



EMMANUEL COLLEGE
Emmanuel Schools Foundation

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Dear Parents and Carers

Emmanuel College has a huge offering of opportunities for personal development and growth, and we would like to encourage all children to make the most of these opportunities. To help motivate and recognise the ways students are contributing and growing in character, we are launching afresh the '50 Things To Do Before You Leave Emmanuel' award. For each year group (from 7-11), there are ten challenges to tick off which encourage performance, competition, and volunteering among other things (there is an overview contained in study files). The challenges are meant to be fun, inherently rewarding, and will develop the character of students in a number of ways. Some challenges will be integrated into the year (e.g. projects week in Y7 and 8), while others will take some initiative and determination to complete. As pupils move up through the years, the challenges become increasingly focused on preparation for life after school, with a focus on the experiences and soft-skills that are needed to thrive as an adult. The milestones for the challenges are as follows:

5 challenges: Bronze award

8 challenges: Silver award

10 challenges: Gold award

Each of these milestones can be reached by recording evidence of the completed challenges in study files and bringing them to the class tutor (most students will already have completed some challenges through activities they are already doing). We appreciate any support and encouragement you can give to your child in achieving this award, as we share in the common goal of seeing our young people grow in character and reach their potential.

Yours sincerely

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