



THE PRIORY SCHOOL

D O R K I N G

Headteacher: Mrs J Trimnell

1 July, 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Five Fridays

Thank you to the parents and families who came to support 7A3 on Friday afternoon and were served tea/coffee and homemade scones. I would like to encourage families of 7B2 to join us this Friday (5 July) from 2:30-3:25 in the Shore Centre. It is a great opportunity to watch your child work alongside their peers in confidence to provide a lovely experience for you..

Open Evening - September 5, 2024

Last week students were encouraged to help out with our annual Open Evening event in September. Students have the opportunity to be a tour guide or help demonstrate in various subjects around the school. To make things easier this year we have created a Google Form for families to complete, which gives your permission for your child to be present in the evening. The consent form also allows you and your child to decide where they would feel most confident to help. Please complete the form [here](#).

Every year The Priory School excels itself during the Open Evening, displaying the true culture of the school, something I am very proud of. Details of the evening regarding times etc can be found [here](#).

OMG week (1-5 July)

This week is OMG week provided by the Chaplaincy team. Throughout the week there are a series of events both in the chapel as well as outside that are seeking to inform students about the Christian faith. This will culminate in a final event in the form of a Christian service on the Friday after school in the Shore Centre (3.40-4.30pm).

Some of what's going on includes:

Monday open mic & sumo suits (lunch time)

Tuesday & Friday - 'The Games' for year 7

Tuesday - Grill a Vicar (Lunch time in the chapel)

Thursday - wrestling taster session after school (the hall)

Friday - Please see link [here](#)

School Uniform for September

From September the school uniform will be changing slightly due to the feedback received from parents, students and staff.

Students must wear at least **one, two or all three** of the following items:

- School tie - this will be changing from September as we will no longer be wearing the house ties
- School jumper with the school logo (available from the Kit Shop)
- School blazer with the school logo (available from the Kit Shop)
- The school jumper/blazer are the only ones students will be permitted to wear in school

Please see pictures below of what will be acceptable from September.



Students still need:

- School skirt or black trousers
- Shoes must be black, leather or leather look and polishable - trainers will not be permitted without a medical certificate

There are no changes to the PE uniform.

School Production - Oliver

Tickets are now available to purchase on Scopay for this year's production for Thursday 11th & Friday 12th July, starting at 6:30pm.

Upcoming events;

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| 2 July | - Year 6 Induction Day |
| 5 July | - Year 7 Five Fridays (7B2) |
| 8 July | - DTP/MENACWY and HPV catch-up vaccinations & Year 10 Reigate College taster |
| 9 July | - Sports Day |
| 11-12 July | - School production |
| 12 July | - Year 7 Five Fridays (7A1) |
| 15 July | - Year 10 Geography Trip to Portsmouth |
| 16 July | - Sports Day reserve |
| 18 July | - Awards evening |
| 22 July | - Year 10 reports to parents/carers |
| 23 July | - 1:00pm, end of term |

Best wishes

Mrs J Trimmell
Headteacher