June 2024



Entry to Year 13 in August 2024

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

I am writing to advise you of the arrangements for current Year 12 pupils regarding entry into Senior School in August 2024.

Please note:

1. The 'Criteria for Entry into Senior School 2024' will be outlined in the letter accompanying the examination results in August and is available on the School website. Girls who meet our criteria for entry **can 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 those choices.

For those hoping to enter Year 13, the form should be returned by 12.00 noon on Friday 23 August.

The finance department will be in touch regarding the Senior School Fund payment of £100 for entrance to Year 13. This contribution enables additional provision to be made for Senior School pupils as well as a range of subsidised Senior School events and activities. It would not be possible for the School to make these provisions without these funds and we thank you for your support.

- 2. For some girls, return to School will be subject to the outcome of an interview. Interviews will be held on <u>Friday 23 August for entry to Year 13.</u> It is important that girls wishing to return for AS study are available on these dates. Those required to attend for interview will be notified by the School.
- 3. 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**. (a useful way to check this is if her skirt touches the floor when she 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 can then be ordered specifically for her. However, they do request that this is done as soon as possible to ensure availability for the beginning of term.

Key dates for the beginning of term:

22 August GCSE Results available to pupils
23 August Year 13 pupils confirm subject choices
29 August Year 13 Induction – half day
30 August First full day

Please accept my best wishes for examination success and an enjoyable summer break.

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W E Thompson Headmaster

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