



Student Notices

**Week beginning;
16th September 2024**



Prayer

Dear Lord, we pray that you would give us strength to be strong for You in the world today.

Lord, you know the struggles that we will face today.

Be with us as we go through them.

Carry us if we are too weak to move.

If we stumble in them, forgive us Father.

When we succeed in them, we will praise You!

You are worthy of all praise and honor.

Amen

St Michael – Pray for Us

All the Angels and Saints – Pray for Us

Assemblies this Week

Theme: Our House Saint/Blessed – What is a Salesian? – St Michael's House System

Catholic Social Teaching Links: Dignity of Humanity and Peace

Tuesday AM – Mazzarello







Tuesday PM – Rua

Wednesday AM – Savio

Wednesday PM – Bosco

Thursday AM – DaCosta

Thursday PM – Vicuna

Name of House:	Saint John Bosco (BC)	Saint Mary Mazzarello (MA)	Saint Dominic Savio (SA)	Blessed Laura Vicuna (VI)	Blessed Michael Rua (RU)	Blessed Alex Maria Da Costa (DA)
Saint / Blessed of House:						
Head of House:	Ms Roshier	Miss Casey	Mr Burton	Miss Cumber	Mr Ferguson	Ms Stewart
SLT Link	Mr Burke	Ms Keane	Mr Kelly	Ms Rughooputh	Ms Roberts	Mr Magnoff

God will reward or punish every person for what he has done. Some people live for God's glory, for honour, and for life that has no end. They live for those things by always continuing to do good.



House Competition!



Google Classroom

Congratulations to **Mazzarello House** for winning the first House Competition of the year! **1000 House Points!**



You can still join your house by using the code below!

<u>House</u>	<u>Number of Members</u>
Mazzarello	135
Savio	120
Rua	74
DaCosta	63
Bosco	47
Vicuna	22

House	Google Classroom Code
Bosco (BC)	c3xl2vj
Rua (RU)	tz5rxt6
Savio (SA)	sizwhrd
Mazzarello (MA)	kwy2qfd
Da Costa (DA)	anvr6tr
Vicuna (VI)	jbn4ufj



Tutor Board House Competition

Is your class tutor board up-to-date?

On **Friday 20th September** there will be a house competition to find the tutor group with the best tutor class board!

Your tutor board should clearly display which house you belong to, reflect the Salesian values of RUAH and Catholic Social Teaching at St Michael's and have something personal about the tutor group!

Each House Captain should take responsibility for getting the tutor board ready, with help from the rest of the form class!

1st Place -1000 House Points
2nd Place – 500 House Points
3rd Place – 200 House Points

Tutor boards must include at least all of the below;

- Year group/Reg group sign
- House Saint Picture
- Liturgic Calendar 2024-2025
- Chaplaincy Events schedule 2024-2025
- Safeguarding poster
- RUAH Values poster
- School Prayer
- Lesson expectations poster



Student Council Meeting Training – Friday 20th Sept



All those elected to represent their tutor group from each year group on the student council should meet in the **main hall** on **Friday 20th September** at **8.40am** for training on their role this year.

