

# Important Information

## Theme of the Week : Pilgrims of Hope

A community is built on support, kindness, and care. As Pilgrims of Hope, we journey together, helping those in need, welcoming others, and offering forgiveness. Through small acts of compassion and unity, we create a stronger, hopeful community where everyone feels valued

## Road Safety on Ormerod Road

Drivers should not stop in bus lanes on Ormerod Road as this causes delays and safety risks. Pupils must avoid crossing behind parked buses, wait for a safe crossing point, and ensure they can see traffic and be seen by drivers.

## Mental Health Support Team

The Mental Health Support Team has introduced its services through assemblies. Referrals can be made via Year Leaders. Support includes CBT, anxiety, depression, sleep and behaviour issues, with one-to-one, group and parent sessions available. Regular webinars are also published online. Assemblies this week.

## Allergy Awareness

Benedict's Law requires schools and parents to work together to manage allergies safely. Keep allergy information and emergency plans updated, inform the school of changes, and help children understand triggers, recognise symptoms, avoid allergens, and seek help when needed.

## Y11 Geography Fieldwork

GCSE Geography fieldwork allows students to investigate real-world geographical issues through surveys, observations and measurements in human and physical environments. They collect and analyse data, identify patterns, and draw conclusions. Fieldwork trips will take place from Tuesday to Friday this week

## Leadership Opportunities

Pupils will elect Form Representatives this week, with the School Council confirmed by 18 September. Council members can influence school decisions, organise events, meet community leaders, and develop leadership skills that support applications for senior student leadership roles

## Dates for the diary

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup>** - Year 7 and 11 photographs, KS3 Mission Leader meeting.

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> - Friday 18<sup>th</sup>** - Year 11 Field trips.

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup>** - Year 7 Mission Leader interviews.

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup>** - Year 7 Parent drop-in; Year 11 Blackburn College Open Evening.

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup>** - Burnley College Open Evening

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup>** - PSHE Enrichment Day; Year 9 Road Safety Assembly

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup>** - Year 11 Nelson and Colne College Open Day

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup>** - Year 11 Exam Information Evening

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup>** - Year 7 Retreat 01