## ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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OUR REF:

DATE: Friday, 7th February 2025

## **TO:** Parents of students in Years 1-12

## PROPOSED FEE INCREMENT FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-2026

Dear Parents,

**Greetings from St. Mary's.** It is at this time that we wish to provide you with the following information pertaining to a **proposed 6% increase in Tuition Fees**, subject to KHDA approval, for the Academic year 2025-2026.

We would like to thank our parent community for your constant support and collaboration. Our mission has always been to provide good quality education that is affordable. Our fee level remains the lowest when compared with other schools that provide the UK Curriculum, a good number of which charge significantly more than St. Mary's. We are a Not-for-Profit institution, and the proposed fee hike is only to help the school sustain its day-to-day operations.

Cost pressures apply to St. Mary's as much as they do to many other entities and in fact rising costs have impacted our school significantly due to our extremely low fee structure. In spite of diligent financial stewardship and control of expenses, we continually face huge challenges with rising costs with respect to staffing, resources, maintenance costs, refurbishment upgrades and operational expenses.

We hope you will recognise that our decision to propose a 6% increase in the tuition fees is to sustain the operational needs of the school by supporting its expenses while continuing to provide a good quality education to our children.

You are welcome to send any concerns or feedback to Lise-Ann via email. Thank you for your understanding and support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Paul Asir Joseph (Principal)

