

Prom 2025

Students and staff came together for an unforgettable evening at Prom 2025, hosted at the elegant Pinewood Hotel in Slough. Themed "A Night Under The Stars", the venue was transformed into a glittering nightscape where students arrived dressed in stunning outfits, each showcasing their individual style and flair.



The night officially began at 7:00pm, students made a grand entrance, welcomed by applause and camera flashes, before heading into the beautifully decorated venue to begin their celebrations. Inside, guests enjoyed a delicious summer BBQ buffet, offering a wide range of meat and vegetarian options to cater to every palate. The food, ambience, and service were all met with enthusiastic approval.

One of the most popular features of the night was the Magic Mirror Photo Booth, where students captured countless moments with friends. With unlimited printed copies and digital versions sent to their college email accounts, students were able to take a piece of the night home with them—and revisit the memories whenever they wish.



Music filled the air as the dancefloor came alive, with students dancing, laughing, and celebrating the end of their academic journey together. Teachers joined in on the fun too, showing their support and adding to the warm and positive atmosphere.



Throughout the night, the event was closely supervised by a team of dedicated staff and supported by professional venue security to ensure everyone's safety and comfort. We are pleased to report that student behaviour was exemplary throughout, and the respectful, celebratory tone of the evening reflected the very best of our college community.



Prom 2025 concluded promptly at 12:00am, leaving everyone with memories they will cherish for years to come. A huge thank you to the staff, venue team, and everyone who worked behind the scenes to make this event such a success. We are incredibly proud of our students—not just for how they conducted themselves on the night, but for all they have achieved during their time with us. Prom was a perfect send-off, and we wish them the very best in the exciting journeys ahead.



YEAR 11 LEAVERS

We should also congratulate our departing Year 11 students who have been a truly wonderful year group. We are proud of the way they have conducted themselves and at how seriously they have taken their responsibility to prepare thoroughly for their final exams. They formed De Salis largest year cohort to date, and they were a special one. We look forward to seeing at least some of them stay with us for Post 16.

LOST PROPERTY

All lost property enquiries should be directed to the main reception of the College on **020 3819 3421**. Items that are found on the campus that are clearly marked with the student's name are returned to the student as soon as possible. All un-named items are kept by reception for students to check.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Take pride in how far you've come. Have faith in how far you can go. But don't forget to enjoy the journey." - **Michael Josephson**

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF STUDENT DETAILS

Parents, guardians and carers are reminded of the importance of keeping the College informed of changes to children's details such as changes to mobile telephone numbers, emergency contacts, doctor's surgeries, important medical information etc. In the event of an of emergency it is vitally important for us to be able to access up to date, accurate student contact and medical information on our database. Please support us in our duty of care for your child by ensuring that any changes to contact and medical details are communicated to us as they happen. Thank you.

END OF TERM: FRIDAY 18TH JULY 2025

The Summer term ends on Friday 18th July. All students will be expected to attend college at the normal time of 8:45am, but there will be an early phased dismissal as follows:

- Year 9 - 12:15pm
- Year 10 - 12:30pm
- Year 11 - 12:45pm

A LEVEL RESULTS DAY: THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST

Students who are due to receive their A Level Examination results on Thursday 14th August 2025 will need to collect these from Parkside Studio College, Post 16 Centre between 9:00am and 11:00am.

GCSE RESULTS DAY: THURSDAY 21ST AUGUST

GCSE Results Day will take place at De Salis Studio College on Thursday 21st August 2025. Students who are due to receive their GCSE Examination results will need to collect these from De Salis between 9:00am and 11:00am.

INSET DAYS: TUESDAY 2ND AND WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2025

Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd September are INSET days. Therefore, students are not required to attend college. Consequently, the first day of the 2025/26 Autumn Term for students will begin on Thursday 4th September at 8:45pm.

ACADEMIC TUTORING

Academic Tutoring will be held on Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd September 2025. This will take place from 2:30pm, further communications will be sent in a separate letter. Tuesday 2nd September will be reserved for Year 9 and Post-16 students, and Wednesday 4th for Year 10 and 11 students. It is our expectation that all students attend this meeting, together with at least one parent, guardian or carer.

LEADING PARENT PARTNERSHIP AWARD

UNIFORM DONATIONS

PARENTS ARE WELCOMED TO DONATE ANY COLLEGE UNIFORM INCLUDING PEKT WHICH IS IN GOOD CONDITION THAT CAN BE USED TO SHARE WITH OTHER STUDENTS. ANY DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

HOW DO YOU GET INVOLVED?

DO YOU HAVE A SKILL, SET? IF YES, WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU. IF NO, THERE ARE MANY THINGS WAYS THAT YOU CAN IMMERSE YOURSELF IN YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATIONAL JOURNEY. PLEASE CONTACT US TO FIND OUT MORE!

UPCOMING EVENTS

ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLY
THURSDAY 17TH JULY

PARENT CONSULTATIONS
ACADEMIC REVIEW
TUESDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER
WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

CONTACTING THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

WE UNDERSTAND THAT SOMETIMES YOU MAY WANT TO SPEAK TO A MEMBER OF OUR SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM. WE WANT PARENTS, GUARDIANS AND CARERS TO BE CONFIDENT IN THE KNOWLEDGE THAT THE TEAM ARE ALWAYS HAPPY TO HEAR FROM YOU. BELOW ARE THE DIRECT EMAILS FOR MR BURKE AND MR DONNING.

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JULY	
Friday 18th	End of Term
AUGUST	
Thursday 14th	A-Level Results Day
Thursday 21st	GCSE Results Day
SEPTEMBER	
Tuesday 2nd	Academic Tutoring
Wednesday 3rd	Academic Tutoring
Thursday 4th	Start of Term