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FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Friday 5th
June 2026

Important Dates:

**Year 7 Parents
Evening** - 22 June
2026

Industrial Action
9th, 10th, 11th of
June - School open
to Year 11 every
day, Tuesday open
to Year 11 and 10 –
closed to all other
years.

INSET Day 3/07/26
has been moved to
23/07/26

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excellence,
guided by Christ'

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Year 11 – updates

Booster timetable – this is updated weekly the link to this is:

<https://www.stjohnhoughtonilkeston.srscmat.co.uk/curriculum/gcse-exams/>

Year 11 leavers day – 12.6.2026

On Friday Year 11 will have their last full day in school together before the GCSE exams conclude the following week. They will be able to spend some time together as a Year group after the chemistry exam. The day will conclude with a liturgy, marking the end of our time together over the past five years.

Next Week

Due to ongoing Industrial action school is **Open for ALL Year 11 everyday** all day AND Year 10 on Tuesday (see below) closed for other year groups.

Year 10 in school

All of Year 10 have been asked to attend school on Tuesday 9th June – a letter has been sent to Parents/Carers with details of the day. All buses will be running, full school uniform is to be worn and food will be on sale at both break and lunch. If students should have PE then please bring Kit to change into.

Teachers that are in school (*and this may vary from day to day*) will be offering a **Live Teams lessons to their classes**. A meeting link will be sent to your child's school email by 9:10am – so please ask them to check each day. Please be mindful, that the number of staff in school varies from day to day and that work can only be set or Live lessons taught by the staff who are in school to their usual classes.

In order to fully access work that is set by email or a Teams lesson link students require their school email – full information on how to access this can be found at:

<https://www.stjohnhoughtonilkeston.srscmat.co.uk/curriculum/homework/>

INSET Day Change

In order to maximise Teaching & Learning during this challenging time we have moved the original INSET Day from the 3rd of July to the last day of term Thursday 23rd July. If this causes your family any particular difficulty please get in touch with schooloffice@sjh.srscmat.co.uk

Garde ta Foi! Guard your Faith!

Mrs Christina Hartharn
Acting Headteacher

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SCHOOL NEWS

Nut Allergies:

We have several students within school who have severe nut allergies. We aim to be a nut free school and kindly remind parents/carers and students that nuts and food containing nuts must not be brought into School.



Year 8 HPV vaccinations:

The Year 8 HPV vaccinations have been moved to Monday 15 June 2026 due to Industrial action.

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USEFUL LINKS

Safeguarding concerns please email safeguarding@sjh.srscmat.co.uk

Homework :

<https://www.stjohnhoughtonilkeston.srscmat.co.uk/curriculum/homework/>

School lunch menus:

<https://www.stjohnhoughtonilkeston.srscmat.co.uk/students/school-meals/>

Free School Meals: Derbyshire -

<https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/schools/your-child-atschool/meals/school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx>

Link to School Calendar:

<https://www.stjohnhoughtonilkeston.srscmat.co.uk/news/calendar>

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

2025-2026 School holidays and Inset days:

Inset Day 5 – change to date	Thursday 23 July 2026
Last day of term	Thursday 23 July 2026

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2026-2027 School holidays and Inset Days:

Inset day 1	Friday 4 September 2026
Inset day 2	Monday 7 September 2026
Years 7 & 11 return to school	Tuesday 8 September 2026
All years return to school	Wednesday 9 September 2026
October half term	Monday 26 - Friday 30 October 2026
Inset day 3	Friday 27 November 2026
Christmas holidays	Monday 21 December 2026 – Friday 1 January 2027
February half term	Monday 15 – Friday 19 February 2027
Inset Day 4 (Trust)	Monday 22 February 2027
Easter holidays	Friday 26 March – Friday 9 April 2027
May half term	Monday 31 May – Friday 4 June 2027
All years finish school	Friday 23 July 2027
Inset Day 5	Monday 26 July 2027