



Saint Joseph's
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Achieving Excellence

Welcome



Let's reflect

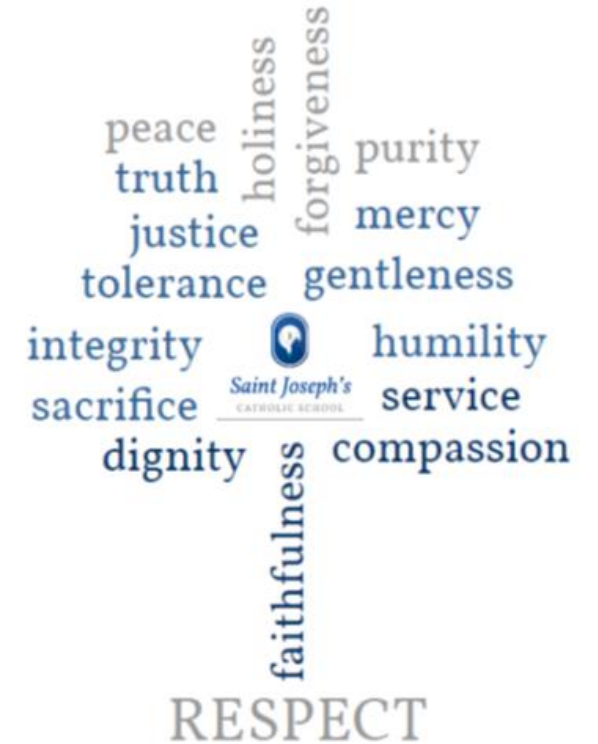
**Father, we pray
for knowledge and understanding
for teachers, pupils and parents.**

**We pray that you will be
with our teachers and pupils
as they start a new school year.**

**We pray that you will give pupils
tenacity as they seek for understanding
and new revelations in their studies.**

**Father we also pray for parents,
that they will support pupils by building
a closer working relationship with teachers and staff.**

This we ask in Jesus Name.





This evening...

- Curriculum developments
- Enrichment Opportunities
- Assessments, Exams & Study Skills
- Important Dates for the Year
- Reports & Parents' Evenings
- HW & Remote Learning
- Rewards
- Sanctions; centralised detentions
- Pupil Wellbeing & Mental Health





Curriculum developments

- Changes to the school day
- Switching morning and afternoon form times
- Lunchtime:
 - Yr7-9
 - Yr10 & 11
- Curriculum Structure: the technology carousel
 - Yr7 & 8
 - 2 week block of one subject
 - 11 lessons
 - Cycle runs three times a year
 - evens out as 1 lesson per week



Enrichment

- Assemblies & Values
- House Competitions
- Clubs
 - Sports
 - Subjects
- Trips and Learning Outside of the Classroom





Assessments, Exams & Study Skills

Assessments, Feedback & Progress

- Subject Specific Assessments – skills and content
- Stamp Marking
- Improvements made & recognised
- End of Year Exams & Preparing to Excel
- Revision Booklets
- Revision Timetables
- PHSE – Study skills



Reports & Parents' Evenings

- Keeping you informed on progress
- 3 Reports: Dec, April, July
- Foci identified
- Opportunity to contact teachers
- 1 Parents' Evening
- Online appointments
- Children present too!



HW & Remote Learning

Homework

- Homework Timetables - ensuring an even spread
- SMHW – keeping you updated:
 - Setting
 - Reporting on Submissions
 - Pupils forgot password? Single sign on!
- Supporting your child:
 - Homework Club
 - Problems? Tiered Approach to support

Remote Learning

- Teams
- Weekly Report





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Director of Learning Introduction & Message

Year 8 Achievement
points to date:

Vincent: 1471

Francis : 1338

Teresa: 1167

Margaret: 867

"Do Your Best
&
Mind Your
Manners!"



