

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS



Act justly, love tenderly, walk humbly with your God

27th November 2023

UK Disability History Month (UKDHM)

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: **Wear a Purple Accessory on Friday 8th December**

From Thursday 16th November to Saturday 16th of December is when we in this country acknowledge UKDHM. This month long campaign aims to:

- Celebrate the lives of Disabled People now and in the past, and
- Challenge 'Disabilism'

Many members of our community live with a disability, we want to continue to be supportive of them, raising awareness about the issues faced by people with disabilities, their families and communities. We are therefore encouraging all students to wear a **purple accessory** on **Friday the 8th of December**.

*"Our theme this year is REIMAGINE - to focus our Learning Family to: understand the truth about others, eliminating fears; address inequalities of opportunities and outcomes; create an even more cohesive, respectful and understanding Learning Family.... **Leaving no one behind**....." Mrs E Loveland.*

Hair accessories such as purple ribbons, bows, headbands, clips, hairbands, head scarves, coats, gloves, bags are examples of items that when worn, show support for any members of our community living with a disability – visible or invisible.

Outside of the choice of purple accessories, the school uniform remains unchanged.

We want your daughter to enjoy taking part, showing support and raising awareness whilst also keeping the sentiment of '**UKDHM**' at the forefront of their minds.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink on a light-colored background.

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