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Entry to Year 13 and Year 14 August 2018 Information to Pupils and Parents

My reason for writing to you at this stage of the year is to advise you of the arrangements for entry into Senior School in order to undertake AS and A Level study in September 2018.

Please note the following

1. The 'Criteria for Entry into Senior School 2018' will be outlined in the letter accompanying the examination results in August and is also available in the School website. Girls who meet our criteria for entry **should apply to return** to School by completing the form accompanying their results, indicating whether they confirm their original choice of subjects, or nominating amendments to their original choices. **For girls hoping to enter Year 14, this form must be returned by 12.00 noon on Friday 17 August. For those hoping to enter Year 13, the form must be returned by 12.00 noon on Friday 24 August.** (Girls who achieve at least 18 points at GCSE may consider opting to take four subjects at AS level. **NB some high demand university courses require this fourth subject at AS/A2 Level.**)

All applications for entry to either Year 13 or Year 14 should be accompanied by a cheque for £100, payable to *Glenlola Collegiate*. This is a contribution towards the additional provision made for Senior School pupils and a range of subsidised Senior School events and activities.

2. For some girls, return to School will be subject to the outcome of an interview. **Interviews will be held on Tuesday 21 August for entry to Year 14 and on Friday 24 August for entry to Year 13. It is important that girls wishing to return for AS or A2 study are available on these dates. Those required to attend for interview will be notified by the School.**
3. The proposed date for Prize Distribution is Friday 14 September 2018, subject to confirmation.
4. All pupils in Senior School are required to wear the Senior School skirt. You are reminded that the regulation skirt length is **knee length for all pupils**. (*Knee length means that the skirt should touch the floor when the pupil is kneeling*). Please ensure that your daughter's skirt fits her properly. (*An indication of a good fit is, if your daughter can pinch at least 2cms along each side seam when she is standing*). Skirts deemed to be too tight or shorter than knee length will not be allowed. The stockists have suggested that, if your daughter is not of a standard size, you might ask her to go into the shop to be measured. A skirt could then be ordered specifically for her. They do request however, that this is done as soon as possible to ensure availability for the beginning of term.
5. I should also like to draw your attention to a clarification regarding shoe regulation; patent leather or suede are not acceptable. Whilst I am aware that school shoes are widely available in many shops I should like to inform you that one of our stockists, Roberts Schoolwear, has a range of school shoes, all of which have been approved by the School.

With best wishes for forthcoming examination success and an enjoyable summer break.

W E Thompson
Headmaster



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