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Principal: Mr M A Kennedy, BSc. MA

Dear Headteacher.

Please find enclosed a poster about our 2023 Open Events, which are taking place on the following dates:

Open Evening:

Thursday 21st September, 4pm-7pm

Open Morning:

Saturday 23rd September, 10am-12pm

Prospective parents and pupils are invited to come and sample a taste of life at St. Mary's, meet our wonderful pupils and staff, and find out more about the fantastic learning and development opportunities on offer.

I should be very grateful if you would display and/or distribute the enclosed poster and bring our Open Events to the attention of parents and children at your school, especially your Year 5 and 6 pupils.

People who wish to attend our Open Events are asked to pre-register via our website: www.stmarys.ac/open-events

St. Mary's College has its own Bursaries Scheme and each year we are able to offer a number of Edmund Rice Scholarships (Assisted Places), which, according to financial need, may be worth close to full fees. This is in addition to several open scholarships awarded on academic merit alone irrespective of income. We also award scholarships for those gifted in Art, Music and Sport.

The date for our entrance examination for 2024 entry is Friday 17th November 2023, with interviews taking place earlier that week (w/c Monday 13th November) and Art, Music and Sport Scholarship assessments taking place the previous week (w/c Monday 6th November).

The entrance examination will consist of Maths and English papers plus an online Cognitive Abilities Test. Specimen Maths and English papers are available from St. Mary's College upon request.

Application forms and further information are available from the school office. If families at your school require additional information, please encourage them to call us on 0151 924 3926 or email office@stmarys.lpool.sch.uk.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Yours sincerely,

M. Kennedy Principal

