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord on Tuesday this week our assemblies have focussed on Mary saying yes to God. 'Behold I am the servant of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word' (Luke 1:38). Through our thoughts this week, students have been reflecting on times when we can find opportunities to help others and spread compassion and kindness in our everyday lives.

Celebration Assemblies

As we move into our last week of the term we look to the hope of Easter and the end of our Lenten journey. Today we held the first of our House celebration assemblies for Rochester House. Well done to all students who received prizes and certificates for effort and achievement across a range of areas.

Kate Pereira, Executive Headteacher

Big Lent Walk

With only one week left of the Big Lent Walk and the end of the competitions in sight, we have one last push for sponsorship money. House points will be rewarded on the furthest distance walked as a House and for the most money raised. Money to be given to Student Services by Friday 4 April 2025.

Beverley	696,000m
Cambridge	727,000m
Rochester	705,500m
Westminster	774,750m



Easter Break

We break up for Easter on Friday 4 April at 3.15pm and return Tuesday 22 April at 8.30am..

Mrs Wilmore, Head of School

Academic Tutoring

Year 11

24 March – 4 April 2025

Uniform Policy

In line with our school Uniform policy, parents and students are reminded that:-

- **Hair:-** Hairstyles should be moderate and not have 'cuts' of any shape or design and should be the students own natural colour.
- **Jewellery:-** For safety reasons the wearing of jewellery, including nose studs, other than a pair of small stud earrings is not allowed.
- **Make-up:-** Make-up including nail varnish and false nails, should not be worn to school. Students will be asked to remove it.
- **Uniform:-** Fashion items and training shoes are not appropriate school wear.

Thank you for your continued support, our students always look well presented.

Mr Bates, Deputy Headteacher

Stations of the Cross

After Mass on Tuesday, Fr Karol was joined by some of our Chaplaincy Ambassadors, 6th formers and staff as he led the stations of the cross. Each person present took it in turns to read the scripture at each station. This was a special occasion, with time for prayer and reflection. Our thanks to Fr Karol for giving so much of his time.

Mrs Goodfellow, Lay Chaplain

Year 12: Safer Streets - Violence Against Women and Girls

Last week we welcomed Cambridgeshire Police to give a presentation to Year 12 students about how to stay safe when out, especially in the evenings. Unfortunately, Violence Against Women and Girls is a national issue and the presentation highlighted the responsibilities that we all have to make sure that everyone feels safe and that misogynistic behaviour is 'called out' and reported as necessary. There were also some helpful tips for our students to consider as they become increasingly independent and meet friends, go to work and potentially leave home for university.



Future Events	
The Big Lent Sponsored Walk	
4 April	End of term.

Extra-Curricular Activities 2024-2025

Monday Lunchtime

All Years – Chorum Choir – Room 101
All Years – Maths Help Club
All Years – Film Club
All Years – Tennis - Courts
All Years – Chaplaincy Ambassadors – Chapel
Year 10 – Italian Club - 209

Monday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
All Years - Boys/Girls Football - Astro
All Years – Girls Rounders- Field
All Years - Homework Club Study Centre
Year 9 – Food Club – Room 306
Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal - 501

Tuesday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club
All Years - Guitar for Beginners – Room 301
Year 7 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211
Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal – 501

Tuesday After School

All Years Homework Club Study Centre

Wednesday Lunchtime

All Years - Guitar Club – Practice room 1
All Years – String Ensemble – Room 101
All Years – Maths Help Club
All Years – Tennis Club - Courts
Year 7 – Drama Club – Room 501
Year 8 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Wednesday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
All Years – Fitness - Gym
All Years – Homework Club Study Centre
Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal - 501

Thursday Lunchtime

Key Stage 3 – Art Club
All Years – Choir – Room 101
All Years - Pop Choir – Room 102
All Years - Maths Help Club
All Years – Cricket Club – Astro
All Years – Optional Studio Space - 501
Year 9 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Thursday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
All Years – Cricket Club - Astro
All Years – Homework Club Study Centre
All Years - Music Theory Club

Friday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club
All Years - Pop/Rock Band – Practice Room 1
Years 8 & 9 – Drama – Room 501
Year 9 – Italian Club - 209
Year 10 – Product & Design Club – Room 305
Key Stage 4 – Darts - Gym
Blooklet Club Spanish – Room 211

Friday After School

All Years – Homework Club Study Centre
Key Stage 4 – Drama Intervention – Room 501

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RE Focus Day

On Focus Day, Year 7 worked within the RE Department and did a great job working with recycled materials and we were so proud of what they had accomplished. Our winners for the day were Zoltan, Arun, Declan, Zsolt, Jayden and Amir. Our runners up were Belicia, Benedicta, Bano, Mariyah, Anaya and Alaiha. Well done to every student in Year 7 for their hard work.

Ms James, Acting Head of RE



Year 7 had to create sculptures out of recycled materials. The sculptures were based on the theme of 'Belonging' which we have been focussing on during our Year 7 prayer group sessions in the Chapel. On this day, we worked in groups and we joined our ideas together to make our final masterpiece. It was a fun day as we got to use different creative methods and it was interesting to see what other teams did and how differently we all interpreted the 'Belonging' theme.

Belicia Pereira Year 7 RE Learning Leader

BINGO

There will be a BINGO night on Wednesday 30 April, if you have any unused gifts that can be used as prizes, please donate them to the school.

Mrs Goodfellow, Lay Chaplain

 **£1.50 per child £3.50 per adult** For x3 games! **£1 for any extra Bingo cards**

BINGO NIGHT

Refreshments available too!

Tickets available on the night on a 'First Come First Served' basis
Cash only!

Prizes Include:
Vouchers
Gift sets
Cash prizes
Many others too!

Wednesday 30 April, 5pm for a 5:30 start

All money raised is for charity

House Competitions	
Beverley	3640
Westminster	3545
Cambridge	3483
Rochester	3268

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.

