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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to our third, and final term at Holy Family. We hope you enjoyed your Easter break and many thanks for ensuring our students have returned in uniform and fully equipped for learning!

It was great to see so many Year 11 students accessing the GCSE revision sessions over the Easter holiday and we thank all of the staff who came in to support our students as they prepare for their exams.

Please continue to keep our Year 11 students in your thoughts and prayers, their GCSE written exams start on 12th May and run through to 16th June.

Subject Awards – our award recipients received a token to exchange for toast or a hot chocolate. Well done everyone, a great start to the term!

Subject	Awards go to	
English	Elias S (Y7)	Holly B (Y11)
Mathematics	Eva S (Y7)	Parker P (Y11)
PE	Luca S (Y11)	Enya M (Y11)
Computing	Matas R (Y8)	Phoebe M (Y11)
Geography	Zach L (Y7)	Lucas A (Y11)
French	Zach L (Y7)	Raphael B (Y11)
RE	Freddie C (Y11)	Aiden K (Y11)
History	Isabella S (Y8)	Laurence M (Y11)
Art	Joseph W (Y10)	Caius D (Y8)
Music	Weronika M (Y11)	Jacob G (Y8)
Science	Zach L (Y7)	Dani T (Y11)

Next Week...

Y7 Parents Evening – Thursday 1st May

Invitations to book appointments with subject staff have been sent to parents. This event is in school. We look forward to seeing everyone, please email or call if you have any issues when booking appointments.

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Date reminders

GCSE Art Exams: 10 hour practical will take place between 28th April and 2nd May

Year 7 Parents Evening: Thursday 1st May

May Day Bank Holiday: School is closed on Monday 5th May

GCSE PE Moderation Day: Wednesday 7th May GCSE Written Exams start: Monday 12th May

Finally this week...

As you know, we had the sad news at the beginning of the week that Pope Francis had passed away. Our collective worship and assembly this week reflected on his service and his legacy. This weekend, when we see the scale of the funeral and watch the thousands who are visiting Rome to pay their respects from all over the world it reminds us that we are all part of a global faith community. All of us share the same values and aim to do 'good' by supporting each other in our local, national and global families.

"We cannot think of ourselves as separate from others. We all belong to one human family." – **Pope Francis**

"We are all called to build a better future." – Pope Francis

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

God bless you all and have a lovely weekend,

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