St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

St Aidan's Student Weekly Notices Week (1) commencing 1 February 2021

Covid Test Results - Important

If you receive a positive test result out of normal school hours, please email us immediately at: covid@staidans.co.uk. This email address should not be used for any purpose other than notifying us of a positive test result out of hours.

Thursday 4 February - Parents Evening for Year 12 and any Year 13 in a Year 12 group

A reminder to students to make appointments for Thursday evening. If for any reason a parent/carer is unable to attend please can they inform the Sixth Form office in order that staff can be made aware.

Careers Advice available at Year 12 Parents Evening on Thursday 4 February

Careers Advisers will be available to talk to parents/carers of Year 12 students about Post 18 Options and work experience opportunities. To book a Team's appointment please email us at careersstaff@staidans.co.uk with the times you are available between 4.30 and 8.00pm.

Wellbeing

As we continue to persevere with home learning, we know that looking after our overall Wellbeing is essential for students, families and staff. We want to share sources of information, ideas and support across the whole school. To make this easier to access we are adding a Wellbeing Team to all students' Teams accounts. This will be a place to view resources and information about physical health, mental health and overall wellbeing as well as whole school notices. To get individual support students should also stay connected to their Form group sessions in main school and keep in contact with Senior Tutors in the Sixth Form. This is a challenging time for us all on so many levels and we want to stay connected and supported as a community.

SJF Teams Access:

If you need your SJF network password resetting please email sixthformoffice@staidans.co.uk from your SA email address quoting your SJF email address.

Race to Lindisfarne Challenge

In the last two weeks before half term we are going to have a school competition to see which Year groups and pupils can walk/run/cycle the furthest! We would like to see how many times each Year group can make it to Lindisfarne, the home of St Aidan, and back. Lindisfarne is 150 miles away from school! There will be prizes for the winning Year group and also the top 5 pupils in each Year group who travel the furthest. You can log your miles by joining your Year group club on Strava. We will keep you all updated with the daily leader board. Staff will also be taking part so let's see if you can beat them as well.

Please see your Tutor Group Teams Channel for more information on the challenge and how to join your Year group on the Strava App.

Year 13 - Individual Yearbook Photos

Please upload 1 individual photo, lanyard style, to be pictured above your name:

- Portrait layout
- Head and shoulders only (as on your lanyard)
- White or otherwise blank background (against a light, blank wall in your house is fine)
- Wearing smart, appropriate dress as you would at school with no bare shoulders; boys should be wearing collared shirt and tie
- Bright enough lighting that the photo is clear
- Smile, it's going in the Yearbook!

Please save the file, named with your full name as you want it to be printed in the Yearbook. Upload the photo to the assignment in your form's team on Microsoft Teams. Any problems, please contact a member of the Senate and they will help. DEADLINE: Friday 26 February.

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Year 13 - Group Yearbook Photos

We encourage you to upload up to 10 photos which you would like to feature in the Yearbook to this assignment:

- These can be of individuals or groups of students
- Photos MUST be linked to the Sixth Form e.g. photos from school shows, trips, Children in Need, or photos that have been taken in and around the school during Years 12 and 13 (nothing from lower school please).
- We will not be able to feature any photos which are not linked to the school in some way and please nothing inappropriate.
- You MUST get permission from everyone in the photo for it to be shared and printed.

We cannot promise to feature every photo but the more photos you send in, the better the Yearbook will be as a memory of our time in Sixth Form so please send us what you've got.

Any questions, please contact a member of the Senate via email or Instagram direct message and they will get it sorted. Thanks! DEADLINE: Friday 26 February.

Year 13 Hoodies

Year 13 Leavers' hoodies can be purchased directly through Emblazon in their school wear section. Please log onto St Aidan's or St John Fisher (dependent on where you are based). The Cottonridge W72 premium hoodie is available in a choice of 5 colours black, navy, charcoal grey, burgundy and bottle green. Embroidered school logo left chest, back printed the number 21 with the text LEAVERS below and NICKNAME required above.

Students will need to state colour and nickname required in the comments box on checkout (cost £22.50) All nicknames should be appropriate and will be checked by school. If you have any questions please email julie@emblazon.biz.

Deadline for ordering is Sunday 21 February.

Take care and keep well.

Thank you.