

# ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS



Act justly, love tenderly, walk humbly with your God

12<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

## Re: Year 8 to Year 9 Transition – Campus Move to Palmers Green

I am writing to inform you of an important update regarding your daughter's transition into Year 9 next academic year.

From **September 2026**, our current Year 8 students will be based at our Palmers Green campus and will no longer be located at Enfield. This decision has been made following careful consideration and is intended to ensure we make the most effective use of our resources across the school.

Relocating Year 9 students to Palmers Green will enable them to benefit from increased space and enhanced access to specialist facilities and learning resources. In addition, teaching staff will no longer need to travel between campuses as frequently, allowing them to be more consistently available to students and further strengthening both academic provision and pastoral support.

Students are being informed of this decision today, and a year group gathering will take place next week to address any initial questions or concerns students may have. To further support students with this, **Wednesday 8th** and **Thursday 9th July 2026** have been designated as **Transition Days** for those who will be entering Year 9 in September. This will give students a bespoke experience of the Palmers Green Campus and mitigate any concerns students may have about this move. A copy of this letter, together with the opportunity to submit questions, will be made available to all Year 8 students via Student Hub.

I will also be holding an **Online Headteacher Q&A on 25th March from 6:30–7:30pm**. This session will include a short presentation outlining the rationale for the move, followed by an opportunity for parents and carers to ask questions and seek clarification on any aspects of this decision. A link to join the session will be shared with all parents and carers in advance of 25th March.

I recognise that changes of this nature may prompt questions, and I am committed to ensuring that both students and families feel informed, reassured and supported throughout this process. Working in close partnership with you, parents and carers, is hugely beneficial for all our students, and I greatly value your continued support as our Learning Family move forward together.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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