



21st October 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Key events for the academic year 2021-22 Half Term 2

I hope your child has enjoyed their first half term back in school. It has been great to have our children back in and we have been very impressed with the way in which they have conducted themselves and their attitude in lessons.

We acknowledge that keeping up to date with everything that is going on can be challenging at times, so we have produced this handy table to outline all key events for next half term, we hope you will find it useful. It is also available on the [letters](#) page of our website so you can go back at any point to check key dates.

Unfortunately, we have had to cancel a number of key events due to Local Authority guidance around mass gatherings, as detailed in Mr Pontifex's letter from earlier this week.

Half Term 2

Date	Year Group(s)	Event	Time	Venue
Monday 1st November CANCELLED	All	All Saints' Day Whole School Mass	12.15pm	In school
Monday 8th November	All	Parent Forum	6pm	in school
Thursday 11th November	11	Apprenticeship Evening	6pm-7pm	In school
Thursday 18th November CANCELLED	11 cohort of 2020- 21	GCSE Prize Evening	6pm	In school
Monday 22nd - Friday 26th November	11	MFL Mock speaking exams	All day	In school
Tuesday 23rd November - Wednesday 24th November	10	Retreat	All day	Animate, St Helens



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Monday 29th November - -Friday 10th December	11	Mocks exams	All day	In school
Thursday 2nd December	10	Parents' Evening	4pm-7pm	Virtual via Zoom
Wednesday 15th December	All	Christmas Showcase (<i>pending approval from the Local Authority</i>)	6pm-8pm	In school

Please be aware that it is sometimes necessary to change the dates of events and in rare circumstances, cancel them. We will endeavour to give as much notice as possible should this be the case and would appreciate your understanding in this matter.

I would encourage you to visit our website regularly, especially our [news](#) page where you can read about the latest events at St James'. If you do not already do so, I would encourage you to follow us on Twitter @StJamesCheadle, as this is regularly updated with news, information and handy links.

Thank you for your continued support and please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully

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Senior Deputy Headteacher