Student
Council



Music Clubs – Autumn Term 2024



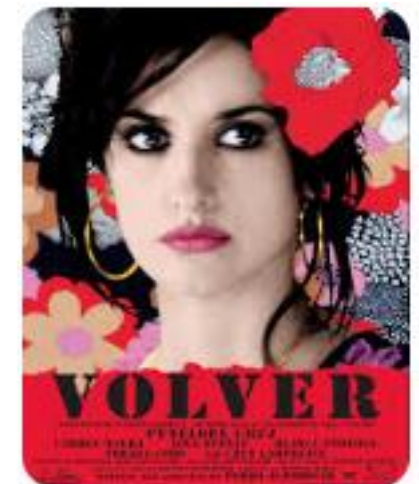
Start from 16th September

<u>Monday</u>	12.30-1.00pm - 12.15-12.45pm - 3.30-4.25pm -	String group (F23) Yr.7-9 Keyboard club (F22) Yr.7 Yr.10 GCSE club (F22)
<u>Tuesday</u>	12.15-12.45pm- 1.30-2.10pm- 3.30-4.00pm -	Ukulele group Yr.7 (F22) <i>sign up in music dept</i> Senior winds Yr.10-13 (F23) Brass group Yr. 7-10 (F23)
<u>Wednesday</u>	12.30-1.10pm- 12.15-12.45pm- 1.15-1.45pm-	Yr.9 Band (F23) Yr.7 Choir (F23) <i>sign up in music dept</i> Guitar group (F22)
<u>Thursday</u>	8.00-8.30am- 12.30-1.10pm- 1.30 -2.10pm- 1.15-1.45pm-	Choir -Yr. 8-13 (F22) Junior Band (F23) Yr.10 Band (F23) Yr. 10/11 GCSE singers (F23)
<u>Friday</u>	12.15-12.45pm- 12.30-1.10pm- 1.30-2.10pm- 3.30-4.30pm-	Yr.8 Choir (F23) Samba Band Yr7-9 (F22) <i>sign up in music dept</i> Yr10-13 Wind Band(F22) Yr.11 GCSE class (F22)



MFL Film Club

Every Monday 2nd 1/2 4A from 12.45pm
NS5





Games Club

EVERY TUESDAY 4A
LUNCHTIME



ROBIN HOOD



Do you love Drama? Are you in Years 7-9?

Do you want to be in a show?

Come and audition for the KS3 Christmas Panto!

Thursday 19th September- 15.45 in G25



Join The Sixth Form Chaplaincy Team

The sixth form chaplaincy has grown from strength to strength the last few years, raising thousands of pounds for lots of worthwhile charities, as well as giving back to the local and college community in many forms, including making Hampers, instilling displays and artworks for different events, hosting world religious festivals, collecting for local Irish pensions just to name a few. Alongside the physical faith in action, they have led lots of incredible liturgies, assemblies, represented the school in a wide range of Masses and services, prayer groups and much more.

There is also a chance to be one of our official CAFOD representatives, there are 7 places available for this.

Our first event you will be able to support with is our annual St Michael's Day celebrations on Thursday 26th September after school.



If you are interested in applying and enhancing your College experience please email sign up via this link - <https://forms.gle/KGgfJghtjHCqdhV36>

Miss Casey can be found in F30 or F25 if you have any other questions.

Closing date – Closing date is Thursday 19th September.





Apply here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1SQp1gBPQEiA9iP104YssOXfjt1NQp9A6kkutDpA5o4/edit>

Diversity & Inclusion at St. Michael's

Creating a community that embraces all of our students



Deadline:

Mon 16th Sep

**Recruiting in Years
7, 9 + 12**

Become a
Diversity Ambassador!

Make the world a better
place



Parent/Pupil Curriculum Evenings



It is extremely important that you and your parents attend the curriculum evening to ensure you have all of the necessary information for this academic year. Please see your leader of learning if you have any questions.

Year 7 – Thursday 19th September – 5pm – Main Hall



Mass

8am

Friday mass continues this week in the chapel from 8am – all welcome!
11RU will be running mass this year



Berlin 2024 – Year 12

Monday 17th – Wednesday 19th February 2025



Year 12 students are invited to attend a residential visit to Berlin to discover the history of this significant European city.

The total cost for this trip will be £600 with a deposit of £200 required via ParentPay by Friday 4th October 2024. 30 places available.

- **To go on this trip you must have an excellent behaviour and attendance record**
- Students studying History and or Government and Politics will have priority then all other students in Year 12
- Valid Passport expiring 6 months after return date
- Breakfast, Dinner, flights, accommodation and entry to all activities included



Sample Itinerary Day 1 –

Flight to Berlin from London City Airport
 Berlin Unterwelten
 East Side Gallery
 Alexanderplatz
 Check-in hotel
 Evening dinner

Sample Itinerary Day 2

Breakfast in Hotel
 The Berlin Wall Documentation Centre
 Reichstag
 Brandenburg Gate
 Soviet War Memorial Tiergarten
 Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe
 Fuhrer Bunker
 Lunch
 The Stasi Prison – Hohenschoenhausen
 Evening Activity – TV Tower
 Evening dinner – Italian

Sample Itinerary Day 3

Breakfast in Hotel
 Treptow Park Soviet Memorial
 Checkpoint Charlie
 Cold War Museum
 Meet coach back at hotel
 Flight home to London City Airport



Brussels/Bruges, Belgium

Year 10

Thursday 20th – Sunday 23rd February 2025



Students going on this trip must have excellent behaviour, attendance and punctuality.

