THE ST LEONARDS ACADEMY

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Friday 6th June 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

Taster Days and Parent Information Evening

Welcome to The St Leonards Academy.

I am delighted to be able to write to you now that you have received confirmation that your child has been successful in gaining a place at The St Leonards Academy for September 2025. Everyone at our Academy is looking forward to a happy and fruitful partnership with you and your child over the coming years. Your child's transition from primary school to secondary is a big step and we are here to support them through this process.

Parent Information Evening:
There will be a Parent Information Evening on Wednesday 25th June 2025. You will be provided with the Induction Pack and find out your tutor group. There will be a short presentation about the 2 taster days and an opportunity to ask questions. Please see below times for each school.

4.00pm to 4.30pm	Christchurch, Churchwood, Home Education, Robsack, St Leonards CE, West St Leonards
4.30pm to 5.00pm	All Bexhill Schools, All Saints, Ark Blacklands, Ark Castledown, Ark Little Ridge, Bodiam, Crowhurst, Hollington, Sandown, Silverdale, St Pauls, St Thomas, The Baird, Ticehurst

Taster Days:

The taster days are on Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd July 2025. You will need to bring your child to the Academy arrival between 8.15am and 8.40am, please come to the Astro Turf side of the school and collect between 2.45pm and 3.00pm, at the same place. Please ensure that your child knows the pick- up arrangements and they are able to make their own way home with your permission.

A packed lunch will be provided for all students, please send your child with a refillable water bottle and any additional snacks they may require.

The students must wear their current school uniform and do not need to bring a PE kit with them.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us k.webb@thestleonardsacademy.org.uk g.sidders@thestleonardsacademy.org.uk

Yours faithfully

Kirsty Webb
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