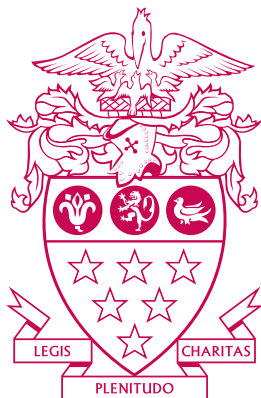


RATCLIFFE COLLEGE



PREPARATORY SCHOOL CALENDAR

Spring Term 2024

Term Dates

SPRING TERM 2024

Staff In Service Training	Friday 5 th January
Boarders Return	Sunday 7 th January
Spring Term Begins	Monday 8 th January
Half-Term Begins (after classes)	Friday 9 th February
Boarders Return	Sunday 18 th February
Classes Begin	Monday 19 th February
Spring Term Ends (after classes)	Friday 22 nd March

SUMMER TERM 2024

Staff In Service Training	Friday 12 th April
Boarders Return	Sunday 14 th April
Summer Term Begins	Monday 15 th April
May Day Bank Holiday	Monday 6 th May
Half-Term Begins (after classes)	Friday 24 th May
Boarders Return	Sunday 2 nd June
Classes Begin	Monday 3 rd June
Summer Term Ends (after classes):	Friday 5 th July

AUTUMN TERM 2024

New Staff Induction Day	Wednesday 28 th August
Staff In Service Training Day	Thursday 29 th August
Induction Day for all new students and Sixth Form	Friday 30 th August
Existing Boarders Return	Sunday 1 st September
Autumn Term Begins	Monday 2 nd September
Half-Term Begins (after classes)	Friday 18 th October
Boarders Return	Sunday 3 rd November
Classes Begin	Monday 4 th November
Autumn Term Ends (after classes)	Friday 13 th December

Important Telephone Numbers

POSITION	NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER
Father President	Father Philip Sainter	01509 817009
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Senior Deputy Head	Mr K Ryce	Via Reception
Deputy Head Pastoral	Mr J Rainer	Via Reception
Director of Safeguarding	Mr J Masterton	Via Reception
Assistant Head Academic	Ms J Davis	Via Reception
Assistant Head, Head of Sixth Form	Mr B Harrison	Via Reception
Head of Preparatory School	Mrs S Minford	Via Preparatory School Reception
Deputy Head of Preparatory School	Mrs M Markham	Via Preparatory School Reception
Head of Nursery	Mrs R Ravat	01509 817088
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Girls' Housemistress	Mrs L Webster	07850 709881
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Preparatory School - Positions Of Responsibility

HEAD BOY: HEAD GIRL:

Daniel Markham Alice Sil

DEPUTY HEAD BOY: DEPUTY HEAD GIRL:

Wilson Grieff-Liggins Martha Traynor

CARITAS LEADERS

Harry Brown Demi Tijani

CHAIRS OF SCHOOL COUNCIL

Thomas Lynch Willow Thom

HEADS OF HOUSE

ARUNDEL: DE LISLE:

Ted Lomas Joshua Booker

India Webster Isabelle Ryce

EMERY: LEETHAM:

Sophie Brown Isabelle Ashfield

Ellie Davies Harry Calver

Before School Activities

ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	TIME	VENUE	STAFF
MONDAY				
Swim Training	Years 5 and 6	7.15am-8.15am	Swimming Pool	WF/DT
Caritas	Years 3-6	8.30am-9.00am	Library	SM
WEDNESDAY				
Chapel Choir	Years 5 and 6	8.00am-8.25am	Music Room	MM/BC
THURSDAY				
String Stars	Years 3-6 (invited)	8.00am-8.25am	Music Room	BC/MS/CP
Guitar Club	Years 2-6 (invited)	8.00am-8.25am	Upper Room	JB
FRIDAY				
Newman Orchestra	Years 3-8 (invited)	8.00am-8.25am	Newman Hall	BC/GH/Cco/RF

