

18th October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

It has been extremely pleasing to see both new and returning students settle well into this academic year. As always, it has been a busy start to the year. It has been lovely to welcome and meet with some of you at various events this module. Our sincerest thanks for your continued support as we work together to try to achieve the best outcomes for your child. As always, our students who supported our recent Open Evening surpassed expectations once again. They were truly inspirational to our visiting guests, and we received very positive feedback following our event. They were a credit to yourselves and to the Academy as a whole.

6th Form Events

Our Sixth Form opening evening will be held on Thursday 7th November from 6pm until 8pm. Students, parents and carers are invited to learn more about our sixth form courses on offer here at LSST and also our wider Sixth Form Priory offer available at the other sites. In preparation for the Open Evening all Year 11 students will have an assembly in the first week of Module 2 and a follow up support session in form time. The sixth form prospectus is already live through our website and we would encourage you to view this with your child before the Open Evening. The Priory Academy LSST - Home (priorylsst.co.uk)

Examination information

On Tuesday 12th November our Examinations Information Evening will be held from 6pm. This event is open to all Year 11 and 13 parents, carers and students. We will aim to cover key information relating to internal examinations, revision tips and the summer examination series.

Please click here should you wish to attend.

Year 11 internal assessments take place from 18th November. Students will be revising for these in lessons and teachers will communicate the details of any topics to be covered in these assessments during lesson time. Please see here for the timetable.

End of the day

A polite request for parents not to arrive before 2.30pm when coming to collect your child at the end of the academy day. Cars arriving and queuing before the gates open at 2.30pm are blocking access to the gates for other vehicles.

Senior Leadership Team Consultation Evenings

The senior leadership team are available on specified late afternoons throughout the year to offer a forum to discuss aspects which parents/carers may wish to review beyond the scope of the normal channels of staff/parent

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communication. The slots are staggered throughout the year: 5th November 2024; 4th March 2025, and 10th June 2025. If you wish to avail yourself of this opportunity, please contact our reception on generalenquiries@priorylsst.co.uk, outlining your topic for discussion.

Breakfast Club

We are pleased to inform you that we are relaunching our Breakfast Club provision for Modules 2 and 3 starting from Monday 28th October. This will run in the Year 7 and 8 restaurant from 8.00 to 8.20 and students will be able to access a small range of food and hot drinks for breakfast.

- Bacon Bap £1.80
- Bacon & Egg Bap £1.80
- Bacon Bap (1 slice) £1.10
- Croissant £1.10
- Bacon & Cheese Wrap £1.70
- McMuffin £2.80
- Toasted Half Bagel £0.60
- Toast Slice £0.45
- Cereal Box £1.00
- Jam Portion £0.35
- Omelette & Beans £1.50
- Hot Chocolate £0.90
- Tea or Coffee £0.80
- Soft drinks available

All students eligible for free school meals will have £1.10 available to spend each morning, in addition to the usual free school meal allowance. This additional £1.10 is only available to spend at the Breakfast Club. All other students must ensure they have sufficient funds on their ParentPay account to purchase items.

Due to limited space this provision is only available to students purchasing items at the Breakfast Club.

Uniform

We would like to remind parents and carers that we hold a vast stock of pre-loved uniform on site. If you would like to enquire whether we have an item of uniform which your child may need, please do get in touch via LSSTuniform@prioryacademies.co.uk

I do hope your children enjoy a safe October half term and take the time they need to recharge their 'personal energy batteries' in preparation for the 8 weeks which await them in Module 2 of this academic year.

Yours faithfully

Mrs J Hopkinson Headteacher

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