Important Dates for the Year

- 1st Reports:
 - 2nd half of December
- Parents Evening
 - Weds 23rd March





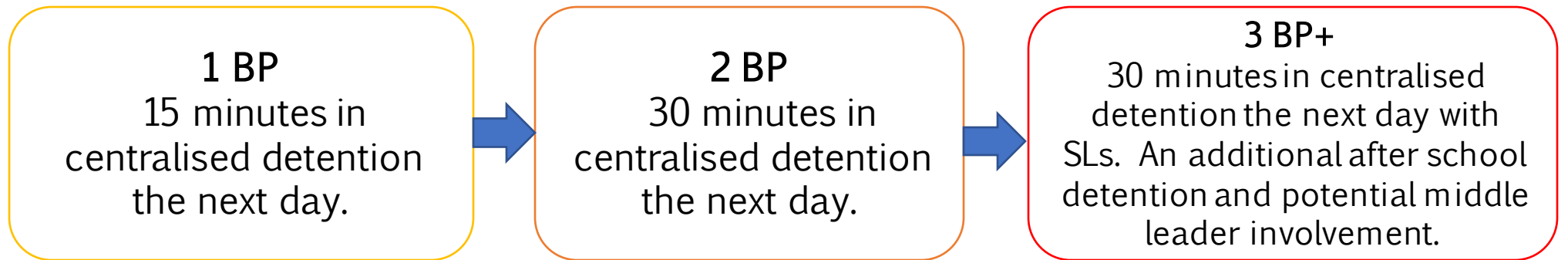
Rewards & Sanctions

- Rewards
- Achievement Points
- Weekly Recognition –
Form Times, Weekly
Raffle, Happiest Moment
of the Week
- Accumulative Rewards –
Trips!
- Sanctions
- The Strike System
- Behaviour Points
- Centralised
Detentions
- Further Interventions

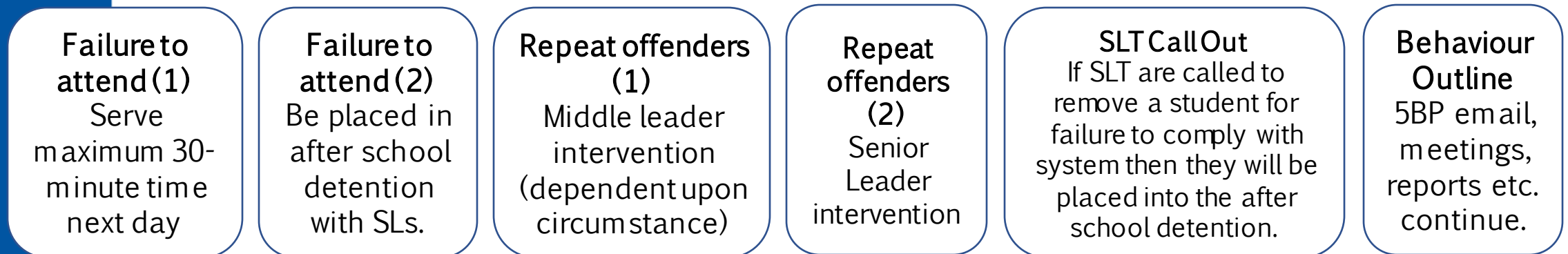


Structure

- The **strike system** remains in place for classroom management with clarification for all staff at start of term.



Escalation Procedures





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ANTI-BULLYING



We have a **zero-tolerance approach** to any form of bullying, race, gender or hate crime, social media, sexual violence or sexual harassment.

We use restorative approaches to support students to understand how actions and words can make others feel, and when things go wrong, how changing behaviours will help with understanding relationships and how to make them better.

Bullying at St Joseph's is defined as **Several Times On Purpose (STOP)** and where there is a clear imbalance of power.



Friends falling out, one-off incidents or disagreements are not bullying. The malicious, repeated targeting of a pupil is bullying.

All bullying allegations are investigated and classed as bullying or not. If they are recorded as bullying, they will be monitored in line with school policy, and will not be tolerated.



WE ARE HERE TO HELP

Our safeguarding team are here to listen and help with any issues involving your safety and wellbeing:



Mr. Bazen

Deputy
Headteacher /
Designated
Safeguarding
Lead (DSL)



Mrs. Ridley

Headteacher /
Deputy DSL



Mr. Bartel

Senior Leader
of Behaviour &
Attendance /
Deputy DSL



Mrs. Snell

Wellbeing &
Safeguarding
Officer /
Deputy DSL



Miss Brignall

Pastoral Manager
/ Deputy DSL



Pupil Wellbeing & Mental Health

Key emails and staff

Safeguarding@sjcs.org.uk

STOP@sjcs.org.uk

Pastoral Support at SJCS

Mental Health Support Team

Well-Being Developments and curriculum

Helpful resources/websites

- Mind.org.uk
- Anna Freud

Online Safety

- NSPCC
- Childnet
- UK Safer Internet



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Any Questions?