Lunchtime Activities

ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	TIME	VENUE	STAFF
MONDAY				
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Year 6	Lunchtime	Computer Room	SG*
Yoga	Years 3-6	Lunchtime	Newman Hall	HD*
TUESDAY				
First Holy Communion Preparation	Year 3	Lunchtime	Mrs Minford's Office	SM
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Year 2	Lunchtime	Art Room	SG*
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Year 5	Lunchtime	Newman Hall	CCH*
German	Year 4	Lunchtime	3G Classroom	NG
Brass Band	Years 5 and 6	Lunchtime	Music Room	BC
Touch Typing Club	Years 4-6	Lunchtime	Computer Room	RB
WEDNESDAY				
Piano & Music Theory Club	Years 4-6	Lunchtime	Music Room	BC/KT
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Year 4	Lunchtime	Newman Hall	CCH*
Mindful Moments	Years 4 and 5	Lunchtime	5M classroom	LM
THURSDAY				
LAMDA	Year 3	Lunchtime	Newman Hall	CCH*
Class Liturgies	Years 1-6 (Rota)	Lunchtime	Library	SM/MM/FD
Sewing Club	Years 4-6	Lunchtime	Library	JOC
German	Year 5	Lunchtime	3G Classroom	NG
FRIDAY				
Story Club	Year 6 in Nursery	Lunchtime	Nursery	SR/RR
Coding Club	Year 6	Lunchtime	Computer Room	RB
Show Choir	Years 2-4	Lunchtime	Newman Hall	MM
Rosary Club	Years 3-6	Lunchtime	Upper Room	MK

After School Activities

ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	TIME	VENUE	STAFF
MONDAY				
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Reception	3.30pm-4.00pm	Nursery	SS*
LAMDA (Group lesson)	Year 1	4.00pm-4.30pm	Year 2 Classroom	SS*
Year 5 and 6 Girls' Netball	Years 5 and 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Sports Hall	SG and LW
Years 6 Boys Rugby 7s	Years 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Astroturf	WF/JCH
Street Dance Club	Years 3-6	4.15pm-5.00pm	Newman Hall	LC*
Mindfulness Colouring	Years 3-6	5.15pm-5.50pm	In-Prep	RD/JY
TUESDAY				
Ballet	Reception	3.30pm-4.00pm	Newman Hall	CCH/HL*
	Year 1	4.00pm-4.30pm	Newman Hall	CCH/HL*
	Years 2 and 3	4.30pm-5.00pm	Newman Hall	CCH/HL*
Nursery Swim School	Cygnets, Swans and Reception	3.30pm-4.30pm	Swimming Pool	CR*
Swim School	Years 3, 4 and 5	4.45pm-6.00pm	Swimming Pool	CR*
Eco Club	Reception	4.00pm-5.00pm	Nursery	AK
Cross Country	Years 3 and 4	4.00pm-5.00pm	Campus Grounds	AF/LOW
Years 5 and 6 Boys' Hockey	Years 5 and 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Astroturf	WF/JF/PE
Year 6 Girls' Hockey	Year 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Astroturf	CT
Board Games	Years 3-6	5.15pm-5.50pm	In-Prep	RD/JY
WEDNESDAY				
SuperStar Sports	Cygnets and Swans	3.30pm-4.00pm	Sports Hall	LA*
SuperStar Sports	Reception	4.00pm-4.30pm	Sports Hall	LA*
Forest School	Years 1 and 2	4.00pm-5.00pm	Campus Grounds	JL/DG/AG/AF
First Holy Communion Mass	Years 3-6 (FHC candidates and parents)	4.00pm-4.30pm	Upper Room	FrPS/SM
Adventure Training Corp (Second Half of Term Only)	Year 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Campus Grounds	ME
Lego Club	Years 3-6	5.15pm-5.50pm	In-Prep	RD/JY
THURSDAY				
Swim School	Years 1 and 2	3.30pm-5.30pm	Swimming Pool	CR*
Forest School	Reception	4.00pm-5.00pm	Nursery	KW
Multisports	Years 1 and 2	4.00pm-5.00pm	Sports Hall	KS/AG
SuperStar Sports	Year 3	4.00pm-5.00pm	Sports Hall	*
Boys' Hockey and Girls' Netball	Year 4	4.00pm-5.00pm	Astroturf/Courts	WF/SG
Cookery Club	Year 5	4.00pm-5.00pm	Food Tech	RD/JY
FRIDAY				
SuperStar Sports	Years 1 and 2	3.30pm-4.30pm	Sports Hall	LA*
Taekwondo	Years 3-5 Beginners	4.10pm-5.00pm	Newman Hall	VD*
	Years 3-6	5.20pm-5.50pm	Newman Hall	VD*
	Intermediate/Advance			
Cross Country	Years 5 and 6	4.00pm-5.00pm	Grounds	WF/KD/SG
Film Club	Years 3-6	5.10pm-6.00pm	Gentili Room	SM

