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Head Teacher's Weekly Update

Dear Families,

I hope this letter finds you and your families well. As we near the end of another eventful week at St Wilfrid's RC College, I wanted to share some highlights and updates with you.

Visitors from Local Industry



Pupils have had the brilliant opportunity to learn more about apprenticeships in the local area. Representatives from Nissan visited school to speak with a cohort of pupils regarding apprenticeship opportunities that they can offer them.

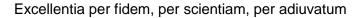
Year 11 Parents' Evening

We look forward to welcoming our Year 11 families into school on Monday the 20^{th} of January. Key information can be found here: <u>Y11 Parents' Evening</u>

Arrangements for Parents' Evenings

- School will close at 2:15pm to all pupils
- The School Buses will arrive early on these dates
- Parents can arrive on site from 2:30pm for a 2:40pm start
- Car parking will be available
- Please ensure you have booked your appointments through School Cloud





SORA App- Free Books for all Pupils

All pupils at St Wilfrid's have access to SORA- an online e-book platform. This app has thousands of books available to read and listen to including non-fiction and a range of text types like magazines or graphic novels. Information about how to access this great resource can be found by clicking the following link: <u>SORA</u>.

Bishop Chadwick Awards

Pupils are encouraged to nominate members of the St Wilfrid's Staff community for one of our Trust awards. It would be fabulous to see as many St Wilfrid's members of staff nominated as possible! Please encourage your child to nominate those members of staff who go the extra mile in supporting them in school: <u>BCCET Awards</u>

Jubilee- Pilgrims of Hope



The Jubilee Year 2025, is a special Holy Year of grace, renewal, and spiritual reflection. With the theme "Pilgrims of Hope," it invites the faithful worldwide to deepen their faith, seek reconciliation, and engage in acts of mercy. Key highlights include pilgrimages to Rome, the opening of the Holy Door in St. Peter's Basilica, and various events promoting unity and hope. As a Catholic school community, we will be celebrating the jubilee with different events in school. We look forward to launching the jubilee with the opening of our own

Holy Door in school next week. If you would like to learn more about the Jubilee, please click the link to visit the website for our Diocese: <u>Jubilee 2025</u>

If you have any queries or your child requires any support, please do not hesitate to get in touch with our Heads of House:

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Best Wishes,

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