

## Parent Bulletin 15/11/24



### Welcome message

Welcome to the second week of our new half term. We have had lots of exciting events happening across school this week, including several football fixtures, assemblies from Greater Manchester Police, a theatre trip for Year 8 and RE Retreats for Year 7.

### Parents Evening

Our first Parents Evening of the year is taking place on the 21<sup>st</sup> of November and is for Year 8. Parents of Year 8 children have been invited to make appointments with their teachers using School Cloud. This event will be face to face and give you an opportunity to speak to your child's subject teachers.

Please follow this link to School Cloud if you have not yet secured your appointments:  
<https://t.co/xXTFDC3hbZ>

### Remembrance

This week, we have had a series of assemblies dedicated to remembrance. We also visited the Dukinfield War Memorial on Sunday to lay down our school wreath. Thank you to our wonderful Head Pupils for attending.



## Football Updates

This week we have had a range of amazing football fixtures. I am so proud of all of our amazing teams across all of our year groups for always putting in 100% effort and for displaying great sportsmanship. Thank you to all of our wonderful pupils who have taken part in sports fixtures.

Whilst we await news on our MUGA, we will be updating our red gra space at the request of the children. This will allow them to play some football matches and have space for this until our updates are complete.



## Willow Wood

As mentioned previously, our school is currently working with Willow Wood Hospice as part of their Enterprise Challenge. This gives our pupils the opportunity to raise money for Willow Wood by creating their own event. Each form is given £25 and must generate as much profit as possible.

We have now added an option to Parent Pay where you can make an optional donation of your choice to Willow Wood Hospice. This money will be added to the total amount generated by your child's form.

## Greater Manchester Police Assemblies

Greater Manchester Police attended school this week, delivering assemblies to all of our pupils. They covered key topic areas including substance abuse and knife crime, and put on plenty of interactive workshops for our pupils to take part in.



## Year 11 Revision for Mock Exams

Next week, our wonderful Year 11 pupils will be sitting their mock exams. This experience is designed to give them a practice run at their GCSE's which they will be sitting in a short few months. Please encourage your child to revise at home in order to best prepare for this exam season. Resources have been sent out on Class Charts by Mr Jones who has sent some key revision materials to all Year 11 pupils. The Year 11 mock exam timetable is attached at the end of this bulletin.

Good luck to our amazing Year 11 cohort!

## Antibullying Week

We have celebrated anti-bullying week at school. This year's theme 'Choose Respect' is designed to empower children to do something positive to counter the hurt that bullying causes. We are strictly against bullying in our school and we do not stand for it. If you have any concerns regarding bullying, please see our school website: [Anti-Bullying :: All Saints Catholic College](#).

Before the half term break, pupils were able to nominate a member of staff who has supported them or helped prevent and respond to bullying. We had 23 members of staff who were nominated. It is lovely see so many staff members making a difference to our pupils!

### Youth SVP

Our amazing Youth SVP group have met this week to discuss their fundraising plans for the St Vincent De Paul Charity. The charity helps people living in poverty, as well as those who are isolated or struggling. The SVP group are planning exciting fundraisers for the advent season to raise some more money for the charity. They have also been planning a mass to welcome new members into the group.



### Theatre Trip

Our wonderful Year 8 pupils took a trip to The Lowry Theatre at Salford Quays this week to see 'Wonder Boy'. Ms Leighton was very impressed with the behaviour of all pupils as they watched the performance beautifully. Well done Year 8!



### Parent Voice Survey

As we are in our second half term, I would like to send out a Parent Voice for parents and carers to complete. This form will only take a few short minutes, and will allow us to receive valuable feedback about our school.

Please take the time to complete this Parent Voice Survey:

<https://forms.gle/v7aMGnyUqr7Xuora7>

## Attendance

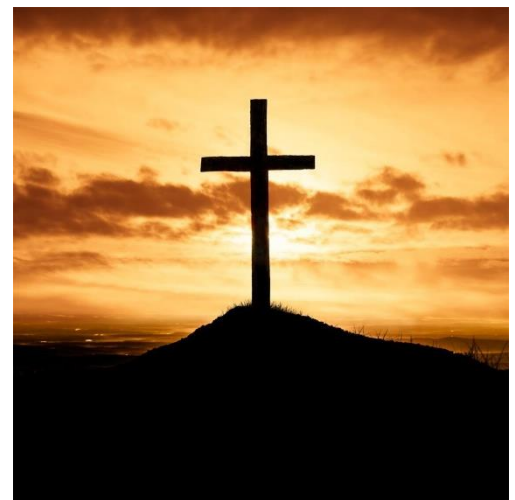
We are thrilled to announce an exciting opportunity for our students who demonstrate exceptional attendance during the autumn term! As a reward for their dedication, we will be organizing a special trip for those who achieve 95% attendance and above. There will be more details about this trip in the coming weeks.



## Year 7 RE Retreats

Our Year 7 pupils have begun to go out this week on their RE retreats to explore spirituality. The retreats are run by the Shrewsbury Youth Mission Team and are focused on the spiritual development of children. This year's theme 'Fly High' allowed our pupils to explore freedom of expression as they worked in teams and got involved in some singing and dancing!

There was also a period of reflection based on modern day Saints including Carlo Acutis. Well done to our Year 7 pupils for taking part and behaving wonderfully.