You must have a valid passport with at least 6 months after returning to the UK.

A deposit of £200 should be paid on ParentPay by Friday 4th October 2024.

45 places are available.



Sample Itinerary Day 1 –

Coach/Ferry/Train to Brussels
Check-in hotel
Evening dinner
Explore local area

Sample Itinerary Day 2

Breakfast in Hotel
Visit Bruges
Boat trip on canal
Chocolate museum
Lunch
Walking tour
Diamond museum
Return to Brussels
Evening dinner

Sample Itinerary Day 3

Breakfast in Hotel
St Michael's Cathedral
Visit European Parliament – guided tour
Lunch
Mannekin Pis
Atomium observation deck
Evening dinner

Sample Itinerary Day 4 –

Breakfast in Hotel
Visit Mini Europe
Coach/Train/Ferry home



Florence, Italy

Year 8



Monday 26th May – Thursday 29th May 2025

St Michael's is linking up with **Istituto Salesiano Firenze Istituto**, a Salesian school in Florence, Italy.

30 students from Florence will be visiting and taking part in lessons at St. Michael's in November 2024.

30 of our students will then travel to Italy and spend time at their Salesian school. The opportunity is open to students in **Year 8!**

First preference will be given to those students participating in Faith in Action/Chaplaincy but anyone in Year 8 can apply.

If you are interested, please speak to your parents, a letter has been sent on Edulink. There are 30 places available.

Your parents will then need to pay a deposit of £200 via ParentPay to confirm your interest by Friday 4th October.

Remember, you must also have a good behaviour record and excellent attendance to be accepted on to any residential trips.

The Italian students will be staying in a hotel, not at your home.





Rome, Italy

Year 9



July 2025 (Dates TBC) – 4 days/3 nights - £700

You must have a valid up-to-date passport with it expiring at least 6 months after returning to the UK

Deposit paid via ParentPay: £200 due by Friday 4th October 2024

(40 places available, first come first served and based on behaviour and attendance)

Sample Itinerary

Day 1
Flight from London to Rome
Visit Basilica of St Paul
St Peter's Square by night

Day 2
Colosseum visit
Roman Forum visit
Mouth of Truth
Pantheon
Trevi Fountain
Spanish Steps

Day 3
St Peter's Square
Vatican Museum + Sistine
Chapel
Castel Sant Angelo
Lunch
St Peter's Basilica

Day 4
St Sebastian Catacombs
Flight from Rome to London
*Mass depending on the day





