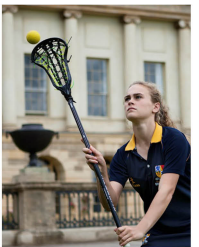


Stowe



New Pupils' Weekend

Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 June 2017



NEW PUPILS' WEEKEND

New Pupils' Weekend will take place on Saturday 24 and Sunday 25 June 2017. All new Third Formers are invited (subject for some to their success at Common Entrance).

The weekend provides a great opportunity for you and your child to meet other pupils and parents in your House, as well as becoming more familiar with the School. We know that it is a busy time of year in many schools and that it may not be possible to attend. If this is the case, please do not worry as there will be a full induction programme in September.

PROGRAMME

Saturday 25 June

- 6.15pm New Pupils and Parents Arrive
- 6.45pm Parents Depart
- 7.00pm Dinner for New Pupils in the State Dining Rooms
- 7.45pm Back to House for Evening

Sunday 26 June

- 8.30am Breakfast
- 9.15am Treasure Hunt
- 10.00am South Front Fun
- 11.15am Activities End and Prizes Awarded
- 11.45am Parents Return
New Pupils and Parents to Chapel
- 12.45pm Lunch for New Pupils and Parents
in the State Dining Rooms
- 1.45pm Weekend Ends

SATURDAY EVENING

On Saturday evening, you are asked to arrive at 6.15pm and go directly to your House. Here you will be met by your Housemaster or Housemistress and their team. Parents are invited to stay for light refreshments whilst your child settles into their room and meets with the other members of the House. Parents depart at 6.45pm and the New Stoics will go to the State Dining Room for Dinner. After Dinner, the New Stoics will return to House for the evening. This first evening will provide new pupils with a good opportunity to familiarise themselves with their surroundings and to meet some of the current Stoics in their House. Please ensure you bring a sleeping bag and pillow.

SUNDAY MORNING ACTIVITIES

Sunday morning will be an opportunity for the New Stoics to get to know each other better. Working in House teams, they will be set a number of challenges, which together with some of their House Prefects, they will tackle. The morning is also a fun way for us to get to know each child better - Housemasters and Housemistresses enjoy helping their teams, and there is more than a little House rivalry to make it entertaining!

CHAPEL & LUNCH

After the morning's activities are finished, Parents are invited to return to Stowe to join the morning's Chapel service with your children and join us for lunch, after which the weekend closes.

SCHOOL SHOP

During the weekend there will be limited appointments available at the School Shop for the purchase of school uniform. Timings are as follows:

Saturday 10.00am – 6.00pm

Sunday 12.00pm – 4.00pm

Priority for these appointments will be given to parents from overseas or who live some distance from the School.

Appointments are also available during term time 9.00am-5.00pm Monday to Friday, and during the summer holidays Monday to Thursday at 9.00am, 11.00am and 12.00pm. To make your appointment, please contact the shop directly by emailing shop@stowe.co.uk or calling 01280 818219 and give an indication of the jacket size you may require. You should allow 1-1.5 hours for a fitting session.

WHAT TO WEAR

New Stoics do not need to arrive in their school uniform on the Saturday evening and can wear their own clothes. For Sunday's activities they will need suitable outdoor clothing (please make sure they have sensible shoes and a rain jacket). For Chapel, they will be expected to look smart, either in their own clothes or their school uniform.

BOOKING

Please reply by completing the [online form](#) by **Monday 12 June 2017**