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - January

JANUARY

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| 1 | Mon | Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God |
| 5 | Fri | Staff Inset Day – 8.15am-4.30pm |
| 7 | Sun | Solemnity of The Epiphany of the Lord
Boarders Return |
| 8 | Mon | Week 2
Classes begin
Feast of the Baptism of the Lord
The Gospel Value for the half-term is Common Good
Parents' Association Coffee and Pastries, Newman Hall – 8.15am-9.15am
Manners Matter Week (Nursery and Prep School) – Tutor time with class teacher at 8.40am |
| 9 | Tue | Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Year 4 in school Freshwater Theatre 'Rivers and Waters' experience, Newman Hall – 1.30pm-3.00pm
Preparatory School Christian Living – Period 4 |
| 10 | Wed | Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
ELSA drop-in session for parents - supporting your child at home, Newman Hall - 8.00am-8.30am
Start of Term Mass, Nursery and Preparatory School Mass, The College Chapel – 8.50am |
| 11 | Thur | Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mrs Wetton's Year 3 Class) |
| 12 | Fri | 11+ Entrance Examinations, (including Prep School Pupils), Newman Hall and Old Library – 8.30am-3.00pm
Year 1 Visit to the Space Centre – 9.00am-3.30pm
Year 5 Visit to the Space Centre – 9.00am-3.30pm |
| 13 | Sat | 11+ and 13+ Entrance Examinations, Old Library, Conference Room and Peter Daley Suite – 8.30am-3.00pm
Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Thurmaston/Fire Pit Night |
| 14 | Sun | Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ratcliffe College Mass, College Chapel – 10.30am
Boarding Community Laser Tag Trip |

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - January

15 Mon Week 1

Co-Curricular Clubs commence (until Friday 22nd March)

Year 7 (2024) Drama Scholarship Assessments

Year 7 (2024) Art and Design Scholarship Assessments

Year 3 Art Workshop, Urban Pioneers – 9.00am-3.30pm

Year 5 Mathematics Transition Briefing for Year 5 Staff – 5.15pm-5.25pm

Boarding Community Council Meeting, Boarders' Lounge – 7.00pm

16 Tue Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am

Assessment Morning for pupils joining in Years 1-6, Preparatory School – 9.15am-12.00pm

17 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am

Assessment Morning for pupils joining in Years 1-6, Preparatory School – 9.15am-12.00pm

Year 7 (2024) Music Scholarship Assessments

Netball v Stoneygate/Nottingham High School, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm

Boys' Hockey v Stoneygate/Nottingham High School, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm

Teaching and Learning Group CPD, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm

18 Thur Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (until Thursday 25th January)

Preparatory School Fundamental British Values Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am
(Mrs Markham and Mr Turner)

Staff and Volunteers Safeguarding Training, Old Library – 9.00am-4.00pm

Netball v Bilton Grange, U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm

Boys' Hockey v Bilton Grange, U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm

Boarding Staff Meeting, Conference Room – 4.20pm

RCCR Meeting, Conference Room – 4.20pm-5.15pm

19 Fri Year 7 (2024) Sport Scholarship Assessments

Preparatory School Pastoral Pupil Voice, Prep School Library – 12.30pm-1.30pm

Boarding Staff Meeting, Conference Room – 4.20pm

Year 4F Cake Sale

20 Sat Memorial of St Sebastian

Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Thurmaston

U11 Girls' Netball Tournament at Repton Preparatory School – 1.00pm

U11 Boys' Hockey Tournament at Repton Preparatory School – 1.00pm

Ratcliffe College Vigil Mass, College Chapel – 5.15pm

21 Sun Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Boarding Community Trip to Cambridge

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - January

22 Mon Week 2

Preparatory School Sing Praise, Newman Hall – 8.40am
U11 and U13 Boys' and Girls' Cross Country Relays at Spratton Hall – 2.30pm

