



7<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parent Carers,

### **Weekly Update – 07/07/23**

I hope this update finds you well. It has been an exciting week in school, as the students spent part of the week with the class team they will be with next year. Our new Year 7 students also came in to start their transition to secondary school – it's times like this which make us realise how fast the time flies, and how much our current students have progressed over the year.

Thank you for your support on Wednesday and today with the industrial action that took place in school. We apologise for the disruption this may have caused you and your family, but hope that this continues to raise awareness of the ongoing issues with government currently faced by schools across the country. We expect that there will be future industrial action in the new academic year and will continue to keep you updated.







### **End of Year Reports and Parent Carer Evening**

End of year reports are being sent home with students in Year 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12 today. We hope that you find the report useful and informative. Parent Carer evening is being held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July. If you would like to meet with your child's pastoral team to discuss their report, please get in touch.

At Parent Carer evening, we are hosting a mini marketplace event to offer support and information – please see the flyer for more information.

### **Diversity and Inclusion Parade**

To celebrate Pride Month, our neighbours Noel Baker Academy are having a diversity and inclusion parade on the morning of Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July. St Martins will be joining them as they come back onto the school site. To mark this, classes have created posters to identify and celebrate different cultures, beliefs, and diversity. This includes our diversity motto which was created by our LGBTQ+ student group in school:

-  We are inclusive
-  We are diverse
-  We are accepting
-  We are a safe place
-  We are about the future
-  We are St Martins

Sabrina Hobbs **Principal**

St Martins School, The Derwent Campus, Bracknell Drive, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0BT  
**Tel:** 01332 571151 **Email:** [admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk) **Online:** [www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk](http://www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk)



### **Summer Fayre**

The Summer Fayre is taking place on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July from 12:30pm-2:15pm to raise money for the Student Council. Classes are hosting their own stalls, and there will be a BBQ, ice cream van and bouncy castle. We hope to see you there!

### **Derby City Council's Home to School Travel Newsletter**

Please find a link to the recent travel newsletter here:

<http://st-martins-school.schudio.com/documents/873fa4d23103f32bf1fdeaccd5d85bae>

### **Vinny's Generous Donation**

One of our Year 10 students, Vinny, is making an incredible donation in the summer holiday – Vinny is going to have his hair cut off and donate it to the Little Princess Trust. If you would like to find out more, or make a donation, please visit -

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/alison-kent-1687892072549>

Wishing you a great weekend,

**Sabrina Hobbs**  
Principal

---

Sabrina Hobbs **Principal**

St Martins School, The Derwent Campus, Bracknell Drive, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0BT  
**Tel:** 01332 571151 **Email:** [admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk) **Online:** [www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk](http://www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk)


The Shaw Education Trust Limited is a company limited by guarantee, registered in England (no 09067175) Registered address: Shaw Education Trust, Kidsgrove Secondary School, Gloucester Road, Kidsgrove, ST7 4DL. The details of our academies registered as business names can be found at [www.shaweducation.org.uk](http://www.shaweducation.org.uk).



# ST MARTINS SCHOOL MINI MARKET PLACE PARENT CARER EVENT

Join the Family Support Team  
as we host an event with  
information and support on offer  
around Mental Health and  
Wellbeing, Online Safety, Healthy  
Lifestyles and Post-16 Options.

This runs alongside the Parent Carer evening, so  
please feel free to arrive slightly earlier for your  
appointment if it is after 3pm.

 **Tuesday - 11th July, 2023**

 **15:00 - 18:00**

 **AT ST MARTINS SCHOOL**



**CONTACT**

 **01332 571151**

Sabrina Hobbs **Principal**

St Martins School, The Derwent Campus, Bracknell Drive, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0BT  
**Tel:** 01332 571151 **Email:** [admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk) **Online:** [www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk](http://www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk)

The Shaw Education Trust Limited is a company limited by guarantee, registered in England (no 09067175) Registered address: Shaw Education Trust, Kidsgrove Secondary School, Gloucester Road, Kidsgrove, ST7 4DL. The details of our academies registered as business names can be found at [www.shaweducation.org.uk](http://www.shaweducation.org.uk).



---

### **Term Dates for Academic Year 2022/2023**

#### **Summer Term**

School Breaks up for Summer – Friday 21st July

### **Term Dates for Academic Year 2023/2024**

#### **Autumn Term**

INSET Day – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September

School Starts for the new Academic Year – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September

School Breaks up for Half Term – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October

School Starts Back – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November

School Breaks up for Christmas – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

#### **Spring Term**

School Starts Back – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024

School Breaks up for Half Term – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February

INSET Day – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February

School Starts Back – Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February

School Breaks up for Easter – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

#### **Summer Term**

INSET Day – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April

School Starts Back – Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Bank Holiday – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May

School Breaks up for Half Term - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May

School Starts Back – Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

INSET Day – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July

School Breaks up for Summer – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

---

Sabrina Hobbs **Principal**

St Martins School, The Derwent Campus, Bracknell Drive, Alvaston, Derby, DE24 0BT  
**Tel:** 01332 571151 **Email:** [admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk](mailto:admin@stmartins.derby.sch.uk) **Online:** [www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk](http://www.stmartinsschoolderby.co.uk)