

To Parents and Carers

September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

### **Open Evening: Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2021**

As we begin the start of a new academic year, we also begin our preparations for our annual Open Evening which will take place on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2021 from 5.30pm to 8pm. On this evening we will be opening our doors to all prospective Year 7 parents and carers whose child will be starting secondary school in September 2022. As you are aware, we have embarked upon a journey of school improvement and, as such, there is much to celebrate about the progress St Anne's Church of England Academy has and continues to make.

We are committed to supporting children in the transition from primary to secondary education and this support begins long before their first day at secondary school. We will get to know all of our new Year 7 students in the months leading up to them starting in September 2022 to ensure we can support their individual needs.

This is an exciting time for our school. St Anne's joined the Cranmer Education Trust in March this year, which is a growing community of multi faith, multi-talented schools across North East Manchester. The Trust is led by The Blue Coat School – a nationally recognised outstanding secondary and National Teaching School. The Trust has been designated as the Teaching School Hub for Oldham and Tameside from September 2021 and also consists of Mayfield Primary School and St George's Primary School which are Ofsted 'good' schools. The Trust will ensure that our schools continue to flourish and improve and provide enhanced opportunities for every child.

A recent Ofsted monitoring visit in April stated that:

- "The Headteacher and other leaders have a clear purpose and high expectations. You believe that pupils can, and should, succeed. You and the staff are determined to make sure that this happens."
- "Leaders and governors have adapted the school's approaches to teaching the curriculum effectively so that pupils could continue their learning during the pandemic."

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If your family, friends or colleagues are looking for a Year 7 place for their child in September 2022, please tell them about the Open Evening here at St Anne's Academy on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2021, from 5.30pm to 8.00pm.

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We are pleased to be able to hold this as a face to face event this year so that visitors can have a good look round school. Parents and carers will have the opportunity to meet staff and students to discuss what life is like here at St Anne's and how we can support their child to achieve their best.

To book places at our Open Evening and for further information for prospective parents and carers, please visit [St Anne's Church of England Academy – Transition \(stannesacademy.org.uk\)](http://stannesacademy.org.uk).

We look forward to welcoming your family to St Anne's Academy.

Yours sincerely,



Mr C Heyes  
Headteacher



St Anne's  
Church of England Academy

Join us on  
**23rd September**  
5.30pm - 8.00pm

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