23 Tue Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Year 6 Arctic and Antarctic Workshop, Newman Hall
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm

24 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Year 3 Mass, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Year 3 Parents welcome)
Preparatory School Christian Living – Period 2
Boys' Hockey v Repton Preparatory School, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm

25 Thur **Feast of the Conversion of St Paul**
Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mrs Grant's Year 1 Class)

26 Fri Parent and Toddler Group, Nursery – 8.30am-9.45am
U11 Boys' IAPS Hockey Tournament at Repton School – 10.00am
Year 5 and Year 6 Choir, 'Young Voices', Resorts World Arena, Birmingham -12.00pm

27 Sat Ratcliffe College Preparatory School Cross Country Festival – 8.00am-12.00pm
Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Fosse Park, Leicester

28 Sun **Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time and Feast of St Thomas Aquinas**
Ratcliffe College Mass, College Chapel – 10.30am
Boarding Community Trip to Water World / The Wave

29 Mon Week 1

Governors' Preparatory School Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 4.15pm
Parents' Association Committee Meeting, Newman Hall – 7.30pm

30 Tue Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm

31 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Year 6 Mass, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Year 6 Parents welcome)
Netball v The Elms, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v The Elms, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Staff E-Safety Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 4.30pm
Music Department Online Peripatetic Parents' Evening – 6.20pm-9.00pm

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - February

FEBRUARY

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|---|------|--|
| 1 | Thur | Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mr Litchfield's Year 1 Class)
U11 IAPS Regional Netball Tournaments at Uppingham School - 10.00am
Netball v Stoneygate, U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v Stoneygate, U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm |
| 2 | Fri | Feast of the Presentation of the Lord
Year 4J Cake Sale |
| 3 | Sat | Feast Day St Blaise
LRSAA County School's Cross-Country Championships – 10.00am-12.30pm
Boarding Community Trip to Nottingham and Chinese New Year Meal |
| 4 | Sun | Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ratcliffe College Mass, College Chapel – 10.30am
Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Thurmaston |
| 5 | Mon | Week 2
Ratcliffe College E-Safety Week and Children's Mental Health Week
Sing Praise, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Nursery Celebration of Chinese New Year, Newman Hall and Nursery – 9.00am-3.00pm
Whole College Online Staff Inset – IHASCO - 4.30pm-5.30pm
Governors' Pastoral and Safeguarding Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 4.15pm
Governors' Education and Co-Curricular Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 5.45pm |
| 6 | Tue | Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Summer Term 2024 Pre-Calendar Meeting, Conference Room – 1.30pm
Digital Strategy Group Meeting, Google Meet – 4.20pm
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm |
| 7 | Wed | National Safer Internet Day
Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Year 5 Mass, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Year 5 Parents welcome)
Preparatory School Christian Living – Period 3
Reception K Visit to Woodthorpe Care Home 1.15pm – 3.15pm
Netball v Copthill, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v Copthill, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Teaching and Learning Group CPD, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm |
| 8 | Thur | Preparatory School Safer Internet Day Assemblies – 8.40am (led by Patrick Flynn from Online Behaviours)
Preparatory School Pancake Races - Nursery 10.30am, Years 1 and 2 – 10.00am, Years 3-6 – 11.00am
Year 3 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 2.15-3.00pm |

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - February

- 9 Fri **Casuals Day in aid of CAFOD**
Half-term begins after classes
(Nursery, Years 1, 2 and 3 finish at 3.15pm, Years 3-6 finish at 3.30pm)
Half-term begins after classes
- 11 Sun **Our Lady of Lourdes and Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
- 14 Wed **St Valentine's Day**
- 18 Sun **First Sunday of Lent**
Boarders arrive
- 19 Mon **Week 1**
Classes begin
The Gospel Value for the half-term is Charity
Preparatory School Spelling Bee Competition Begins
Preparatory School Sing Praise, Newman Hall – 8.40am
- 20 Tue **World Day of Social Justice**
Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Year 1 Dinosaur Workshop, Newman Hall – 9.00-3.30pm
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm
- 21 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Netball v Bilton Grange, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
- 22 Thur **Feast of St Peter's Chair**
Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mrs Dexter and Mrs William's Reception Class)
Boarding Staff Meeting, Boarders' Lounge – 4.20pm
- 23 Fri Parent and Toddler Group, Nursery – 8.30am-9.45am
Year 3G Cake Sale
Year 5 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 2.15pm-3.00pm (Year 5 Parents welcome)
- 24 Sat Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Thurmaston
Ratcliffe College Vigil Mass, College Chapel – 5.15pm
- 25 Sun **Second Sunday of Lent**
Boarding Community Trip to York
- 26 Mon **Week 2**
Year 6 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 1.15pm-2.00pm (Year 6 Parents welcome)
Governors' Finance & General Purposes Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 4.15pm

