

ST JOSEPH'S College



Friday 9th September 2022

Dear Parents/ Carers,

It is with great sadness that we heard the news of the passing of Her Majesty the Queen yesterday. Her death is a huge shock to the nation and to the world.

We hold her family, the nation and all those whose lives she touched in our thoughts and prayers at this time. Our prayer is that she is now received into the merciful presence of God. This is the promise of our faith, and our deep consolation. Our chapel will be open at lunch should any students wish to say a prayer or have time for reflection or comfort. Tutors have all shared a prayer and resources with their tutees this morning to mark this sad day.

As a college we will organise a Book of Condolence for the Queen (RIP) which staff and students can write in during the period of mourning. We will then pass it on to Croydon Council. In addition, assemblies next week will focus on this sad news.

No details have yet been announced about the state funeral. As soon as the cabinet release guidance I will share further communication with you.

May she rest in peace.

Start of Term

The term has commenced in a very positive way and our students are settling into their routines once again. We are proud of how smart students appeared on their first day and their behaviour was impeccable in our welcome back assemblies. It was lovely to welcome our new Year 7 cohort on their first day. It is always a massive step moving from primary to secondary school but our Year 7 boys are all settling in well. The College is also delighted to have been able to welcome our largest recorded cohort of 6th form students to continue their study at St Joseph's. The remainder of this letter will provide you with some important information.

ParentPay

May I remind Year 7 parents that all students who are having food at school must have money on their ParentPay account. There are a number of boys whose accounts have not been credited yet, including boys who qualify for free school meals, who need to be set up on ParentPay. If you have any questions on how to do this please contact Mrs McDonald by email on smcdonald@sjc.ac. Furthermore, please can parents ensure that uniform items have names written on them to avoid property being misplaced.

Knowledge Organisers

All students in Year 7 have been provided with Knowledge Organisers which include all the critical content needed for all subjects for the academic year. Students are expected to bring these with them every day to lessons and use it to undertake their extended learning. If this gets lost at any point, please contact your son's Head of Year to purchase a new one.

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Contact Details

If you have changed any contact details such as phone number or email, please make sure your son's Head of Year or Pastoral Leader are aware. In addition, if you have any worries or questions, please get in touch with your son's tutor. Please find their email address listed below.

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Some important dates for the remainder of this term

Thursday 22 nd September	Year 7 Parent Information Evening	
Friday 23 rd - Saturday 24 th September	Duke of Edinburgh Expedition trip	
Thursday 29 th September	Open Evening (4.30pm-7.30pm) (students to	
	finish at 12.45pm on the day)	
Tuesday 4 th , 5 ^{th,} 6 th , 11 th , 12 th & 13 th October	Open morning	
Wednesday 5 th October	Year 11 'Strive for Success' Evening	
Friday 7 th October	Year 9 RSE Session with NHS Croydon	
Monday 10 th October	Year 11 RSE Session with NHS Croydon	
Tuesday 11 th October	Sixth Form Open Evening	
Friday 14 th October	Headteacher's Induction Mass (students to finish	
	at 12.45pm on the day)	
Wednesday 19 th October	Character trip to City Hall	
Thursday 20 th October	Careers Day/ Careers Fair	
Friday 21 st October	Elevate event with year 11s	

God Bless,

Mrs C Kane Headteacher

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