Enrichment Trip – Year 7

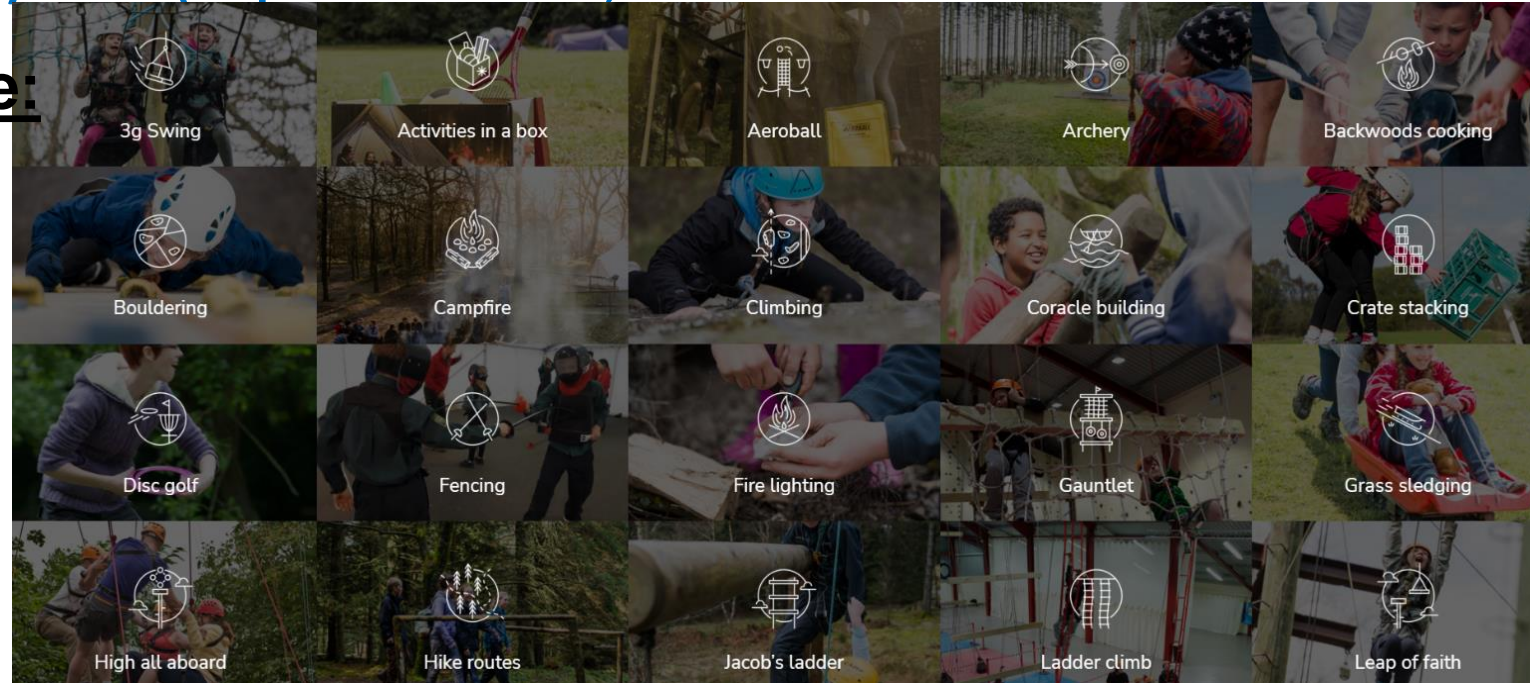


Weekend Residential at Gilwell Park, Epping, London – (11th – 13th TBC) July 2025 – £300

Deposit paid via ParentPay: £100 (50 places available, first come first served and based on behaviour)

Activities include:

- 3g Swing
- Aeroball
- Archery
- Campfire
- Climbing
- High all aboard
- Hike routes
- Jacob's ladder
- Leap of Faith



Breakfast Club Reminder

Breakfast club is running from 8am every morning from the **main canteen!**

All students can get **free** porridge and/or toast +

Free fruit now available at the request of the Student Parliament

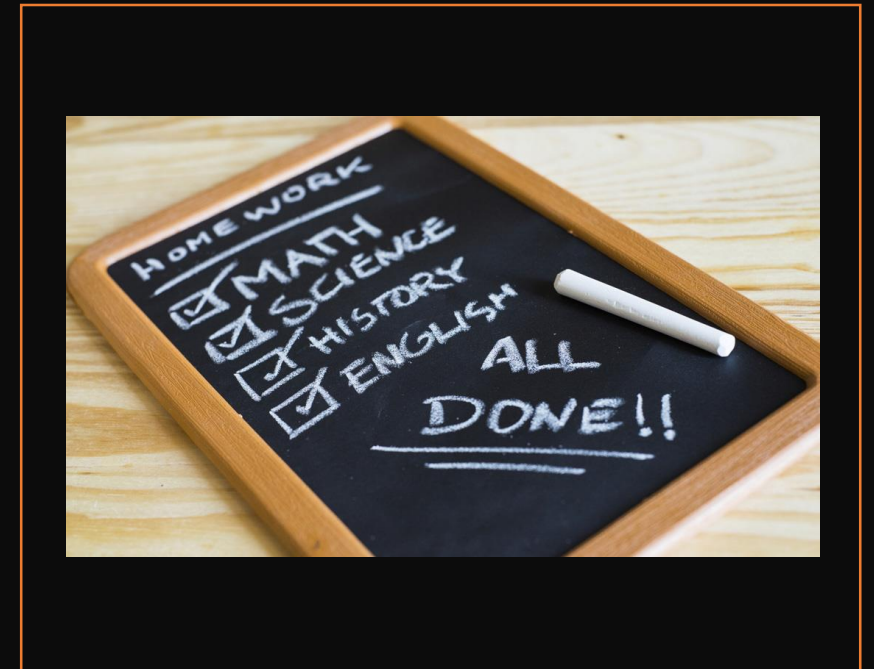


Homework Club

KS3 Homework club continues
this week in G20

8am – 8.30am
and
3.30pm – 4.30pm

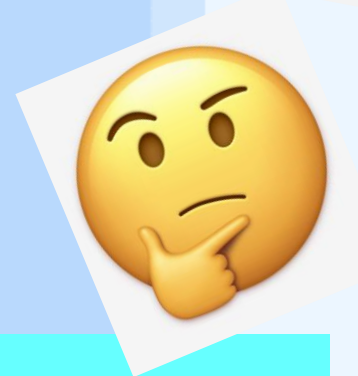
Limited spaces available!