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - Feb/Mar

- 27 Tues Preparatory School Reconciliation Service, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Preparatory School children making First Holy Communion receive Sacrament of Reconciliation
Staff E-Safety Committee Meeting, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm
U11 and U10 Swimming Gala at Nottingham High School – 4.00pm-5.15pm
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm
- 28 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Year 3 Visit to Owl Sanctuary, Rutland – 9.00am-2.30pm
Preparatory School Christian Living – Period 4
Reception D/W Visit to Woodthorpe Care Home – 1.15pm-3.15pm
U10 Netball Festival at Fairfield – 2.30pm
Netball v King Henry VIII, U11A, U11B and U11C (H) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v King Henry VIII, U11A, U11B and U11C (H) – 2.30pm
Teaching and Learning Group CPD, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm
- 29 Thur Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mrs Keeling's Reception Class)
U9 Netball Festival at Fairfield – 2.30pm
Year 6 Parents' Evening with Senior School Staff, Newman Hall (5.30pm-7.30pm)

MARCH

- 1 Fri **Feast of St David**
Year 2 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 2.15pm-3.00pm (Year 2 Parents welcome)
Netball v Leicester Grammar Junior School, U10A & U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v Leicester Grammar Junior School, U10A & U10B (H) – 2.30pm
- 2 Sat **Open Morning – 9.30am-12.00pm**
Boarding Community Shopping Trip to Thurmaston, Saturday Night Sports and In-House Social Activities
- 3 Sun **Third Sunday of Lent**
U11 Boys' and Girls' National Cross-Country Championships at Malvern College – 8.00am-6.00pm
Ratcliffe College Mass, College Chapel – 10.30am
Boarding Community Karting Trip
- 4 Mon **Week 1**
World Book Week
U11 and U10 IAPS Regional Swimming Gala at Repton School (time to be confirmed)
Summer Term 2024 Calendar Meeting, Conference Room – 1.30pm
Whole College Staff Meeting, Newman Hall – 4.30pm-6.00pm
Parents' Association Committee Meeting, Newman Hall – 7.30pm

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - March

- 5 Tue Mothers' Day Service led by the Caritas Team, The College Chapel – 9.00am
ABRSM Music Examinations
Preparatory School Council Meeting – 12.30pm
Cygnets and Swans Spring workshop with parents, Miss Warman and Miss Langton – 2.30pm-3.30pm
RCCR Meeting, Conference Room – 4.30pm- 5.15pm
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, College Chapel – 5.15pm-6.00pm
- 6 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
ABRSM Music Examinations
U9 and U11 Cross-Country Meeting at Copthill – 2.30pm
- 7 Thur **World Book Day**
Prep School Celebration of Reading
Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mrs Tandy's Year 6 Class)
ABRSM Music Examinations
Netball v Copthill, U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v U9A and U9B (A) – 2.30pm
Health & Safety Committee Meeting, Conference Room – 4.20pm
Teaching and Learning Group CPD, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm
- 8 Fri **International Women's Day**
ABRSM Music Examinations
Year 3T Cake Sale
Year 4 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 2.15pm-3.00pm (Year 4 Parents welcome)
- 9 Sat **Parents' Association Quiz and Curry Night, Refectory – 7.00pm**
- 10 Sun **Fourth Sunday of Lent and Mothering Sunday**
Ratcliffe College Mass, College Chapel – 10.30am
Boarding Community Trip to Tree Top Golf / Highcross Shopping Centre, Leicester
- 11 Mon **Week 2**
Preparatory School Sing Praise, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Caritas Liturgical planning day with Saint Francis Catholic Primary School Melton Mowbray, Hutton Hall - 10.00am to 2.00pm
Full Governors' Meeting, Conference Room – 4.15pm
- 12 Tue Preparatory School Collective Worship, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Nursery – Year 6 Parents' Evening (On-line) – 4.10pm-6.30pm
Year 6 and Year 7 Confirmation Class, Rosmini Room – 5.15pm-6.00pm
Music Department Spring Concert, Theatre – 7.00pm

