

St Wilfrid's Catholic School

'The best for all; the best from all'

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Diocese of Arundel & Brighton and West Sussex County Council

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To Parents/Carers of Year 12 Students

YEAR 12 WELCOME LETTER

Welcome to St Wilfrid's Sixth Form. I am delighted to introduce myself and the Sixth Form team as partners in your son/daughter's education. I hope the next two years at St Wilfrid's Sixth Form will be both rewarding and successful academically, holistically and spiritually.

YEAR 12 INFORMATION EVENING – THURSDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2016 6.30-7.30 pm

I would like to invite all Year 12 students, parents and carers to attend a short **Information Evening** at the school on the above date. Key aspects of your son/daughter's time in the Sixth Form will be covered

BOWLING EVENT – TUESDAY 11 OCTOBER 3.30 pm TO 5.30 pm

As a welcome event we have booked a visit to Hollywood Bowl at Crawley Leisure Park, Crawley Avenue, RH10 8LR, on Tuesday 11th October after school. Students will be dismissed from school at 3.00pm and will make their own way to the venue to meet at 3.30pm. They will be leaving the venue at 5.30pm and need to make their own arrangements to get home. The cost for this event will be £4.50 and you can make your payment on the school Parentpay system, www.parentpay.com

16-19 School Bursary

Students who meet the Government set criteria are entitled to apply for a 16-19 School Bursary to help finance their studies. If you wish to apply for this bursary, application forms are available from the Sixth Form Office and must be completed and returned with all required supporting evidence by Friday 30th September 2016.

Key Dates for the Autumn term are attached to this letter.

I look forward to working in partnership with you and your son/daughter. In the meantime, if you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me or any member of the team.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Emer Lesova
Assistant Headteacher & Director of Sixth Form





YEAR 12 KEY DATES – AUTUMN TERM 2016

September to October	Four week induction period
29 September	Year 12 Information Evening 6.30-7.30pm
11 October	Welcome Event (Bowling at Hollywood Bowl)
12 October	Sixth Form Immersion Day
24-28 October	Half Term
8 November	Safe Drive Stay Alive Road Show* 1.30pm
21 November	Year 12 internal assessment week
1 December	Sixth Form Immersion Day – University of Chichester visit
8 December	Year 12 Parents' Evening 5 to 8pm
12 December	Certificate Presentation Evening 6.30-7.30pm
15 December	Christmas Liturgy in the Hall
16 December	Last day of Autumn Term
19 December to 2 January	Christmas Holiday
3 January 2017	Inset Day
4 January 2017	Spring Term Commences

*This is a fully funded event provided by West Sussex Fire Services, within school hours, aimed at encouraging safe driving.

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The Sixth Form Team comprises of:-

Emer Lesova	Director of Sixth Form & Assistant Headteacher	E.Lesova@stwilfrids.com
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For any absences due to sickness or appointments, please either phone the Sixth Form absence line on 01293 421421 option 2 or email m.mackey-fitzsimons@stwilfrids.com