



23 July 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

A warm welcome back to the start of Term 3. I trust you had a safe and relaxing holiday with your children. Hopefully, they are refreshed and ready for the second half of the year.

As you would know from recent communications, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in NSW met during the school holidays to approve the merger of The Scots School and All Saints' College to form our new school called, **Scots All Saints College**. A new School Board was also formed and met for the first time on Saturday 14 July 2018.

These key decisions and the recent appointment of our Senior Executive and Senior Leadership team provide the cornerstone for our two very successful schools to come together in 2019. Careful consideration and focus continues to ensure that our current school program remains at a steady pace throughout 2018. At the same time, the Integration process is gaining momentum as we join together as the school community to officially launch the new combined College later this term.

To help students, parents and our wider school community have a greater understanding of the direction of our new College, our team has compiled a Frequently Asked Questions document (attached with this letter) that will be housed on both school websites under the Integration link and regularly updated. School newsletters will continue to provide Integration updates on a weekly basis.

As the first Headmaster of Scots All Saints College, I am thrilled to be working with the strong calibre of Senior School leaders, teachers, staff and parents to lead our school community into this exciting new era in educational excellence in regional NSW.

I will be available at both the Scots Campus, Lithgow Campus and All Saints Campus, attending assemblies and other functions and meeting students so feel free to approach me, ask a question or make an appointment to meet with me when it suits you.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Gates'.

Mr David Gates

Headmaster

Scots All Saints College