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Dear Parent/Guardian

Anti-Bullying Week 2026, Monday 16 November to Friday 20 November

As part of our ongoing commitment to creating a safe, inclusive and respectful school community, we will be marking Anti-Bullying Week 2026. This year's theme, 'Break the Silence', encourages everyone to speak out against bullying, challenge unkind behaviour and seek support when needed.

To launch the week, we invite all students to take part in Odd Socks Day on Monday 16 November. By wearing odd socks, students can celebrate individuality and recognise that our differences are something to be valued and respected.

During Anti-Bullying Week, all students will take part in a dedicated anti-bullying activity during tutor time. These activities will encourage discussion around the importance of speaking up, supporting others and helping to create a culture where bullying is not tolerated. In addition, all students have received an anti-bullying assembly to reinforce key messages about respect, kindness and how to access support.

We would also like to remind parents and carers of a new reporting feature available to all students. Through the student Classcharts app, students can report any wellbeing, safeguarding or bullying concern using the Wellbeing tab. Reports submitted through this feature are sent directly to the school's safeguarding team, enabling concerns to be reviewed and supported promptly. All students have been briefed on how to use this feature and are encouraged to access it whenever they need support for themselves or wish to raise a concern about another student.

We know that tackling bullying is most effective when schools, families and young people work together. We encourage you to discuss the theme of Anti-Bullying Week with your child and reinforce the importance of speaking out if they experience or witness bullying.

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Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a safe, respectful and inclusive environment for all students.

Yours sincerely



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