



St Peter's Catholic High School

A Specialist Visual Arts College



MAP/STE/ABA

11th October 2016

Dear Parent/ Carer,

We would like to invite your child to take part in Step 1 of St. Peter's Keys to Success. This is a personal development programme aimed at rewarding participation, creating habits of involvement and to engage all pupils in meaningful activities beyond the curriculum.

The programme will run throughout Year 7 and there are three strands to complete; Learning, Serving and Community. If your child completes all three strands of the programme they will be awarded a certificate and a badge to be worn on the blazer.

Through the opportunities provided and the skills that are experienced and developed, pupils should grow as individuals with a strong set of core values. We believe the programme has the potential to develop the whole child, to give them a sense of their uniqueness and to celebrate their participation and full involvement in the Catholic life of St. Peter's. This will ensure that they truly feel a valued part of our learning and serving Christian community.

We have introduced the programme in assembly this week. Your child has a sheet in their journal which needs to record the activities that they choose to participate in. If your child is already involved in their local parish this can also be credited towards the award and will need signing by someone who is involved with them in their role.

We hope that your child will be inspired to try something new and will feel fully involved in the whole life of the school. Our aim is that pupils will be ambitious and enjoy the range of extra-curricular activities that St. Peter's has to offer. We appreciate your support in encouraging your child to become involved and to aim high.

If you have any questions about the programme please feel free to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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