



# Pupil Bulletin (Week A)

## Saint Bede's Catholic High School

12th June 2023

### PRAYER THEME

#### Unconditional Love

### PRAYER

Father,  
you sent your Word  
to bring us truth  
and your Spirit to make us holy.  
Through them we come to know  
the mystery of your life.  
Help us to worship you,  
one God in three Persons,  
by proclaiming and living our faith in you.  
We ask you this, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
one God, true and living, for ever and ever.

**Amen**



### CHAPLAINCY

#### Trinity

The word 'Trinity' is very important in Christianity as it explains a key teaching about the way that Christians understand the nature of God. For Christians, God is trinity, that is, a tri unity or three united together. We call these persons, 'Father', 'Son' and 'Holy Spirit'.

A helpful way of explaining the Holy Trinity comes from the teaching of St Patrick. He used a shamrock to help. Although it is one plant, it has three separate leaflets -*correct terminology for the leaves* but «one» stem. So the Trinity is three separate parts to the same centre.

#### What does this mean for Christians?

The same is true of the Christian idea of the Trinity. The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit are separate but they are facets, faces, of the same God.

**God the Father**, the one who cares for us and loves us like a good father. He is the creator and sustainer of the world.

**God the Son**, Jesus, the one who was sent to earth as a human being in order to save humanity from itself. He is both fully God and fully human. He is the example of how to be.

**God the Holy Spirit**, the aspect of God present and working in the world. Like the wind, the Holy Spirit cannot be seen but the Spirit's power can be felt.

And so the three separate parts come together to create God. They are separate and yet work together and within one another.

## Word of the Week

### Eloquence

el/o/quence  
el-uh-kwuhns

Fluent or persuasive speaking or writing.

## Numeracy Challenge 35

Mr Binns is looking at a selection of results from a class test

**6, 10, 12, 14, 16**

Mr Binns works out the mean of four of the numbers and gets 11.  
Which number did he not use?

To enter the Numeracy Challenge complete the weekly test  
that is set on Firefly

## Year Notices

### Year 8

All week

Assessments (classroom based)

### Year 11

Wednesday

After school

Blackpool Sixth Excellence Academy Visit



## Clubs and Activities

### Lunchtime Activities

#### Monday

D of E drop in (Room 17)

Numbers Up Club - all welcome (Room 11)

Drama Year 10 catch up / homework and rehearsal (Hall)

Singers (Music Room)

#### Tuesday

Ukulele (Music Room)

Year 7 Homework Club with Mrs Tankard (Room 1)

### After-school Activities

#### Tuesday

Music Centre Band (4.00pm-4.45pm)

## Sport Clubs

The Rounders, Cricket Tournament and Fylde Coast Athletics will all take place in the next few weeks. Please attend practice if you want to be considered for selection.

| WC 12/06/23 | Lunch Time                  | After School Clubs    | Fixtures/Tournaments                     |
|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Monday      | NO SPORTS HALL DUE TO EXAMS |                       |  |
| Tuesday     | NO SPORTS HALL DUE TO EXAMS | Athletics (All Years) | Year 9/10 Rounders @ Rossall             |
| Wednesday   | NO SPORTS HALL DUE TO EXAMS | Cricket (All Years)   |  |
| Thursday    | NO SPORTS HALL DUE TO EXAMS | Rounders (All Years)  |  |
| Friday      | NO SPORTS HALL DUE TO EXAMS |                       | Year 9/10 Girls Cricket Tournament @ AKS |



The remaining exams and revisions sessions are listed below.

Pupils should be prepared for each session with the required books and equipment.

When pupils are not in exams or scheduled revision sessions they will attend normal lessons and should have required equipment and revision resources.

