



Enrichment and Enhancement Newsletter

Key Dates

Date	Event	Date	Event
27th September	Year 9 & 12 Photos	6th October	Sponsored walk Open Evening
W/C 3rd October	Year 12 Assessments	W/C 10th October	Year 9 assessments
		W/C 24th October	Half Term

Extra-Curricular/ Interventions Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Lunchtime		Debate club in C4 all year groups	Chaplaincy in C4 Years 9 & 10	
After School	Year 9, 10 and 11 boy's football Years 9, 10 and 11 netball	Year 9 Girls Football Year 11 girl's netball match at Tudor Grange Year 11 Intervention	Year 11 Intervention	Year 11 Intervention



Prayer and Catholic Life

Reflection for this week:

This week we have been discussing and celebrating International Day of Peace. Form 6BR dedicated their Form Mass to Peace and Prosperity, with special thoughts going to the Middle East and Ukraine. We thought particularly about what peace means and whether it is just the absence of conflict, or something much more. Thank you to all who contributed and helped to celebrate.

As Year Group communities, we have begun thinking about our Sponsored Walk and which Charities we would like to raise money for.

Please keep an eye out for the Just Giving Page for our Staff and Students who will be taking part in the Big Birmingham Sleep Out in November to raise money and awareness for Youth Homelessness across the Midlands; last year we raised £4000 for this deserving cause.



Head of Year Comments and Notices

Sixth Form- Mr Foley/ Mrs Threadgold

We in the Sixth Form Team have enjoyed welcoming new and existing students into the Sixth form here at Saints. Minor teething problems are being overcome and we are moving forward at speed!

This week has seen year 12 students enjoying a team building day with the lower sixth students from our combined MAC. This was just the first of several MAC wide opportunities for our sixth formers, more detail of which will follow.

All students will have a physical copy of the Sixth Form Handbook now and an electronic version of this is available on the school website. This Handbook lists all the information you or your child may need in the coming weeks: timing of the school day, uniform code, key dates, even UCAS processes, personal statement examples and much more!

Focus this week is ensuring all students have access to UNIFROG and that all Yr 13 have identified their subject referees on UNIFROG to enable their teachers to start the reference writing process.

Please note, absences for driving lessons will only be authorised if the 'pink slip' is submitted 24hrs prior to the lesson and the lesson is to take place during a free period.



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Year 9 - Mr. Reading

Year 9 have continued with their RISE sessions in form time this week with a focus on respect and how we can help each other to grow. These are important sessions to deliver, particularly during a period of transition to a new school, as students learn how to develop positive friendships and treat others with respect.

This is an ongoing programme delivered by form tutors every Friday.

The trip to Blackwell Court is fast approaching. The deadline for payment on Parent Pay is Friday 30th September. I expect all students to attend as it is an important part of the Year 9 induction to St Augustine's and will be thoroughly enjoyable for all. We will be covering the cost for Pupil Premium students so please do follow the link on the previous letter if applicable.

For Blackwell Court, the year group will be split across the two days as we can only take a maximum of 120 students at a time. Please see the plan below:

Monday 3rd October:

9ABD

9GY

9HN

9ST

9RS surnames A-J

Tuesday 4th October:

9KB

9MU

9SR

9YG

9RS surnames K-W



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Year 10- Mrs Wright

I have continued to be delighted with the focused and mature approach that the vast majority of Year 10 students have begun this important year with. Mrs Meenaghan has reported that her 10Y4 English group are doing brilliantly and Miss Gayle is extremely pleased with both her Year 10 Maths classes - this feedback is fantastic and great to hear, well done to all the students who are working so hard and diligently.

Our extra-curricular timetable is now in full swing, please encourage your son/daughter to make the most of all the opportunities available to them this year. So far the majority of Year 10 uniform has been exemplary, however can I just remind you that any infringement - unless agreed otherwise by myself and supported with medical evidence - will result in immediate loss of social time until it is rectified. Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Wright



Head of Year Comments and Notices

Year 11- Mr Mill

Students should now be fully settled into Year 11 and their classes. As discussed in the Curriculum Evening last week, our fantastic intervention programme will commence from Tuesday 27th September. Students will have an individual letter inviting them to certain sessions. It may vary depending on whether it is Week B or Week A (September 26th is a Week B).

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries regarding intervention. Again, a polite reminder nose studs and hoodies are not permitted in school.

Mr Mill



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Stars of the Week

Business

Archie Habgood in Year 11.

PE

Evie Parker – Year 9 – Child's Play demonstrating high effort in lessons

Ismaeel Khan – helping to set up equipment in core PE and being a genuine helper

Science

Klaudia Wawrzynczyk

Charlotte Collier

James Nolan

Rabia Ahsan

Katie Bove

Jonah Grogan

CAREERS WORCS

CAREERS AND APPRENTICESHIP
ROADSHOW 2022

ARE YOU AGED 15-24 AND UNSURE
ABOUT WHAT TO DO AFTER LEAVING
SCHOOL OR WOULD LIKE TO FIND OUT
MORE ABOUT ALL OF YOUR OPTIONS?

THEN COME ALONG TO OUR
WORCESTERSHIRE CAREERS AND
APPRENTICESHIP ROADSHOW WHERE WE
WILL BE PROVIDING INFORMATION AND
ADVICE ON 6TH FORM, FULL TIME COLLEGE
COURSES, T-LEVELS, TRAINEESHIPS,
APPRENTICESHIPS, AND UNIVERSITY.



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The Careers and Apprenticeship roadshow will provide you with the opportunity to:

- Discuss your options and gather all of the information and support you require from our team of qualified careers advisers.
- Find out all about Apprenticeships, from level 2 all the way through to degree level and the huge range of job roles you can do an Apprenticeship in.
- Explore all of the career pathways available, from sixth form, to further education colleges, T-Levels, traineeships, apprenticeships and university courses.
- Meet with employers to find out more about their industry and the opportunities available in your local area.
- Find out about future careers events and the support that is available across Worcestershire.

The Careers and Apprenticeship roadshow will take place between 4.00pm and 8.00pm, there is no need to book, drop in at a time to suit you .

Wednesday 12th October
Worcester Warriors, Sixways Stadium, Warriors Way,
Worcester WR3 8ZE

If you are unable to attend the Careers and Apprenticeship roadshow and would like to speak to an advisor about your next steps, please give the team a call on **0300 666 3 666** or email **careersworcs@worcestershire.gov.uk**



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OPEN EVENING

Thursday 6th October 2022

5.00PM – 8.00PM



Principal's Address at 5.45PM, 6.30PM & 7.15PM

For more information, please see website: www.sta.magnificat.org.uk



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St Benedict's Catholic High School

Open Evening

Thursday 29th September 2022

5pm-7.30pm



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Opportunities

- Casual Exam Invigilators
- Teacher of Business

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www.magnificat.org.uk/vacancies

OPEN EVENING 2022



**ST THOMAS MORE
CATHOLIC FIRST SCHOOL**

God's Servant First

If you know anyone with a child due to start school in September 2023 or would like to come along and see our wonderful school, we would love to welcome you all.

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 19TH 2022
6PM**