

Monday 29 April



We were delighted to be led in our thoughts and prayers for the term ahead by Bishop Martin last week. He asked us to consider faith, love and hope for ourselves and for others over the term ahead. I share you with a prayer for the start of this term.

*May the glory and the promise of this joyous time of year  
bring peace and happiness to you and those you hold most dear.  
And may Christ, Our Risen Saviour,  
always be there by your side  
to bless you most abundantly and be your loving guide.  
Amen*

Over the weekend Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award students underwent training, testing their skills of managing a tent erection in the wind!

Good luck this week to our Year 11 students as they embark on the GCSE PE practical and Language Speaking examinations. I know just how hard they have been working in preparation.

Our most able Year 7 and 8 mathematicians undertake the Junior Maths Challenge on Tuesday, pitting their skills of logic and reasoning in a one hour test.

Thanks to 9D who before Easter were part of an international trial in Science and Mathematics. The school was selected to be one of those used for the international PISA tests, which compare the scientific and numeracy skills across countries. Thank you to them for facing the challenge and representing the school.

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