



ST GEORGE'S PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

Staffing – 2012

We have finalised our staffing for 2012. I would like to congratulate Miss Gail Penny on her promotion to the position of Head of Academics. Miss Penny is an experienced teacher and I know that our academic programme will continue to flourish under her guidance.

Due to the increased growth in pupil numbers at the school we have decided to split the Sport and Discipline portfolios at the school. Mr Shawn Bolton will continue to oversee discipline at the school in his role as Head of Discipline and Pastoral Care.

Mr Andrewe Hayidakis has been appointed as a Grade 7 teacher and the Head of Sport with effect from 1 April 2012. Mr Hayidakis has taught at Grey Junior for the past 16 years. He is presently Head of the Grey Hostel and has been instrumental in much of Grey's sporting success of late. We look forward to welcoming Mr Hayidakis to St George's and we know that he will add value in the classroom and on the sportsfield.

Mrs Tania van Thiel has been appointed as Grade 7 teacher for the 1st term of 2012.

Mr David Glover will return in January 2012 and teach Maths in Grades 3, 5, 6 and 7.

Miss Alex Mitchell and Miss Claudia Dalla-Vecchia have been appointed as Foundation Phase teaching assistants. We look forward to them joining the Prep.

Uniform

There are a number of school events in the coming weeks that require pupils to wear full school uniform, including blazers.

Please ensure that boys' hair is cut, and girls' hair is tied neatly, according to school guidelines.

Prize Giving

On Wednesday, 30 November, Grade 1, 2 and 3 pupils may leave after the Foundation Phase Prize Giving and Grades 4 – 7 will finish school at 12:30. Grade 4 and 5 pupils must be back at school by 14:30; Grade 6 and 7 pupils must be back at school by 18:30.

Please do support all the activities planned at the school in the weeks leading up to the end of the school year.

Yours sincerely
Jonathan Liss
HEADMASTER