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## SCHOOL AIM

“To provide a Christian environment in which young people are safe, secure, cared for and happy, and are able to develop into articulate, confident and well-qualified citizens of the world.”



## Diamond Attendance Award

Attendance at school is of the utmost importance, as it is strongly linked with good attainment and progress. At Trinity we recognise excellent attendance, and earlier this year we introduced special awards for students with 100% attendance; from Bronze for 1 year of 100% attendance, up to Platinum for 4 years of 100% attendance.

The most prestigious attendance award, Diamond, was awarded to two students, Aidan and Henry, who achieved 100% attendance throughout Years 7 - 11 - what a remarkable achievement! Aidan (pictured above) who is in our Sixth Form, was awarded with his special prize in an assembly before the end of last term. Congratulations to both Aidan and Henry - we hope other students aspire to this outstanding attendance record!

## Anti-radicalisation event

Last week, we welcomed performers from 'Odd Arts', a specialist theatre company who deliver programmes to schools, through sponsorship from the Home Office. The programmes aim to reduce hate, increase cohesion and reduce the risk of radicalisation. Our Years 7s witnessed the performance last week, and the interactive event even saw some participation from our students.



## Eucharist

Our Epiphany Eucharist took place last Wednesday and we were delighted to welcome back the Revd Richard Young from Holly Innocents, Fallowfield, to lead the service.



## Mock exam results

In the weeks leading up to Christmas, our Year 11s were working very hard to consolidate all of their learning, skills and knowledge as they sat their mock GCSE exams. We were very pleased to see the mature and responsible way students approached the exams.

Last Friday then saw our students receiving their results in special 'mock results day' assemblies, led by the Head of KS4, Mr Cann, and Deputy Head, Mr Westmoreland. The hard work clearly payed off for lots of students, which was evident through the abundance of smiling faces, but students were also able to recognise that efforts must improve if they are to reach their full potential. GCSE results for 2020 will be announced on Thursday, 20th August, and with the support of school staff and parents/carers at home, we are confident that there will be much to celebrate on this date!



## Hyde Road Roadworks

From late January 2020, Manchester City Council is undertaking a major widening scheme on Hyde Road. Manchester City Council has set up a dedicated website which will provide future updates on the scheme:



[https://secure.manchester.gov.uk/homepage/952/improvements\\_to\\_our\\_highways](https://secure.manchester.gov.uk/homepage/952/improvements_to_our_highways)

The scheme is expected to have a significant impact on traffic on and around Hyde Road which could affect the punctuality of local bus services including school services provided on behalf of Transport for Greater Manchester.

We will be working closely with Transport for Greater Manchester to monitor the punctuality of services to school and will keep you updated of any further developments.

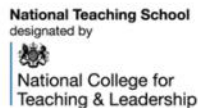
## And finally...

...some sporting news from Mr Bryan: "Our Year 9 boys' basketball team performed well against a very strong St Matthews team in the semi final of the Manchester Cup competition. After a determined and hardworking performance, they won 71 - 48. A fantastic achievement from the boys who can now look forward to their final."



Mr Julian Nicholls  
Head

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julian Nicholls'.



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