ST. BEDES COLLEGE St. Bede's College Prospectus



St. Bede's College is a Catholic HMC Independent College for boys and girls aged 3-18. We are passionate about providing an education where every pupil is known and valued in a family environment.



A Warm Welcome

We are delighted and honoured to welcome you to become parents of our next generation of Bedians.

Working together with you, our parents, we are striving to become a hub where all the support, service and advice that you may need can be found. Committed to the holistic education of our pupils, we want them to not only achieve academic success but to also find the best opportunities to shape their futures, according to their uniqueness. Our founder, Cardinal Vaughan, opened the doors of the College on 7th January 1876; he was inspired by St. Bede's search for knowledge and truth and founded the College based on a profound love of learning. Christ remains at the centre and heart of our school and our faith inspires us to look upon our pupils, no matter their background or their own personal faith journey, as children of God. Our vision is to see our pupils grow as true leaders in the 21st Century; we believe that character development will help them to achieve their potential, lead responsibly and build a better world. In order to develop their understanding of character in the years ahead, pupils will take part in our Virtue and Leadership Programmes, developing their inner strength to respond to life's challenges and a true understanding of our world and its needs. The College has a rich life, filled with opportunities accessed through the house system, co-curricular activities and pupils' own initiatives, all of which contribute to the positive growth mindset passed on by our founder.

On the verge of celebrating our 150th Anniversary, leading St. Bede's is an honour and a huge responsibility, which I could not take on without the great team that works with me. We look forward to meeting you soon and working together to provide the best future for your children.

Mrs Maria Kemp - Headteacher headteacher@sbcm.co.uk



Maria Kemp - Headteacher

At St. Bede's our students know that they can inspire each other by the way they study, and help themselves and others to grow.

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St. Bede's College



In awe of the world around us

Moved by our aim to provide a holistic education and develop the intellectual curiosity and creativity of every pupil, we prepare them for life beyond school where they will need courage and exceptional skills to lead by example, contributing positively to society and to the communities in which they live.



"We are masters of our lives, taking responsibility and ownership on how we respond to life's challenges, and thanks to the unconditional commitment of our teachers and staff who continuously give their best for our children to grow committed to reaching their full potential."

St. Bede's Mission



Be part of a great tradition

We aim to provide the right balance of support and encouragement to motivate each child in reaching their full potential as well as the highest possible outcomes in all aspects; academic endeavours, sporting activities, creative and artistic pursuits, behaviour and interpersonal relationships.

Our pupils participate in a wide range of enriching co-curricular activities such as outreach programmes that help them forge ahead as confident, successful and well-rounded individuals.

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We believe school should be challenging and children should be happy!

Christ.

Founded in 1876 by Cardinal Vaughan, St. Bede's College is a Catholic School, which endeavours to transmit the message of the Gospel rooted in the teachings of Jesus

We are grateful to God for our students and see their uniqueness as a true gift. For this reason we help them to grow in gratitude and to endeavour to appreciate their parents, teachers, and each other.



Headteacher and Senior Leadership Team

(In order from left to right):

Mr Thomas Sanders Academic Deputy Head Mrs María Kemp Headteacher **Mr Dominic Rose** Head of Sixth Form Mrs Claire Boylan Assistant Head (Safeguarding) Mr Francisco Calmaestra Assistant Head (Strategy & Innovation)

Mr Christopher S Wright Assistant Head (Academic)



Mr Charlie Woan Assistant Head (MCFC & Behaviour) Mrs Claire Hunt Head of Prep



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