### GCSE Timetable 2023

| Week     | Date         | Session | Exam                                | Duration |
|----------|--------------|---------|-------------------------------------|----------|
|          | Sun 11 June  | 1-3pm   | English Revision                    | ONLINE   |
| <b>A</b> | Mon 12 June  | 9am     | English Language component 2        | 2h       |
|          |              | P3      | Business Revision                   |          |
|          |              | 1pm     | Business paper 2                    | 1h 45m   |
|          |              | P4/5    | Chemistry Revision                  |          |
|          | Tue 13 June  | 9am     | Combined Science: Chemistry paper 2 | 1h 15m   |
|          |              |         | Chemistry paper 2                   | 1h 45m   |
|          |              | P4/5    | Maths Revision                      |          |
|          | Wed 14 June  | 9am     | Mathematics calculator paper 3      | 1h 30m   |
|          |              | P3/4    | Music Revision                      |          |
|          |              | P3/4    | Physics Revision                    |          |
|          |              | 1pm     | Music listening component 1         | 1h 30m   |
|          | Thur 15 June |         |                                     |          |
|          | Fri 16 June  | 9am     | Combined Science: Physics paper 2   | 1h 15m   |
|          |              |         | Physics paper 2                     | 1h 45m   |
|          |              | P3      | Geography Revision                  |          |
|          |              | 1pm     | Geography paper 3                   | 1h 15m   |
|          |              | P4/5    | DT + Food Revision                  |          |
| <b>B</b> | Mon 19 June  | 9am     | Design & Technology component 1     | 2h       |
|          | Tue 20 June  | 9am     | Food Preparation & Nutrition        | 1h 45m   |

# Year 11

## Exam Timetable

| Date                | Morning session   | Afternoon session   |
|---------------------|---|---|
|                     | Register in Form then line up outside Sports Hall   | Register P4 (P5 Wed) then line up outside Sports Hall<br>If start time is <b>1.00pm</b> go directly to Sports Hall            |
| Monday<br>12 June   | English Language C2 (2h)<br>9.05am<br>SpHall/Access/Rm4                                   | Business P2 (1h 45m)<br>1.00pm<br>SpHall/Access   |
| Tuesday<br>13 June  | Comb Sc: Chemistry P2 (1h 15m)<br>Chemistry P2 (1h 45m)<br>9.05am<br>SpHall/Access/Rm4    |   |
| Wed<br>14 June      | Maths calculator P3 (1h 30m)<br>9.05am<br>SpHall/Access/Rm4                               | Music listening C1 (1h 30m)<br>1.00pm<br>Music Rm<br><br>Polish listening P1 (45m)<br>Polish reading P3 (1h)<br>1.00pm<br>Rm4 |
| Thursday<br>15 June | Exam Contingency Day – no exams will take place on this day unless we are notified by JCQ |   |
| Friday<br>16 June   | Comb Sc: Physics P2 (1h 15m)<br>Physics P2 (1h 45m)<br>9.05am<br>SpHall/Access/Rm4        | Geography P3 (1h 15m)<br>1.00pm<br>SpHall/Access  |



## General Notices

**Year 10 (Advance notice):** From **Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> June**, Year 10 pupils will have the privilege of being permitted to go into lunch first (with the exception of Year 11 pupils still sitting exams) and to go directly to the school buses without having to join the bus lines by the Qube.

**Pupils with additional tuition during the day:** If you have additional lessons during the school day e.g. for Music, Lamda or additional support, please report to your timetabled lesson first to ensure that you are marked in on the register.

**E-scooters:** In light of the current law concerning the use of e-scooters, it is not permitted to ride them to travel to and from school. The law states: *'Currently, electric scooters can only be used on private land with the land-owner's permission. It is effectively illegal to use them on public roads, on pavements, in cycle lanes and in pedestrian-only areas.'*

Mr Marsden

**Well done Year 11! We can now begin to see the finish line in the GCSE exam marathon – indeed this time next week the majority of you will have reached the end. Keep focused and working hard over these last few days, because of course the final papers could make all the difference. As Year 11 approach the very end of their time at Saint Bede's, today we have launched the recruitment process for our new Prefects, Senior Prefects and the Head Boy/Girl and their deputies for next year. Year 10, please read all the information on Firefly carefully. If you believe you can be that example of 'Being a Bede' and make a contribution to improving and leading the school, please apply. James, Maya, Charlie, Isabel and the 2022/23 team are going to be a difficult act to follow, but I know we are going to end up with a fantastic group.**

**Have a brilliant weekend in the sunshine (don't forget the sun cream!).**

**Mr Marsden**