## 20 Questions

Please ensure that your child is keeping up to date with their 20 questions. These questions can be found on Class Charts and are complete for every subject area. Please practice these questions with your child for their different subjects to help them to improve their long-term knowledge. Our teachers and staff appreciate your support with this.

## Christmas Early Finish

On the last day of this half term (Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December), we will be finishing at 1pm. We will also be holding this as a non-uniform day and asking pupils to pay £1 which will be donated directly to Willow Wood Hospice. This will be added to Parent Pay.

We will also be offering some Christmas market style food on the last day to get everyone in the festive spirit and celebrate the half term.

## Rewards – All Saints Achievement Points and Attendance

Reward points are now called 'ASAP' points (All Saints Achievement Points) these are given to pupils who are working hard and showing an excellent attitude to their learning.

Here are the top 5 performing pupils this week:

1. Emily R (Year 7)
2. Shantani M (Year 8)
3. Chanelle N (Year 9)
4. Jessica M-B (Year 10)
5. Aleisha W (Year 11)



Here are the top 5 performing form groups per year group this week:

1. 7T
2. 8JP
3. 9JP
4. 10K
5. 11T

Fantastic effort from 8JP who have the highest overall points this week!

Well done to 7JP who have the best form attendance this week!



*Well done to last week's winners 7CA who have now won for 3 weeks in a row!*

## Social Media

Please note that we post daily updates on our 2 social media accounts:

- X (Twitter) – All Saints CC
- Facebook – All Saints CC

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Ms Gilligan

### Year 11 Mock Exam Timetable

DATE	Period	EXAM	LENGTH	TIME
Monday 25th November	P2 & P3	Catholic Christianity	1:45	9:00 - 10:45
	P5 & P6	English Language	1:45	13:00 - 14:45
Date	Period	EXAM	LENGTH	TIME
Tuesday 26th November	P2 & P3	<b><u>Option B</u></b>		
		Spanish Listening & Reading H	1:45	9:00 - 10:45
		French Listening & Reading H	1:45	9:00 - 10:45
		Business Paper 1	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Graphics	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Geography	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Spanish Listening & Reading F	1:20	9:00 - 10:20
		French Listening & Reading F	1:20	9:00 - 10:20
		H&C	1:20	9:00 - 10:20
		Art	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Music	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Sport Science	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		P5 & P6	EDEXCEL Maths Higher	1:30
		OCR Maths Foundation	1:30	13:00 - 14:00
Date	Period	EXAM	LENGTH	TIME
Wednesday 27th November	P2&P3	<b><u>Option C</u></b>		
		History Paper 1	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Spanish Listening & Reading H	1:45	9:00 - 10:45
		Geography Paper 1	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Statistics Paper 1	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Spanish Listening & Reading F	1:20	9:00 - 10:20
		Art	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		PArts	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		P5 & P6	English Literature (A Christmas Carol & Macbeth)	1:45
Date	Period	EXAM	LENGTH	TIME
Thursday 28th November	P2 & P3	<b><u>Option A</u></b>		
		History Paper 1	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Imedia	1:30	9:00 - 10:30

		Geography Paper 1	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Hospitality & Catering	1:20	9:00 - 10:20
		Sport Science	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
	P5 & P6	Combined Science - Biology	1:15	13:00 - 14:15
		Triple Science - Biology	1:45	13:00 - 14:45
<b>Date</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>EXAM</b>	<b>LENGTH</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Monday 2nd December	P2 & P3	<b><u>Option A</u></b>		
		History Paper 2	2:00	9:00 - 11:00
		Geography Paper 2	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		H&C	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Imedia	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Sport Science	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
	P5 & P6	Combined Science - Chemistry	1:15	13:00 - 14:15
	P5 & P6	Triple Science - Chemistry	1:45	13:00 - 14:45
<b>Date</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>EXAM</b>	<b>LENGTH</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Tuesday 3rd December	P2 & P3	EDEXCEL Maths Higher	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		OCR Maths Foundation	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
	P5 & P6	<b><u>Option B</u></b>		
		Business Paper 2	1:30	13:00 - 14:30
		French Writing H	1:15	13:00 - 14:15
		Spanish Writing H	1:15	13:00 - 14:15
		Spanish Writing F	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		French Writing F	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		Geography Paper 2	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		Art	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		Music	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		Sport Science	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
		Graphics	1:00	13:00 - 14:00
	H&C	1:00	13:00 - 14:00	
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		EDEXCEL Maths Higher	1:30	9:00 - 10:30



Wednesday 4th December	P2 & P3	OCR Maths Foundation	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
<b>Date</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>EXAM</b>	<b>LENGTH</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Thursday 5th December	P2 & P3	Combined Science - Physics	<b>1:15</b>	9:00 - 10:15
		Triple Science - Physics	1:45	9:00 - 10:45
<b>Date</b>	<b>Period</b>	<b>EXAM</b>	<b>LENGTH</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Friday 6th December	P2 & P3	<b><u>Option C</u></b>		
		History Paper 2	2:00	9:00 - 11:00
		Statistics Paper 2	1:30	9:00 - 10:30
		Spanish Writing H	1:15	9:00 - 10:15
		Spanish Wirting F	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Geography Paper 2	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		Art	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
		PArts	1:00	9:00 - 10:00
	P5 & P6	<b><u>Contingency</u></b>		
		Maths	1:30	13:00 - 14:30
	English	1:45	13:00 - 14:45	