Debate society: KS3

Enjoy, argue, learn

Challenge, speak, think



ROOM: S21

**Wednesday: 4a Lunch (second half of lunch from 12.45)
With Mr Devine & Mr Zanella**

Speak up!

Interesting topics!

Passionate
about debating?



PE Sports Clubs from Monday 9th Sept



	MORNING CLUB 7:30am – 8:20am	4A LUNCH CLUB 12:15 – 13:15	4B LUNCH CLUB 13:15 – 14:15	AFTER SCHOOL CLUB 15:30 – 16:30
MONDAY	KS4 FOOTBALL (ASTRO) MLA	KS3 RUNNING CLUB (OFF SITE) CWE	KS4 BASKETBALL (SPORTS HALL) MLA	GIRLS BASKETBALL KS4/5 (SPORTS HALL HALF) MLA KS3 TRAMPOLINING (SPORT HALL HALF) TPA
TUESDAY	ALL GIRLS BASKETBALL (SPORTS HALL) MLA	KS3 DODGEBALL (SPORTS HALL HALF) KRO GIRLS FUTSAL (SPORTS HALL HALF) MLA KS3 GAMES CLUB Ryan		YEAR 7 FOOTBALL (ASTRO) MLA KS3 BADMINTON (SPORTS HALL) CHI
WEDNESDAY		TABLE TENNIS (SPORTS HALL HALF) MLA BADMINTON (SPORTS HALL HALF) MLA	KS4 DODGEBALL (SPORTS HALL) MLA	YEAR 8/9 FOOTBALL (ASTRO) MLA KS4 TABLE TENNIS (SPORTS HALL) HBR
THURSDAY		KS3 BASKETBALL (SPORTS HALL) MLA	KS4 GAMES CLUB (G26 – HALL) MLA	KS4/5 BASKETBALL (SPORTS HALL) KRO
FRIDAY		KS3 GIRLS GET ACTIVE GROUP (GAMES AND JUST DANCE) MLA		SIX FORM SPORTS MLA



Clubs/Societies Timetable





Open Evening

Open evening is on
Monday 30th September 2024 from
4pm – 7pm

If you would like to help out please
speak to a subject Head of
Department





Year 11 Study Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week A	Science	History	RE	English	Options
Week B	Science	Geography	MFL	Maths	Options

Week B



House Point Total as of 16/09/2024



Mazzarello – 2612 Points

Savio – 2290 Points

Rua – 1490 Points

Vicuna – 1286 Points

Da Costa – 1359 Points

Bosco – 1233 Points



St Michael's Catholic College Chaplaincy Events Calendar 2024-2025



<u>September 2024</u>	<u>October 2024</u>	<u>November 2024</u>	<u>December 2024</u>	<u>January 2025</u>	<u>February 2025</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Yr7 Welcome Mass ● Google classroom sign up competition ● Election of House Captains ● Election of Student Council ● Student Council Training Day ● Form Tutor board House Competition ● Prayer Table House Competition ● Year 7 Gideons assembly ● Open evening/morning ● Diocesan Beginning of Year Mass ● World Alzheimer's Month ● Cycle to School Week ● St. Michael's Day – CAFOD Fundraising event 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Month of the Rosary ● Feast of Blessed Alexandrina DaCosta ● National Poetry Day ● Soap Run ● Launch of Harvest Festival Southwark Food bank collection ● Black History Month House Competition ● Rosh Hashanah ● Yom Kippur (Jewish) ● Names for remembrance scroll ● Youngminds wear yellow day (10/10/24) ● World Teachers Day ● Harvest Family Fast Day ● Southwark Foodbank Harvest Appeal ● Recycle Week ● Yr12/13 Madrid Trip ● Year 7 Retreat ● Year 12 Retreat ● Charity Week – DA COSTA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All Saints' Day ● Diwali ● All Souls' Day – display remembrance scrolls in chapel ● Italian Exchange Students visit St Michael's ● Table Tennis House Competition ● Anti-Bullying Week ● Feast of St Andrew ● Talent Show House Competition ● Guru Nanak (Sikh) ● Christmas Card competition launch ● Year 12 Retreat ● 6th Form open evening ● Spelling Bee House Competition ● Remembrance Sunday ● Christ the King ● Year 8 Retreat ● Charity Week- RUA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Immaculate Conception ● World Aids Day ● Senior Citizens Hampers ● Christmas end of term service ● Christmas Jumper House Competition ● Christmas Dinner ● Christmas Doors House Competition ● Advent begins ● Hannukah (Jewish) ● End of Term Rewards Assemblies ● Year 11 Retreat 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Epiphany ● Feast of Blessed Laura Vicuna ● Feast of St John Bosco ● House Dance Competition ● Launch of Upcycle challenge (DT) ● Holocaust memorial awareness House Competition ● Racial Justice Sunday ● Lunar New Year ● Year 13 Retreat ● Year 9 Retreat ● Charity Week – BOSCO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Berlin (Yr12) ● Brussels (Yr10) ● LGBTQ+ History Month ● Upcycle challenge presentation (DT) ● Basketball House Competition ● Lunar New Year ● Safer Internet Day ● CAFOD Family Fast Day ● Ramadan Begins ● Charity Week – VICUNA



