



Monday, 2nd October 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Whole School Open Day 09:30 - 13:30: Saturday, 7th October

We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to our Whole School Open Day on Saturday, 7th October 2017. Should you wish to attend this event, you will have the opportunity to visit the classrooms, viewing our stimulating displays, and chat with some of our teaching staff from the EYFS through to Sixth Form.

We are proud of our community at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School and the education that we provide; we hope that you will experience this when you visit. You may well want to take some time to look around your child's classroom with family, talk to some of the staff that your child receives lessons from or visit the next key stage in your child's education with us.

We are keen to welcome our parents and carers into our departments on this day; we will be pleased to guide you in the direction of significant learning environments that you may wish to see, for example our specialised Science Room.

For our Key Stage 2 parents and carers, this is also a really important opportunity for you to see what our Senior School has to offer your child. Although transition to our Senior School is automatic from Key Stage 2, it is an ideal time, in particular for our Year 6 parents and pupils, to see this area of our school. During this event you will have the opportunity to meet some of our Senior School pupils and colleagues.

Please be advised that there will be a Head's speech at 10:30 with a focus on the Primary Phase. At 11:00 the Head's speech will focus on the Secondary School. These will take place in the Main Hall. At this, you will recognise that you are part of a school with long-standing traditions that we hold dear. Our school motto is 'learn to be of service' and that is something that we endeavour to promote in all of our children from the day that they start with us; we ensure that they leave us at Sixth Form as capable and independent individuals, that go on to be highly valued and successful in their profession of choice.

Upon arrival, please report to Main School Reception (West Park Road) where you will be guided by Senior School pupils to the department of your choice. We look forward to welcoming you into our school. Should you have any queries with regards to this event, please do contact Main Reception on 01254 686300.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K O'Donoghue
Joint Head of Primary (Teaching and Learning)