



# THE AVS WAY

Weekly Newsletter

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## THIS WEEK'S FOCUS

### GETTING INVOLVED

One of the school's main core values, and part of our Avon Valley Way, is **GETTING INVOLVED**.

As part of last week's Children in Need day, many of our students did, 'get involved'. Money was raised through various activities throughout the day; from cake sales to sponsored activities. It was fantastic to see our young students raising money for worthwhile causes, and, in the words of last week's Anti-Bullying focus, 'reaching out' and 'getting involved'.

School life is so much more than lessons and learning; it is about joining in, getting involved, and trying our best.

## MESSAGE FROM MIKE CLANCY ASSISTANT HEADTEACHER



This week our school focus is on helping others and being kind.

We supported Children in Need day on Friday 18th, with pupils opting to come in fancy dress (Year 11) or non uniform and donating £1.

At Avon Valley we encourage students to achieve our Cultural Capital Passport award, which includes raising money for charities. Students have had the opportunity to donate £1 to Children in Need or buy raffle tickets and cup cakes for the Bake Off Competition. Any of these three charitable acts count towards the Cultural Capital passport award. Students should remind their tutors of their charitable acts which can then be logged on Class Charts.

We know things are challenging for families across the country at the moment. Whilst we encourage our school community to support others, we recognise that some families may need extra help and assistance themselves. You can find local information about the Rugby Foodbank by clicking [here](#). You can also find further information about the Household Support Fund from Warwickshire County Council [here](#).

## TUTOR THEME OF THE WEEK

### RUGBY FOOD BANK

## UPCOMING SPORTING FIXTURES

Mon 14th November	Year 10 & 11 Basketball practice (3.15 - 4.15)
Tue 15th November	Year 8 & 9 Mixed Basketball Practice (3.15-4.15) Badminton Fixture at Bilton Year 11 Year 9 Boys Basketball v Ashlawn (H)
Wed 16th November	Year 7 mixed Basketball Practice (3.15-4.15)
Thur 17th November	Year 7 & 8 Squad Trampoline Practice (3.15-4.15) Year 11 Basketball v Bilton (A) Year 7 Girls Basketball v Rugby High (A)
Fri 18th November	Year 11 Mock exams - sports hall in use

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Fri 25th Nov - Fri 9th Dec - Year 11 PPE exams

Fri 2nd Dec - Teacher Training Day

Mon 5th Dec - Teacher Training Day

Friday 16th Dec - Last day of Autumn term - break up for Christmas

Tuesday 4th January - Start of Spring Term

