

Parent Newsletter St Mary Magdalene Secondary

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Week 5 of the term has begun already! We have had a really busy start to the year, with lots of great events and work being completed.

Meet the Tutor Evening

Next Tuesday 8th October is the 'Meet the Tutor Evening'. You can book an appointment to meet the family tutor of your child on this day; to book, you need to use the Parents Evening System. You will be sent a separate attachment with this newsletter on how to book your childs appointment and a text with the link. Please note that your child will be dismissed at 3pm on this day.

Duke of Edinburgh

Congratulations to those Year 10 students who completed their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Award this weekend. Despite the challenges of the expedition weekend; our participants showed resilience, determination and co-operation throughout. From the outset, they have been well-organised, dedicated and focused. They have shown great commitment to developing their individual skills and also worked together to support each other through tougher challenges. As a school we are incredibly proud of them.

Open evening

Thank you to all students who helped out as tour guides and within different subject areas on our Open Evening last week. The evening was a huge success and I am grateful for the help of all students involved. An extra thank you to our students Joanna Charlton and Max Slowinski who supported me, Mrs Harrison and Mrs Wainwright in leading the Headteacher speeches. I hope the support is the same on our final Open Evening on Tuesday 15th October.

Year 7 parents' presentation and tours

It was great meeting all of the new year 7 parents on Thursday 19th for the presentation and tours evening. I hope you all enjoyed your tour of the building.

Year 10 trips

Look out for trip letters outlining some of the incredible opportunities we plan for educational visits this year.

A few uniform reminders:

- All students must wear their blazers within school at all times (apart from lesson)
- Only black leather shoes should be worn
- No jewellery is allowed in school.
- Kilts must be below knee length

Mr R Hussain Principal

Our Memory Verse

"Let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us." Hebrews 12:1

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 8th October-Meet the Tutor (ALL YEARS) 3.30pm – 6.30pm

Tuesday 15th October-Open Evening (Year 6 Parents)

Tuesday 29th October-

Parents' meeting for Year 7 School Journey 5pm

Tuesday 5th November-Year 8 Project Trip

Thursday 7th November-Year 7 Project Trip

Monday 11th November-Friday 15th November Year 7 School Journey Grosvenor Hall

Wednesday 4th December-Year 9 Presentation and Options Evening 5pm-7pm