St Michael's Catholic College Chaplaincy Events Calendar 2024-2025



<u>March 2025</u>	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>May 2025</u>	<u>June 2025</u>	<u>July 2025</u>	<u>To be scheduled</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Lent begins ● Shrove Tuesday ● Ash Wednesday ● Reconciliation services begin ● Feast of St David ● World Book Day ● Holi ● Purim ● World Poetry Day ● International Women's Day ● Feast of St Patrick ● Feast of St Oscar Romero ● Mothering Sunday ● Earth Hour ● Science Week ● Victims of Slavery and the transatlantic Slave Trade Assembly ● Lent Charity Friday's ● Easter Liturgy ● Eid al Fitr ● End of Term Awards Assemblies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Earth Day ● Stephen Lawrence Day ● Feast of St George ● Poetry by Heart House Competition ● Chess House Competition ● Cultural Exchange Project visit from Salesian Institute of Florence ● World Autism Awareness Day ● Passover begins ● Holy Week ● Easter Sunday ● Charity Week – SAVIO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Month of Mary ● Yr13 Reflection service ● Feast of St Dominic Savio ● Feast of St Mary Mazzarello ● Ascension ● Feast of Mary Help of Christian ● Indoor Rowing House Competition ● Cultural Exchange Project visit to Salesian Institute of Florence (Yr8) ● Eurovision House Competition ● Mental Health Awareness Week ● Feast of the Most Holy Trinity Sunday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pride Month begins ● Pentecost ● Yr11 Reflection service ● Year 11 Prom ● Year 13 Leavers Event ● World Environment Day ● Corpus Christi ● World Refugee Day ● Feast of St Peter and St Paul ● Tug-of-war House Competition ● Shavuot (Jewish) ● Sports Awards Evening ● Islamic New Year ● Charity Week – MAZZARELLO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Rome Trip (Yr9) ● <u>Gilwell</u> Park Trip (Yr7) ● Showcase 2025 ● Yr10/12 Work Experience ● Careers and Enterprise Week ● Careers Fair ● Arts & Enrichment Week ● Sports Day 2025 ● Nelson Mandela Day ● International Day ● Summer School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● CERN Trip (Science Yr12) TBC



Movement around the College

With the exception of the start of the day and break, all students **including 6th form** need to use the following doors when **entering and exiting** the main building

The electronic doors in the **main reception** are for **exit only**

The doors by the gym are for **entry only**.

The doors by the IT rooms are only to be used for entry to the main building at the start of the day and after break.

In the **new building** all students must make sure they are using the correct **up** and **down** staircases.

This is all for health and safety reasons- we all have a responsibility to ensure the college is a safe place

St. Michael's Catholic College

College Prayer

Lord, thank you for the gift of this day
and the time to live and love in your
world.

May we be brought to the fullness of
life by the Salesian values taught to us
by St John Bosco.

We ask St. Michael our protector
to watch over us in our mission
to overcome evil with good.

Amen

St. Michael, **pray for us**
St. John Bosco, **pray for us**





Safeguarding Officers



**Designated
Safeguarding Lead:**

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