

# St. Martin-in-the-Fields High School for Girls and Sixth Form (co-ed)

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Dear Families

We are already half way through week three of our six week half term. We break for half term on 10<sup>th</sup> February at the normal school time and return on 20<sup>th</sup> February. As you would have seen on our website, there are a number of events taking place for all year groups that will involve you and your daughter. Please check ParentMail and the website regularly so that you know which events you will be attending.

I recently informed you that we appointed Ms Koroma as Acting Head of English. As a result of this promotion she had to give up her post as Progress Leader for Year 8. I am pleased to announce that Ms Hammoudi, Languages teacher, has now been appointed Acting Progress Leader.

I would also like to inform you that Ms Baird has taken on a much more developed role as the school Deputy Safeguarding Lead and will no longer be the Progress Leader for Year 9. Ms Grant, PE teacher, has been appointed Acting Progress Leader. I am sure you will want to join me and the rest of the school in congratulating them. I know they will work very closely with you to ensure your daughter's academic progress and they will be in contact with you themselves very soon.

Our newly formed St Martin's Parent Partnership will be meeting for the first time on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January and I look forward to seeing you from 6.30pm until 7.45pm. I will send you a letter separate from this one with the agenda items for our first meeting. You will also be asked to kindly confirm your attendance so that we can organise refreshments.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us to maintain high standards of behaviour and dress. We want to ensure our focus is on teaching and learning rather than being distracted by things that seem to take up so much unnecessary time such as acrylic nails, false eyelashes, mobile phones, nose studs and inappropriate hair colour.

I look forward to seeing you at one or more of the school events.

With best wishes

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