

<p><b>Week 25.3.24-3.5.24</b></p> <p><b>Scripture Link</b> “If you listen to me you will know right, just and fair. You will know what to do. You will become wise and your knowledge will give you pleasure” Proverbs 10:9-10</p>	<p><b>Core Value Focus Knowledge and Wisdom</b></p> <p><b>Message from the Principal</b> The development of knowledge forms the backbone of our teaching and learning here at Queen Elizabeth’s. Equipping our students for the wider world where they can succeed in their chosen paths and flourish as individuals is our mission and central to our “QEA Why”. The QEA Why focuses on building belief in all our students that they can be anything they want to be. Building knowledge but having the aspiration to believe that is true, is an important job that we all do. But using that knowledge in a wise way is also important to us. Developing as a global citizen that makes positive contributions to the world around us is key to the work we do here. Developing knowledge and applying that knowledge with actions that show wisdom is the “QEA Way”.</p>
<p><b>Message from the Chaplain</b></p> <p>People say that ‘knowledge opens doors’ and Christians have long acknowledged and placed importance on learning so that students can excel in knowledge. Life in all its fullness is a phrase we use at QEA (John 10:10). This is a rich vision because it doesn’t limit knowledge to knowing about the world or different subjects. Jesus is talking about an abundant life which includes knowing Jesus himself! Christians believe that we don’t just know want to know about Jesus but that we can actually know Jesus. Jesus said those who know me know my voice and he invited people to look at his life and his actions to see if he really was the Son of God.</p>	<p><b>Discussion points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ What are your hopes for the future?</li> <li>✓ What do you need to know and how do you need to grow to get there?</li> <li>✓ Think for a moment about all that you have learned since primary school for example. How much wiser are you now?</li> <li>✓ What difference has knowing more and growing in wisdom meant for you?</li> <li>✓ Think of all the things you know or have heard about Jesus. The Christian faith includes knowing Jesus today. Do you know Him personally?</li> </ul>

**A prayer for knowledge and wisdom**

Father God, help us to thrive in our learning our love and our friendships knowing right and wrong

Help us to see the opportunities to be inspired and to inspire others to choose the good

Thank you for the example and inspiration of Jesus your Son

**All:** God of wisdom and knowledge make us wise (Colossians 2:3)

Amen