

# ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS



Act justly, love tenderly, walk humbly with your God

September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to a new academic year. The American writer, Anne Lamott wrote; "Almost everything will work again if you unplug it for a few minutes, including you." I so hope there were many times where you and your family could unplug over the summer break.

What a thrill it has been to both see our students' and staff return for this academic year. What a start Key Stage 4 have had with 182 Students attending a performance of Inspector Calls!

I am extremely grateful to all of our staff who have continued to work hard over the past few months to ensure the school is ready for everybody's return.

Feeling somewhat anxious or nervous about returning to school is completely understandable. Please know that we will do everything we can to support our students emotionally, as well as creating a purposeful learning environment.

So that we can target support as much as possible please inform us via email at [admin@st-annes.enfield.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-annes.enfield.sch.uk) should you experience a change of circumstances.

Our top priority is teaching and learning, underpinned by the wellbeing of all students.

## **Travelling to school**

We encourage students to walk or cycle to school where possible. Please speak to your daughter about safe and appropriate conduct on public transport and that she should comply with instructions from the driver.

## **Positive Behaviour for Learning**

It is essential for our students to maintain an outstanding approach to their learning. The Positive Behaviour for Learning Policy aims to support students in making the right choices that contribute to both their academic success and personal growth. This policy sets clear expectations for behaviour and provides a framework for creating an atmosphere of mutual respect, responsibility, and accountability.

To ensure students are fully informed, the policy has been carefully communicated and thoroughly explained during gatherings and Form time. The goal is to empower our students to take ownership of their actions and strive for excellence in both their academic efforts and their conduct.

## **Appearance**

St. Anne's strives to provide a place of learning that has a sense of community and something that is a secure and constant in our young people's lives. Our uniform plays a key part in creating our identity and students are expected to wear full school uniform correctly at all times. Please remember to only wear black or navy socks/tights with trousers

## **Exam Results**

We are incredibly proud of each and every one of our students and what they have achieved.

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Each member of our staff will continue to work hard to live out Pope Francis words:

***“We walk with our people, sometimes in front, to guide, sometimes behind, so that we stay united and sometimes in the middle, to encourage and support”.***

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your daughter's Learning Support Coordinator or Pastoral Manager.

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For your information, please note early closure/late start dates for this term. All of these are most necessary to the life of the school.

- **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September** the school will close at **12:20pm** in order to prepare for the statutory Prospective Year 7 Open Evening for students who are applying for admission for Year 7 in 2025.
- **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October** students will start at the later time of **11am** following the Open Evening.
- **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** the school will close to students to enable staff to attend statutory training.
- **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November** the school will close to staff and students for a Self-Focus Day.
- **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December** the school will close at **12:20pm** for the last day of term.

Wishing each member of our Learning Family a wonderful year ahead.

Yours sincerely



Emma Loveland  
Headteacher