

NEWSLETTER

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Resilience Honesty

Respect

Responsibility

Aim High

Team Spirit



Student Of The Week

7LA	I.Casimiro	9LQ	D.White
7SA	M.Jordan	10L	C.Tildsley
7CB	N.Nowicka	10RH	C.Whitmarsh
8MS	S.Hankin	11GG	A.Smith-Underwood
8AC	T.White	11RS	A.Nicholls
8CL	F.Brinkley	11SC	E.Molyneux
9JO	R.Piling		
9RF	L.Albertina		



Ashley Action!

♥ **Year 13 Students Learn How to Save Lives** Year 13 students have successfully completed training in essential life-saving skills. They are now trained in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), which is used when a person stops breathing or their heart stops beating. They also learned how to use the recovery position to safely help an unconscious person until medical professionals arrive. This important, hands-on training gives our students the confidence and ability to act quickly and efficiently in a real emergency.

🌱 **Gardening Group Gets Festive at Bents** The Year 11 Gardening Group visited Bents Garden Centre to learn about gardening supplies and also enjoyed seeing the Christmas display! They looked at different sections of the centre to see the essential items needed for planting, including: Tools: Seeing all the different spades, trowels, and equipment. Soil: Learning about the various types of compost and mixes. Pots and Containers: Checking out the many types of containers for plants. A highlight of the trip was exploring the incredible Christmas items, decorations and festive displays that Bents is famous for! The trip gave them a good, practical look at materials for their projects, plus some festive cheer.

🍰 **Culinary Success: Raspberry Tart Triumph!** A huge well done to one of our talented Year 10 students who successfully completed their Home Cooking Skills assessment. Their final dish, a beautiful and delicious Raspberry Tart, demonstrated excellent technique and attention to detail. Congratulations on a superb achievement!

🏀 **Dodgeball Excitement for Year 9 PE** Year 9 students had a blast in their recent PE lessons, tackling the fast-paced game of Dodgeball! This popular activity helps students develop important physical skills, such as agility, speed and hand-eye coordination. It also required them to work closely in teams, focusing on communication and quick strategy to succeed. Everyone showed excellent sportsmanship and had a fun, high-energy session getting a great workout.

💻 **Creative Coding: Sprites Move with Costumes** ICT students in 9LQ are learning an exciting way to make their characters move by using costumes! They are discovering that by quickly switching between different images (costumes), their digital characters look like they are walking or running. This fun, creative technique helps them learn about the important role of timing and sequencing in programming, making their projects look much livelier.



Skills Builder Challenge – Staying Positive

Think of one person each day you can say something kind to, perhaps you could give them a compliment, say thank you or give them some encouragement.

Think about how you will deliver this message. Will you tell them in person or write it down?



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