

Saint John Houghton Catholic Voluntary Academy Part of the Saint Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi Academy Trust



Saint John Houghton CVA Update Friday 21 January 2022

All Students information

COVID-19:

Reporting COVID-19 PCR positive results (not lateral flow tests):

During school hours - telephone school - 0115 9322896

Out of school hours, email – pupilsupport@sjhcva.co.uk, please provide the date they have to isolate until.

From Tuesday 11 January 2022, any student who tests positive on a lateral flow device no longer has to have a PCR test but must follow the current self-isolation guidance.

Tracing close contacts:

This will now be done by NHS Test and Trace.

Changes to the self-isolation period for those who test positive for COVID-19:

- 1. From Monday 17 January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education or childcare setting immediately on day 6.
- 2. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be <u>reported to NHS Test</u> and Trace.
- 3. If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.
- 4. Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests or anyone who continues to have a temperature will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation.

Further information on self-isolation for those with COVID-19 is available.

Travel to school arrangements survey:

We would like to understand how our students are currently travelling to school and how this has changed since COVID-19 impacted on travel to school arrangements and see if any improvements can be made.

Please can all parents complete the attached survey if you have not already done so by Monday 24 January 2022. If you have more than one child at school, please complete a separate survey for each child.

Thank you for your help with this:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=OFYclXnjhUaRUhyDCcoxaR0PTVJ5W JFAqh9xDDsN 9ZURDNBRzlWSEg0SFZaVU4zWkVIWEdIVzk3OC4u

Year 11 unit awards:

Well done to Lewis A, Marcus A, Edward C, Chelsie-May B for achieving 3 AQA Unit Awards in English, English literature and Reading and Responding to a short novel.

Sanitary products:

Each Tuesday, students may pick up sanitary products from the hall at 3.15pm

Starting the new year in the Eco Garden:

Looking back on 2021 it has been a busy year in the Eco Garden.

We worked really hard to develop relationships with many local businesses, who generously donated equipment, plants, gravel, and so much more. We are extremely grateful to KRM Building Supplies for their many donations throughout the year.

We have been overwhelmed with the generosity of parents who have donated seeds, compost, a bee hotel, a water butt, a wheelbarrow, and even fruit trees through the Amazon Wish List.

We have also been really pleased with how the students and school community have taken the eco garden to their hearts, becoming involved in the weeding, digging and harvesting. This has given the students the opportunity to experience their food from sowing, to growing, and the harvest,

We look forward to 2022 when we will be launching our Eco Garden Club on Thursdays after school. If your child is keen to get involved, please contact Mrs Drury idrury@sih.srscmat.co.uk



Roll of honour in subject areas:

The following students have been identified by Curriculum Leaders for their hard work and effort in the following subjects. Well done to these students.

	Maths	English	Science	Religious Education	Geography	History
Year 7	Stan S	Eleanor H- M	Josh F	Joseph S	Lena M	Antonina K
Year 8	Niamh W	Daisy P	Lewis L	Amber W	Emily H	Theo F-B
Year 9	Libby W	Maddie D	Jayden S	Sophie S	Муа С	Noah L
Year 10	Ethen S	Katie F	Penny M	Alice S-B	Anya J	Hannah L
Year 11	Freya L	Nathan B	Eden W	Edward S	Ellis W	Matthew P

	Computing & Business	Music	French	Spanish	PE	Design
Year 7	Evie H	Liam G	NA	David B	Jessica S	Isla S
Year 8	Honey E	Evie W	Maja W	Brooke L	Billy S	Oliver H
Year 9	Jack B	Holly H	Amelia B	Lucy H	Ivan T	Isabelle A
Year 10	Grace M Business – Liana K	Avie B	William G	NA	Jordan H GCSE – Joel O Sports studies – Katie F	D&T – Oskar B Art – Elizabeth D Engineering – Zac C Food – Callum H
Year 11	Joel T Business – Joel T	Bobby George B	Tommy W	Raneem A	Eja C GCSE – Molly H Sports studies – Shannon B	D&T – Maisie W Art – Emily K Engineering – Isabelle B Food – Lily H

Headteacher award:

Mr Brogan will choose a student/students each week who he would like to be recognised for various reasons, this week he has chosen Elizabeth H in year 11 for her determination in the face of difficulties.

Year Leader awards:

Year 7 Leader award:

Emile P for great effort and attitude in lessons.

Year 8 Leader award:

Coen C for continuous improvement across the whole school.

Year 9 Leader award:

Jack B for showing resilience and having an excellent start to the term.

Year 10 Leader award:

Rosie D for her excellent start to the new term.

Year 11 Leader award:

Jack Q for always trying hard and for his very pleasant.

Year 11 information:

Please see attached link to the Provisional 2022 GCSE examinations timetable: https://saint-john-houghton-catholic-voluntary-academy.secure-primarysite.net/gcse-exams/

Year 11 photographs:

These will be on Tuesday 25 January 2022, both an individual and a year group photo will be taken.

Email address for enquiries: schooloffice@sjh.srscmat.co.uk

SJH Diary dates:

Parents Evenings Inset Days School Holidays

Year 9 Parents Evening	Wednesday 26 January 2022 Wednesday 9 February 2022			
Year 7 Parents Evening				
February half term	Monday 21 – Friday 25 February 2022			
Inset Day	Monday 28 February 2022			
Year 8 Parents Evening	Wednesday 30 March 2022			
Easter Holidays	Monday 11 – Friday 22 April 2022			
May half term	Monday 30 May – Friday 3 June 2022			
Inset Day	Friday 1 July 2022			
Last day of term	Friday 22 July 2022			