



# St Martin's — School —

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Executive Headteacher **Jamie Foster**

# Year 6 Welcome

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## Joining the SMS Community:

1. Our vision and values
2. What to expect and daily routines – The St Martin's way
3. Communication and the September start

# Year 6 Information Evening

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## Key Staff

**Mr G Welton:**

Head of Year 7

**Mr A Laundry:**

Deputy Head of Year 7

**Miss S Edmeades:** Director of KS3

**Mrs G Tatman:**

Deputy Headteacher (Students, DSL)

**Mrs A Day:**

Deputy Headteacher (Quality of Education)

# Expectations

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## 3 School Rules:

1. Be Kind
2. Be Safe
3. Be Responsible

# Attendance

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## **100% Attendance from every student:**

- Daily monitoring of attendance
- Celebration of Attendance
- **PUNCTUALITY**

# Uniform Standards



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## Uniform

- Blazers
- Skirts – on the knee
- Top buttons done up
- Trousers (mid-grey) worn on hip
- Traditional plain black flat polishable shoes
- Mobile phone policy
- Jewellery and make up



# St Martin's Equipment



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**Black coloured school bag**  
**Reading book**

## **St Martin's Equipment pack**

*Black pen x3*

*Book Covers x 7*

*Clear pencil case*

*Compass*

*Glue stick*

*Green pen x3*

*Highlighter x3*

*Pencil x3*

*Protractor*

*Rubber*

*Ruler*

*Scientific calculator*



St Martin's equipment pack@  
£22 can be purchased on  
ParentPay ready for collection  
in September.

# Pastoral overview

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## Year team

- 10 Forms
- Morning tutor time and line up. The Form Tutor is the first point of call for uniform, equipment and punctuality
- Supported by: **Head of Year: Guy Welton**  
**Deputy Head of Year: Andy Laundry**  
**Key Stage Director: Sophie Edmeades**



# Communication

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## Who to get in touch with

- Absence – Report to DHOY – Email, phone, insight (enquires line)
- Lost property – Year office
- General well-being/anxiety – Form Tutors first then Year office
- Satchel One – timetable, homework, behaviour



# School day



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**Mr Welton**  
**Head of Year 7**

<b>Start of the day</b>	<b>8:25</b>
Registration/line up	8:30-8:45
Period 1	8:50-9:50
Period 2	9:55-10:55
Break	10:55-11:15
Period 3	11:20-12:20
Period 4	12:25-13:25
Lunch	13:25-14:00
Period 5	14:05-15:05

# Outstanding Personal Achievement



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## A broad and balanced curriculum

CORE/EBacc	EBacc	Open	Other
English	History	Art	PSHE
Maths	Geography	Drama	Library Lesson
Science	French	Music	Literacy Support (where required)
	German	PE	
	Computer Science	DT (Product Design, Food, Textiles)	
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# Enrichment



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## Clubs

- Lego Club
- Science Club
- Sports groups (football, rugby, athletics, cricket etc)
- Debate Club
- Creative Writing
- Art Club
- Percussion Club (African drumming)
- Guitar/Keyboard Clubs
- Junior Choir and Senior Glee Club
- Steel Pan Group
- AV Music Tech Club
- Year 7 Drama Club
- Production Rehearsals

# Enrichment



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## Trips

- Year 7 residential – Stubbers June 2026
- First Lego League (Computing)
- Science Museum
- The 39 Steps (Drama)
- “Peter Pan Goes Wrong” (Drama/English)
- Disney Land Paris (Maths)
- Tate Modern (Art)
- Stratford & Walton (Geography)
- Warner Brothers (Art & DT)
- Barbados (PE)
- New York (Sixth Form)
- Skiing
- Ypres and the Somme (History)

# Induction day

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- **Day 1 – 26 June – arrival 08:45-09:00 in South Car Park**
- Primary school uniform
- Assembly/biometrics
- 3 lessons
- Reading test – computer, headphones
- Break and lunch
- Own food and drink
- Collection 14:30

# Induction day

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- **Day 2 – 27 June – arrival 08:45-09:00 in South Car Park**
- Primary school PE kit
- School show
- PE lesson
- Awards assembly
- Meet the tutor
- Break and lunch
- Own food and drink
- Collection 14:30

# September

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## 1 September 2025

- Just Year 7 and 12 in school
- Start of day 08:25 – line up/assembly
- P1-P3 with tutor groups
- Timetables/Satchel/tour of school
- P4 and P5 lessons
- Break and lunch



# September

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## 2 September 2025

- Arrival by 08:25 – make way to line up
- Normal timetabled lessons
- Bring all relevant equipment – PE
- Finish 15:00

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Students will receive this booklet on their transition days,  
but it can also be downloaded from the padlet.



# Summer homework



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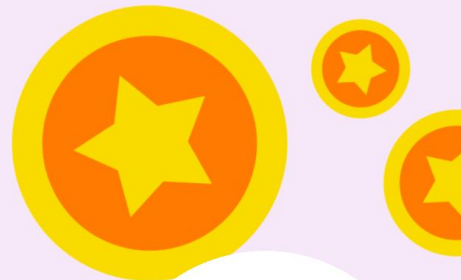
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Read-Aloud  
Challenge 2025**  
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**Our school is in  
the challenge!**

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**readaloudchallenge.co.uk**  
**#BeProudReadAloud**



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**"We started the National Read-Aloud Challenge to make reading accessible for every child—especially over the summer, when many fall behind. We offer Fonetti free during the holidays, and by partnering with like-minded businesses to help spread the word, we're sparking a love for reading and driving lasting change."**

Kim Antoniou, Founder of Fonetti



<https://www.readaloudchallenge.co.uk/join/SROU-YIMX-UWWJ>

# Additional evening

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**'How to help reduce anxiety in your child's transition to secondary school'** led by Mrs Wilson

More information to follow