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - March

- 13 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Year 4 Mass, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Year 4 Parents welcome)
Netball v Repton Preparatory School, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
Boys' Hockey v Repton Preparatory School, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 2.30pm
- 14 Thur Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mr Beach's Year 6 Class)
Preparatory School Christian Living – Period 2
Nursery – Year 6 Parents' Evening (Face-to-face) – 4.10pm-6.30pm
- 15 Fri Parents' Association Break the Rules Day, Preparatory School
Year 1 Informal Concert, Newman Hall – 2.15pm-3.00pm (Year 1 Parents welcome)
The Ratcliffian Association London Dinner, The Crypt, St Etheldreda's from 6.50pm
- 16 Sat U10 Boys' Hockey Tournament at Repton Preparatory School – 1.00pm
Boarding Community Trip to Thurmaston/Fosse Park
Ratcliffe College Vigil Mass, College Chapel – 5.15pm
Boarding Community Open Mic Night
- 17 Sun **Fifth Sunday of Lent and Feast of St Patrick**
Boarding Community Trip to the Peak District
- 18 Mon **Week 1**
Preparatory School Celebration of Science Week - In School Workshops Years 1-6
Preparatory School Sing Praise, Newman Hall – 8.40am
Senior School and Preparatory School Transition Meetings Week
Trustees Meeting, Conference Room – 9.30am
Reception visit to Bluebells Dairy Farm 9.00am-3.00pm
Staff Wellbeing meeting, Conference Room – 4.20pm
Year 5 Mathematics Transition Briefing for Year 5 Staff – 5.15pm-5.25pm
- 19 Tue Preparatory School Celebration of Science Week - In School Workshops Years 1-6
Preparatory School and Nursery Easter Liturgy presented by Year 4, The College Chapel – 9.00am (All parents warmly welcome)
Boys' Hockey v Fairfield, U11A, U11B, U10A and U10B (H) – 4.00pm
U11 Triathlon at Trent College – 4.15pm
Digital Strategy Group Meeting, Google Meet – 4.20pm
- 20 Wed Mothers' Prayer Group, Rosmini House of Prayer, Hutton Hall – from 8.00am
Preparatory School Celebration of Science Week - In School Workshops Years 1-6
Netball Triangular matches v Leicester Grammar Junior School and Witham Hall, U11A and U11B (H) – 2.15pm
Boys' Hockey Triangular matches v Leicester Grammar Junior School and Witham Hall, U11A and U11B (H) – 2.15pm
Teaching and Learning Group CPD, Media Studies 3 – 4.30pm

Preparatory School - Calendar Dates - March

- 21 Thur Preparatory School Assembly, Newman Hall – 8.40am (Mr Enoux's Year 6 Class)
Netball v Leicester Grammar Junior School, U9 (A) – 3.15pm
Boys' Hockey v Leicester Grammar Junior School, U9 (A) – 3.15pm
Swans and Cygnets visit to Bluebells Dairy Farm – 9.15am-3.00pm
- 22 Fri **Casuals Day in aid of Faith in Families**
Celebration of Earth Hour in Prep School and Nursery
Years 1-6 Studies Grades available to Parents
Parent and Toddler Group, Nursery – 8.30am-9.45am
Nursery and Preparatory School Children walk the Stations of the Cross
Invitation for Parents to walk the Stations of the Cross led by Caritas (Prep School Chaplaincy Group) – 2.15pm
Term ends after classes
(Nursery, Years 1, 2 and 3 finish at 3.15pm, Years 3-6 finish at 3.30pm)
- 23 Sat Music by Candlelight, Old Library and Refectory – 7.00pm
- 24 Sun **Palm Sunday**
- 25 Mon **Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord**
- 28 Thur **Maundy Thursday**
- 29 Fri **Good Friday**
- 30 Sat **Holy Saturday**
- 31 Sun **Easter Sunday**