



**Our Mission Statement:** *Nihil nisi Deo*, which means 'Nothing Without God' – lively faith, active minds and the best place to learn and work

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**Our school:** is in the Catholic diocese of Portsmouth. Our Bishop is Philip Egan.

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**What we want all our community to experience is**  
Belief – Happiness – Family -Caring – Service to others

**To reach our goals, we look to develop character**



***The School Prayer***  
*Father*  
*pour out your Spirit*  
*upon our School*  
*and grant us*  
*a renewed vision of your glory*  
*so that we may experience your power,*  
*be faithful to your Word,*  
*and consecrate ourselves to your service.*  
*We pray that your love may grow among us,*  
*and your kingdom come;*  
*through Christ our Lord.*  
*Blessed Hugh Faringdon, pray for us.*  
*Amen*

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**Blessed Hugh Faringdon**

Blessed Hugh Cook, from Faringdon, was a monk and the last Abbot of Reading Abbey. In 1539, he was arrested in Pangbourne and sentenced for high treason, as he would not support King Henry VIII, whose officials were attacking the Catholic faith. He was executed and declared a martyr of the Catholic Church in 1895 by Pope Leo XIII. A martyr is someone who gives up their life for their faith.

After school prayers, we conclude:

***Blessed Hugh Faringdon, pray for us.***