

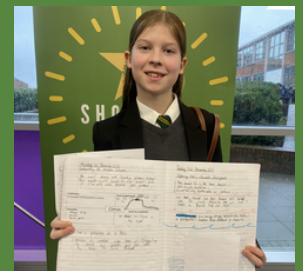
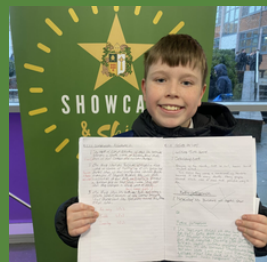
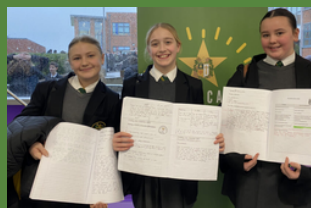
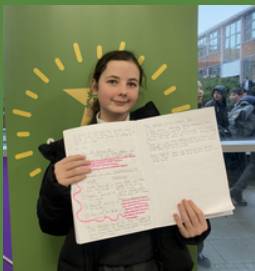
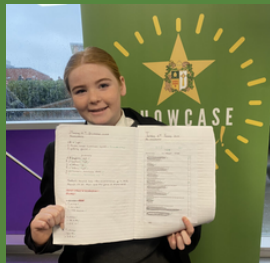
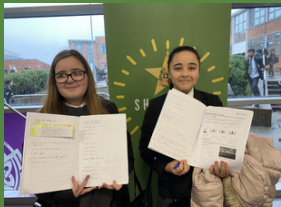


# HEADTEACHER'S WEEKLY LETTER

Spring 3

## SHOWCASE AND SHINE

Pupils took part in our latest Showcase and Shine Event, proudly bringing examples of their work that truly met the St Wilfrid's Standard. It's fantastic to see just how hard everyone has been working and Mrs Collings-Backhouse loves being able to celebrate everyone's amazing work. Each pupil who shared their work received a well-earned sweet treat as a reward: a small celebration of their big effort, dedication and pride in their learning.



## FAITH FOCUS



"Come, follow me"  
- Matthew 4:19

Jesus calls His first disciples with those three simple words. They were ordinary people, busy with the ordinary tasks of their day. This gentle call is echoed in our own lives. We may not be standing by the Sea of Galilee, but Jesus still meets us where we are, in the routines, challenges, and hopes that fill our everyday moments.



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## REMEMBERING AIMEE

Earlier this week, we said goodbye to one of our beloved pupils, Aimee. We have been deeply moved by the overwhelming generosity of our school community. Your contributions allowed us to provide beautiful flowers for Aimee's funeral, and all remaining donations will be given to her family to support them during this incredibly difficult time and to share with a charity of their choice. As you can see, the flowers were beautiful.

As we bring this week to a close, I want to pause and reflect on the life of our much-loved pupil, Aimee. Many of us gathered to say our goodbyes at her funeral, which was a deeply moving and beautiful service.

One of the messages shared by Aimee's family on the day was that life is short, and we shouldn't "save anything for best." It was clear that Aimee lived by this idea. She grabbed hold of life with both hands, embracing every opportunity with her infectious energy and joy.

Aimee's friends and family described her kindness, her gentle acceptance of everyone she met, and her ability to make her friends feel seen and valued. She had a way of drawing people in: never judging, always listening, always offering warmth.



As a school, we will continue to support one another, cherish the memories we hold of Aimee, and carry forward the lessons she leaves behind: to be brave, to be kind, and to live fully- never "saving anything for best."

Wishing you all a peaceful and restorative weekend.

Warmest regards,  
C. Lennox  
23/01/26

