

INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS INSPECTORATE

12th October 2010

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Inspection of St Joseph's Preparatory School starting on 19 Oct 2010

Your child's school is soon to be inspected by the Independent Schools Inspectorate as part of the programme of regular inspections required by the Department for Education.

The inspection team, which will be led by Mrs E. Coley, invites all parents to complete a confidential questionnaire as part of the process. The questionnaire is available for you to complete online at <http://surveys.isi.net>. The unique code for your school's inspection is MSZV-AOYT-UAMU and you will need to enter this and your email address to be sent a link to the questionnaire. The email address must not be the same as one previously used to register a pupil questionnaire response. The online questionnaire must be completed by the Sunday night before the inspection begins to allow the results to be collated, so please complete the questionnaire as soon as possible.

The completed questionnaires provide a valuable source of information for the inspection team and are designed to allow you to make detailed comments for the reporting inspector should you wish. Using the online system ensures that we are able to analyse and process feedback from parents quickly so that inspectors are aware of the parents' views before the inspection begins. If however, you are unable to access the online version then you may request a copy of the questionnaire from the school and return it to the school in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Reporting Inspector.

The school will not see the completed questionnaires or know of any individual responses, though general findings will be shared.

Thank you for your contribution to the forthcoming inspection.

Yours sincerely,

Durell Barnes

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