

ST MARTINS SCHOOL



27 September 2024

It's always a pleasure to open our doors to the wider community, and this year's Open Day and Evening was no exception. What a fantastic day! Over 120 families visited our wonderful school, with many praising our confident, engaging, and enthusiastic students who served as tour guides and subject experts. Visitors during the day also remarked on the calm focus they observed in classrooms throughout the school.

A huge thankyou to the students who volunteered—particularly our year 7's who have only been in secondary for just over 3 weeks—a small group of them spoke to two capacity audiences in the hall about how well they have settled into secondary school.

Here are some photos showcasing the fantastic activities our staff and students organised for our visitors. Enjoy a glimpse of the creativity, enthusiasm, and hard work that made the day so special!





Activities. If you have any questions or problems with this, please contact your

child's class teacher. From next week teachers will set Home Learning Activities using this system.

"Wear it Pink" day has been a wonderful success—thankyou for donations of cakes and for donating to support Ella's Army and the fantastic work they do to support Brain Tumour Research. Over £700 has been raised—it remains on parent pay for parents to donate for non uniform. Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy

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Huge congratulations to Kaidyn Tynan who after two trials has been selected to play for North Shropshire County football team. Kaidyn currently plays in the English Schools FA North West District League. The league is a highly competitive league with games against teams in Liverpool, Blackpool and Chester.

Well done Kaidyn this is a massive achievement and we look forward to hearing how you get on!!

Dates for the diary

7 October—year 10 mock Spanish/French speaking

9 October—Year 11 Uni visit

15 October—year 11 GCSE Food practical

15 October—Flue vaccinations reception—yr 11

16 October—St Martins Unlimited Club field trip

Week beginning 21 October—harvest festivals

22 & 23 October—year 7 review days

23 October—school closes for half term

5 November—school re opens after half term

5-9 November—Malaga trip

12 November—WOW day

14 November—Careers fair for year 9-11

15 November—Mock exams start

19&20 November—Activate & Advance learning reviews

29 November—Year 11 trip to post 16 providers

17 December—Christmas Lunch

18 December—Extravaganza and staff panto





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New lunch menus now on the <u>website</u>—Primary Meals and Secondary Meals are £2.60 . Don't forget to top up parent pay to clear any outstanding bills. From September if there is debt remaining on accounts these accounts will be locked and parents will need to provide a packed lunch.

Drama club is back!! We have two clubs for performers, School of Rock that will be full of energy, singing and music, and for those who wish to work on a scripted play, an adaptation of the film Edward Scissor Hands, the choice is great!!! For drama club the start is MONDAY 3.20/30pm to 4.20pm, open to years 4,5,6, ks3 and ks4. Pick up for parents will be from drama room in secondary department



Job vacancies at St Martins School

Classroom Cover Supervisor—Term Time only (24hrs per wk)

After School Club Coordinator—Term Time only (15.25 – 17.30, Mon – Thurs & 15.25 – 17.00 on Fri) For more information please see website using this link—<u>Job Vacancies (stmartins3-16.org)</u> Closing date extended to Friday 4 October

