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# A Night on the Red Carpet

As a celebratory finish to the culmination of Year 11, Students at De Salis and across The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust came together for their 'Night on the Red Carpet' prom. From topnotch cars, fancy dresses and even shiny tuxedos, the Year 11 Prom was certainly the event of the year! Students enjoyed their time on the dance floor whilst making use of the photo booths and trying their hand at the 360 cameras before the night ended off with a traditional Prom King and Queen crowning, followed by a vote of greatest teacher, which went to none other than our Assistant Principal, Mr Donning. The students had a night to remember, and our staff are extremely proud of the young adults they are becoming.









#### **End of Term**

The term ends on Friday 4th August. All students will be expected to attend college at the normal time of 8:45am, but there will be an early dismissal of 1:00pm. We hope students are looking forward to this well-deserved break.

#### **Term Dates**

The 2023-24 term dates are detailed on our website and can be accessed via [https://www.desalisstudiocollege.co.uk/termdates].

Please check these dates as they will be particularly helpful to parents, guardians or carers planning family holidays and activities.

## A Level and GCSE Results Day

We want to remind all A Level student that Results day will take place at the Post 16 Centre on Thursday 17th August from 9:00 to 11:00am and Year 11 students that the GCSE Results Day will take place at De Salis on Thursday 24th August from 9:00 to 11:00am; a letter outlining a more comprehensive insight into results collection will follow shortly.

#### **Academic Tutoring**

Academic Tutoring appointments are currently being organised for students in Key Stages 3, 4 and Post 16 on Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September 2023.

A separate communication to confirm these appointments will be sent out to parents, guardians and carers in due course. If you have any concerns in regard to your appointment, please contact your child's form tutor via the College reception.

### **Home College Communication**

We believe that strong communication links between the College and parents, guardians and carers are vital in supporting students in achieving their personal best. Research has shown that students' academic progress and achievements are significantly influenced by the extent of parental involvement and interest in their education. The College communicates with parents, guardians and carers in a variety of different ways:

- Verbal: in meetings, by telephone
- Events: information evenings, open evening, academic tutoring
- Written: letters, notes in planners, newsletters
- Electronic: notices posted on the College website, text messages and email

If you have any suggestions for further improving communications, please let us know as we are always receptive to new ideas and initiatives.

#### **Medical Appointments**

Whenever possible, medical appointments for students should be made outside of college hours. However, when it is not possible to get an appointment outside of college hours, please inform your child's form tutor in writing and in advance of the appointment. It is important to include in your written note to the form tutor if you are collecting your child or if they have your permission to leave college unaccompanied. Please also inform the form tutor if your child will return to college following the appointment.



Week Commencing: Monday 31st July

SPECIAL MENU

MONDAY				
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Goujons with Potato Wedges, Beans and Vegetables Halal			
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Goujons with Potato Wedges, Beans and Vegetables Non Hala			
Meal Choice 3	Cheese and Onion Quiche with Potato Wedges, Beans and Vegetables Vegetables			
Meal Choice 4	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings Vegetarian			
TUESDAY				
Meal Choice 1	Macaroni Cheese and Vegetables	Vegetarian		
Meal Choice 2	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian		
WEDNESDAY				
Meal Choice 1	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian		
THURSDAY				
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Sliced Potatoes and Beans	Halal		
Meal Choice 2	Pork Sausages with Sliced Potatoes and Beans	Non Halal		
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Sliced Potatoes and Beans	Vegetarian		
Meal Choice 4	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian		
FRIDAY				
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Cooked Chips and Beans			
Meal Choice 2	Quorn Nuggets with Oven Cooked Chips and Beans	Vegetarian		
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian		
The daily dessert choices will be as follows: Fresh Fruit, Yogurt, Jelly or Ice Cream pots				

#### Mobile Telephone

Whilst the College accepts that some parents, guardians and carers wish their child to carry a mobile telephone for reasons of personal safety as they travel to and from college, they must remain switched off and kept out of sight during the College day. It is the policy of the College for all Key Stage 3 students to hand their mobile telephones to their form tutors at the beginning of each day. The telephones are then securely stored until the end of the day when they are returned to the students. Please note that the College will not accept liability for the safe keeping of a mobile phone; it will remain the responsibility of the student at all times. Use of a mobile phone during college hours will lead to sanctions being imposed, up to and including confiscation.

#### Quote of the Week

"I have learned that champions aren't just born; champions can be made when they embrace and commit to life-changing positive habits." - Lewis Howes



# August 2023

AUGUST				
Tuesday 1st	All Day	Year 10 and 11 South Coast Trip		
Friday 4th	1:00pm	End of Term		
Thursday 17th	All Day	A Level Results Day		
Thursday 24th	All Day	GCSE Results Day		