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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.”



Easter in Religious Education Lessons

From Head of Religious Education, Ms Bansal:

“This week, our KS3 students have been actively learning more about Holy Week and its significance to Christians. Students have been busy making palm crosses to mark Palm Sunday and have made Easter bunting and eggs to place in the Easter Garden. Our Easter Garden contains a range of items which are symbolic to Holy Week and has been used to help our students learn about Jesus, and how he died for us and rose into Heaven. Our Year 9 students were then treated to a chocolate Easter egg! In the top left photo, some students can be seen on our Green Roof with Year 9 Senior Tutor, Mr Carter.”

Extra-curricular sporting activities

It has been great to see a return to a wide range of extra-curricular sporting activities in school over the past few weeks - including football, basketball, netball, table tennis and dance.

In the last 7 days, we have had a total of **416** students taking part in extra-curricular activities! This is a fantastic way for our students to improve both their physical and mental well-being by allowing learning to continue outside the classroom.



Trinity Anniversary Concert

From Head of Music, Ms Brown: "On Wednesday, 31st March, we released our Anniversary concert online. Congratulations are due to all involved in putting together a fabulous concert with just two weeks of face-to-face rehearsal. Special thanks to the One Education Music team who ensured that our instrument tuition continued throughout lockdown. We hope that next year we will be back at the RNCM for a live concert." Please check out the website and our social media pages to watch the concert!



Eco-Council

From the Chaplain, Revd Dr Birkinshaw: “Congratulations to members of the school’s Eco-Council who were addressing members of the Diocese of Manchester Synod. The students were asked to answer the question ‘What would you ask the Church to do to help with the climate crisis?’ Their responses – which were well-informed, articulate and inspiring – included the call ‘to install community gardens, pressure global industries to reduce the release of toxic fumes, fund climate-change charities, stop using plastic cups for Holy Communion, and stop eating so much meat.’ Mr Dootson, leader of the school’s Eco-Council praised the students’ videos saying, “I admire the students who are putting into practice their belief that ‘perfect practice is the journey to success.’” The Eco-Council are continuing to look at projects around school to develop the school’s knowledge around climate change.”

The video is available to watch here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=axEF1OyYwrk>



Lateral Flow Testing at Home

We are encouraging families to continue with the at home testing arrangements over the Easter break. If any student does receive a positive test results, please e-mail our Student Services Manager, Ms Laming, as soon as possible - laming_a@trinityhigh.com

Full details about the lateral flow testing arrangements can be found on the school website:

www.trinityhigh.com/covid-19/lateral-flow-testing/

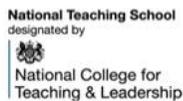
And Finally...

...last week marked the one year anniversary since we first went into lockdown in March, 2020. We recognised this by joining in with the national one minute's silence at 12.00noon on 23rd March, 2021, to remember and reflect.

With spring certainly in the air this week, we are looking forward to the rest of the academic year in school. We would like to give thanks to our whole school community for their support as all students returned to school earlier this term. We hope everyone has a safe, relaxing and enjoyable Easter break, and we look forward to welcoming you back to school from Monday, 19th April, 2021, for the start of the summer term.



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