

Parent Bulletin 18.09.26

Prayer

Heavenly Father,

You are loving, merciful and always ready to forgive us when we make mistakes. Help us to follow the example of Jesus by showing forgiveness to others, even when it is difficult.

Give us hearts filled with kindness, patience and compassion. Teach us to let go of anger, to seek reconciliation and to treat one another with respect.

Amen

Catholic Life

This week's Celebration of the Word focused on the Sunday's Gospel message: "How many times should I forgive?" Pupils were invited to reflect on the importance of forgiveness and were asked to consider how they can show forgiveness towards their peers in their daily interactions.

Preparations are also underway for our annual retreat programme. Mrs Rutter and Mrs Smith have been working hard to plan meaningful retreat experiences for all year groups over the coming months. The retreat dates are:

Year 7: 13th October 2026

Year 8: 20th April 2027

Year 9: 22nd June 2027

Year 10: 26th January 2027

Year 11: 3rd November 2026

Our Year 7 Welcome Mass will take place on Thursday 24th September at 2:00pm at St Mary's Church, Zetland Street, Dukinfield. This is an important milestone in the beginning of our Year 7 pupils' journey at All Saints Catholic College. Parents and carers are warmly invited to join us as we welcome our newest pupils into our school community.

Arbor Communication

Thank you to the many parents and carers who are now successfully using the Arbor School App. We recognise that there have been some issues with pupil email addresses following the changes we have made. There is a plan in place in school to support all pupils so that they can successfully access Arbor and their new email address.



Curriculum & Achievement

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who attended our Key Stage 4 Curriculum Evening last night. We hope that you found the evening useful and informative. It was fantastic to see so many families in attendance and to have the opportunity to share the improvements in both pupil outcomes and attendance. Strong partnerships between home and school are vital and we remain committed to working together to ensure every young person achieves their full potential.

Following feedback and requests from parents and carers, reading ages will now be included within data snapshots. We hope this additional information will help families provide targeted support for reading and learning at home.

Please use the QR code shared at the Curriculum Evening so that all parents, including those who were unable to attend, can access the information and resources that were shared.



Year 7 Curriculum Evening

We would like to invite all Year 7 parents and carers to our Year 7 Curriculum Evening on Thursday 1st October 2026 from 5:00pm to 6:00pm in the Main Hall. This important evening will provide key information to help support your child's learning, progress and success throughout their time at All Saints. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions and speak with members of staff.

Celebrating high attendance

Good attendance remains one of the strongest indicators of future success. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring pupils attend school every day and arrive punctually.

Forms with the Highest Attendance This Week

7 Romero – Ms Leighton

8 Kolbe – Mr Hussain

9 Kolbe – Ms Dawson

10 Kolbe – Ms Clegg

11 John Paul – Mrs McGrath

Top ASAPS (All Saints Achievement Points)

Year 7: Dylan T

Year 8: Eliot A

Year 9: Millie W

Year 10: Sam D

Year 11: Daisy B

Congratulations to all pupils recognised this week for demonstrating our school values and expectations.

Important Information

Open Evening

Our annual Open Evening will take place on Wednesday 7th October 2026 from 4:30pm to 7:30pm. To allow preparations for this important event, pupils will be dismissed at 1:00pm.

Flu Vaccinations

The NHS Immunisation Team will visit school on Thursday 30th September to administer the nasal spray flu vaccine. Parents and carers will shortly receive a consent link from the NHS.

Save the Dates

24th September - Year 7 Welcome Mass (2:00pm)

30th September - NHS Flu Vaccinations

1st October - Year 7 Curriculum Evening (5:00pm)

7th October - Open Evening (4:30pm to 7:30pm)

13th October - Year 7 Retreat

15th October- Curriculum evening years 8 and 9

23rd October - School closes for Half Term

Have a wonderful weekend!

Ms Gilligan