



# Saint John Wall Catholic School

## A Catholic School For All



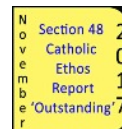
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# Weekly Information Bulletin



### Mission Statement

'To educate each and every unique child in our care to hear and respond to what God calls them to be'

### Catholic Life

#### "Journey in the Kingdom Of God"

Autumn Theme: 'Love Yourself'

Hail Mary, full of grace.

Our Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou among women,  
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, Pray for us sinners now, and at  
the hour of our death.

Amen

### Fixtures/Trips

- **Year 9 Boys Football v Holyhead (Away)**  
Monday 11 November - Return time 6pm
- **Year 11 Boys Football v Hamstead Hall (Away)**  
Tuesday 12 November - Return time 6pm
- **Year 7 Girls Football Tournament (Holyhead)**  
Wednesday 13 November - Return time 6pm
- **Year 9 Girls Netball v St Paul's (Home)**  
Wednesday 13 November - Finish time 4:30pm
- **Year 10 Girls Netball v St Paul's (Home)**  
Wednesday 13 November - Finish time 4:30pm

### Important Dates

- **Year 11 Mock 1 Examinations**  
Wednesday 6 November to Wednesday 13 November
- **Cross Curricular Day - Healthy Body/Mind**  
Tuesday 19 November
- **Year 11 2019 Leavers' Return for Afternoon Tea**  
Thursday 21 November - 3.30pm to 4.30pm
- **Year 7 Welcome Mass**  
Friday 22 November  
Year 7 parents welcome to attend from 1.40pm to 3.10pm
- **Year 9 Assessment Week**  
Monday 25 November to Friday 29 November
- **Year 11 Parents' Evening**  
Thursday 5 December - 4pm to 6pm
- **Year 9 Parents' Evening**  
Wednesday 11 December - 4pm to 6pm
- **General Election Day - School open to Year 11 only**  
Thursday 12 December
- **Christmas Holidays - School closes at 12.30pm**  
Thursday 19 December

### Remembrance

#### Collective Worship and Poppy Selling

By Miss Guest - Associate Assistant Principal

This week, pupils have been selling poppies during form, break and lunch times to raise money for the Royal British Legion.

Five Year 10 pupils also led collective worship with a focus on Remembrance. Mohammed Ehsan, David Lemvoka, Fritz Bayong, Shantae Mendy and Mishael Madubuko spoke about the importance and purpose of the poppy. Shantae read this thoughtful poem:

*I am not a badge of honour,  
I am not a racist smear,  
I am not a fashion statement to be worn but once a year,  
I am not glorification of conflict or of war.  
I am not a paper ornament or a token,  
I am more.  
I am a loving memory of a father or son,  
a mother, a sister or daughter each and everyone.  
I am paper or enamel,  
I am old or shining new,  
I am a way of saying thank you,  
to every one of you.  
I am a single poppy, a reminder to you all,  
that courage, faith and honour will stand where heroes  
fall.*

### Parent Pay

Please use the online system- Parent Pay, to give consent for your child to attend trips and also make payment for trips. If you do not have access to the Internet then the school office can produce a letter with a barcode for payments to be made at local shops which have the PayPoint symbol.

### Autumn Jesuit Values

Faith-filled and Hopeful

### Word of the Week

Logical

For something to be reasonable and based on good judgment.

Full newsletters will be published on:

Friday 29 November 2019

Thursday 19 December 2019

Friday 31 January 2020