

St Martin-in-the-Fields High School for Girls

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Friday 19 July 2019

May the favour of the Lord our God rest on us; establish the work of our hands for us yes, establish the work of our hands. Psalm 90:17

Dear Families

Here we are, at the end of another academic year and what a fantastic year we have had! It has been very busy and successful for all those concerned with St Martin's and we are all proud of our achievements.

So much has happened, much of which has been documented in our news items on our website. Please visit our news page as a reminder of all the great things that we have done and achieved during the academic year 2018-2019.

School finishes on Friday 19 July 2019. Students will be dismissed after lunch at 12.30. Details about the start of the new academic year are on the second page of this letter, so please read until the end.

Sadly, this summer, we will be saying goodbye to a number of staff. Ms Crean is moving to a school in North London. Mr Roden will be relocating to South Korea, Mr King is moving to a school in Berkshire, Ms Godfrey, to a school in Lambeth and Ms Rashed, to a school in Kent. I am sure you will want to join me in thanking them for their hard work, dedication and commitment to St Martin's and wish them well in their new posts.

I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to all the staff, and I am sure you will want to join me in thanking them for their hard work. Staff at St Martin's are professional, committed and work incredibly hard to ensure all students can achieve to their best, and be the best that they can be.

As this chapter closes, and as we look forward to beginning another, I want to assure you that we will continue our drive for improvement in all aspects of our school so that excellence is the norm. St Martin's is a special place, I enjoy coming to school everyday, leading and working with an amazing community of staff, students, families and governors. As we end this school year, I want to thank you again for your support in helping us to achieve all that we have for your daughter's.

On behalf of the staff and governors, I wish you all a happy and restful summer break. Whether it is here, or further afield, I hope you get to enjoy many days of warm weather, blue skies and summer sun!

'The motto of the school, Caritate et Disciplina - with Love and Learning, is driven by all staff in a common endeavour to improve the life chances of all students.' Ofsted May 2018.

Happy summer!

Blessings

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BEGINNING OF TERM ACADEMIC YEAR 2019 - 2020

Monday 2 September	Staff Professional Development Day - Only staff in school	
Tuesday 3 September	8.25 to 12.30	New Year 7 and Year 12
Wednesday 4 September	8.25 to 3.15	All students return - Normal school day
Thursday 5 September	Normal School Day	
Friday 6 September	Normal School Day	

A reminder that from 2 September 2019, school will finish at 3.00pm

EARLY BIRD - COMING SOON EVENTS TO PENCIL INTO YOUR DIARY		
19 September 2019	Year 12 Parents Settling In Evening 6.00 -7.00	
19 September 2019	Year 7 House Tea Event 3.15 - 4.15	
3 October 2019	Open Evening for New Entrants 2020 (students dismissed at 2.10pm)	
10 October 2019	Year 11 Parents Evening 4.30 - 7.00	
17 October 2019	Year 10 Information Evening 5.30 - 6.30	
18 October 2019	School closed - Staff Professional Development	
31 October 2019	Sixth form Open Evening 5.00 - 7.30	
14 November 2019	Year 7 Parents Settling In Evening 4.30 - 6.30	
29 November 2019	School Closed - Staff Professional Development	
5 December 2019	Year 9 Parents Evening 4.30 - 7.00	
9 December 2019	Awards Evening 5.30 - 8.00	
16 January 2020	Sixth Form Parents Evening Years 12 and 13 4.30 - 7.00	
21 January 2020	Year 8 Parents Evening 4.30 - 7.00	
13 February 2020	Year 11 Parents Evening 4.30 - 7.00	
19 March 2020	Year 10 Parents Evening 4.30 - 7.00	
27 April 2020	Year 9 Option Choices Evening 5.30 - 7.00	
22 June 2020	Year 12 Parents Information Evening 6.00 - 7.00	
26 June 2020	School Closed - Staff Professional Development	

Please ensure that all hair colour is removed before your daughter returns in September. We have a strict dress code and remind you that jewellery, other than a pair of plain studs to be worn only in the lobe of the ear, is not permitted. Please use the link below to view the dress code so that there is no confusion about our expectations.