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Dear Year 6 Parents/Carers

Open Evening at St John's on Thursday 2nd October 2025, 16:30-19:00
Introductory talks will be at 16:45 and 17:45 in The Theatre on the Hill

I have great pleasure in inviting you and your child to our Year 6 Open Evening. The evening is intended for parents who have children currently in Year 6, who are due to transfer to Secondary School in September 2026.

The aim of the evening is to ensure that you receive all the information you need to know about St John's and to provide you with the following information and opportunities:

- To visit the Academy and hear about our plans for the future.
- To meet and talk to St John's staff and students.
- To provide an opportunity for you to hear about our exceptionally high achievements in GCSE, BTEC and A level.

Throughout the school there will be displays and classroom activities which will be open from 16:30 until 19:00. Visiting parents, carers and their children will be welcome to visit these areas at any time during the evening and talk to staff and students.

There will be two introductory talks in The Theatre at **16:45** and **17:45**. Senior colleagues and I will give you an insight into life at St John's and hope to allay any fears you and your child may have. The presentation will last about 30 minutes.

The timings of the introductory talks allow you to organise your own programme for the evening. You could, for example, arrive at the school at 16:30 to go straight in to the 16:45 talk and then visit the subject teaching areas until 19:00. Alternatively, you could arrive at 16:30 and look round the subject teaching areas first and then attend the 17:45 talk.

Parking: At this event in particular there is a lot of pressure on the school's limited parking spaces. We would urge you to car share where possible, or park at the George Lane Car Park. It's only a ten-minute walk via Ducks Meadow.

Assistance on site: If you require any assistance during your visit to St John's please email STJ Open Evening openevening@stjohns.excalibur.org.uk.

I look forward to seeing you on Thursday 2nd October.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A Henderson', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mr A Henderson
Principal