



6-15 March
British Science Week 2020



We are pleased to announce that we have had a fun week celebrating British Science Week 2020 with the main theme being 'Our diverse planet.' The children have enjoyed lots of activities on this theme, with anything from biological diversity social diversity, to the diversity of knowledge and STEM careers.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

End of term

Friday 3rd April

Return to school from Easter

Monday 20th April

Year 10 Mocks

W/C 20th April

SEE OUR TERM DATES 2020-2021

www.st-benedicts.org/term-dates/



FOOD TECH: For Science week year 10 Food made delicious Lemon Meringue Pie showing Coagulation and Denaturation.

Important News from Food Tech

URGENT alteration to practical 8C and 8M.

Practical group 2 will cook for 8C on Thursday 26th March and 8M on Wednesday 25th March.

9F will all be making their Quiche Tues 24th March and their novelty cupcake sponge on Tues 31st March.

Year 7 practicals

Cooking Savoury Scone
7B Practical 1 - Wednesday 18th March
7B Practical 2 - Friday 27th March

Year 9 practicals

9A will be cooking their novelty cupcake sponge on Tuesday 24th March and Group A Decoration Tue 31st March and Group B Decoration Thur 2nd April.

7M Practical 1 - Monday 16th March

7M Practical 2 - Friday 27th March

Textiles Dept >>

Our Year 10 made some fantastic cushions for their mock Textiles exam last week.
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SPORTS NEWS

After School Sport Sessions and Matches

ALL PUPILS WELCOME TO ANY OF THE EXTRA SPORTS SESSIONS BELOW

Basketball All Years welcome - Thursday lunchtimes

Football Years 7 and 9 - Thursdays after school

Netball Year 9 and 10 Wednesday - After school

Football Year 9 Tuesday - MATCH at HOME VS AGS - After school

Netball Year 8 Tuesday - MATCH at Stratford School- After school

Netball Year 7 Monday - MATCH at AGS - After school

Sessions are run by our PE Department, if you would like your son or daughter to attend, please ask them to speak to their PE teacher for more information.

Sessions generally finish at 4.45pm. **Match times are confirmed on an individual basis.**



Heavenly Father, you have given all peoples one common origin, and your will is to gather them as one family in yourself. Fill the hearts of all women with the fire of your love and the desire to ensure justice for all.

Hear the prayers offered you by women throughout the world for an end to all division, and a human society built on love and peace.

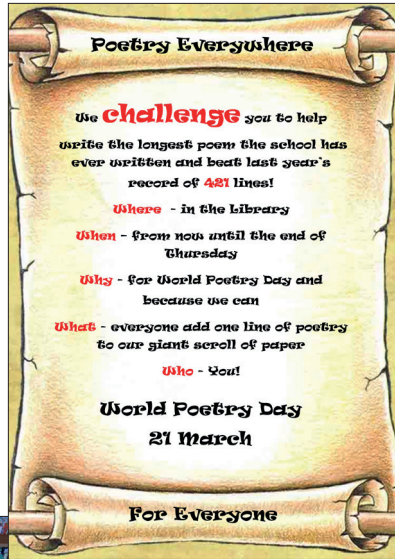
Amen.



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Poetry Challenge for World Poetry Day

We are aiming to write the school's longest poem again and beat last year's record of 421 lines, 2812 words and 16 metres. This will be in the library next week from Monday morning until the end of Thursday and everyone is invited to add a line of poetry to our giant scroll of paper.



Reading Week - As you can see from the photographs we had a fantastic response during Reading Week with students taking part in our Big Book Swap, Desert Island Books, The Reading Window, Big Booky Breaktime and World Book Day. Thank you to everyone who took part.



SIXTH FORM NEWS



COFFEE & QUIZ NIGHT

We're raising money for Samaritans to give people having a tough time somewhere to turn to when they need to talk.

£5 is all it takes to cover the cost of Samaritans answering a call for help.

When? Monday 30th of March 4:14pm-6:15pm

Where? Sixth Form Social Area

Entrance fee: £2 adults, £1 students/children

Refreshments: Hot & cold drinks and a variety of cakes. All ranging from £1.35. Take part in our quiz with five rounds full of fun. Create your team of 3-6 people. Achieve the grand prize by beating your competitors.

Smaller prizes for the runner ups. Join in with our tombola for only 25p per ticket or 5 for a pound.

We hope you can make it.

Sixth Form applications are now open for our new A Level and BTEC curriculum!

Deadline for applications 30 March 2020.

For more information you can contact the sixth form via email: sixthform@st-benedicts.org



Year 11 revision sessions next week

3.35pm to 4.30pm w/c 16th March

Monday:

RE (Room 13)
Health & Social Care &
Textiles (Room 27)
Computing (Room 6a)

Wednesday:

English (Rooms 2 & 3)
Spanish (Room 1 & 1a)
Music (Room 17)
Business (Room 6a)

Tuesday:

CANCELLED

Thursday:

Science
(Rooms 23 & 24)
History (Room 19)
Geography (Room 15)

This week's Author Event



On Tuesday a group of Year 8 students who are taking part in the Alcester Schools' Book Award, went to Alcester Academy for an author event. The author was Gary Toward who spoke about his books and writing and was very enthusiastic and inspiring. His latest book is set during WW1 and he brought lots of artefacts with him that we were all able to handle and look at.

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