

Beths Grammar School

an 11 – 18 selective school with academy status

Headteacher: Mr R J Blyghton

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Re: Anti bullying week

As part of anti-bullying week at Beths Grammar School, our scholars are invited to demonstrate that they 'stand up to bullies' on Monday 10th November by wearing 'odd socks' along with their school uniform.

Anti-Bullying Week 2025 will take place from Monday 10th - Friday 14th November, with the theme: Power for Good. The week will kick off with Odd Socks Day on Monday 10th, with adults and scholars encouraged to wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique.

Our Year 9 Anti Bullying Ambassadors will be publicising this and raising awareness during assemblies and form times in the coming weeks, so that all scholars are aware of this initiative.

At Beths Grammar we remain committed to challenging unpleasant behaviour and maintain that bullying is unacceptable. Whilst incidents of unpleasant behaviour and bullying at Beths are very rare, our scholars are always encouraged to report any such incidents as and when they occur so that any these can be followed up swiftly and appropriately.

We would like to take this opportunity to encourage you to talk to your young person about the importance of calling out any unpleasant behaviour or bullying and ensure that they are confident in reporting incidents to their Head of Year, Subject Teachers and form tutors. It is important we work together in ensuring our young people have a safe environment in which to thrive in their Scholarly achievements.

We look forward to seeing all variations of 'odd socks' being worn proudly on Monday 10th November.

Thank you for standing with us in raising awareness for Anti Bullying week this academic year.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Monteith Head of Year 9

Anti-Bullying Ambassador