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Headteacher's Update – Friday 10th June 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Headteacher's Commendations

Congratulations to our recipients this week:

Rueben Bland (Year 7): Excellent effort in French

Elena Duffill, Penelope Hughes, Jessica Mitton, Bethany Sherlock (Year 8), Joshua Lawrie, Addison Smith (Year 10):

Compassion and kindness to another pupil

Ethan Cassidy, Nicholas Holton, Ethan Rimmer, Isaac Whall (Year 7), Daniel Crompton (Year 10): Academic Excellence in Science

Year 11 update

A busy third week of GCSE exams has concluded today with English Language and PE. Week 4 will begin with Maths on Monday morning (don't forget your calculators!) followed by Business Studies. Well done and thank you once again to all pupils for their continued hard work and exemplary conduct.

Primary Transition Activities

It is the time of year when our transition activities with feeder primaries are in full swing. Over the next fortnight, Year 6 Pupils who will be joining us in September will be visiting us for their induction day. We are also delighted to be welcoming groups of Year 5 pupils from some of our schools for Science and Technology days, which offer these pupils a first taste of life at Saint Bede's.

Assemblies

Throughout next week, we are fortunate to be able to welcome our local Police Community Support Officer, Gary Hickman, who will be delivering a series of assemblies entitled 'Choose Life not the Knife'. This important assembly has been delivered in other schools across the country in recent weeks. It aims to make young people aware of the implications of carrying knives and other offensive weapons, as well as how to report concerns if they know or suspect that someone is carrying one.

Term dates and holidays

Prior to the end of this term, we will publish our term and holiday dates for the 2023/24 academic year. Dates for the 2022/23 academic year were published earlier this year and are available on our website. Please remember that the school is unable to grant any requests for absences due to holidays during term time unless the circumstances are truly exceptional.

Have a lovely weekend.

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