



St. Julie's Catholic High School

Headteacher: Mr. T. Alderman

"Serve the good God well with much liberty of spirit"

Dear Applicant,

Re: Leadership opportunities at St Julie's Sixth Form

At St Julie's Sixth Form we view every Sixth Former as a potential leader and we aim to develop your leadership skills through three overlapping concepts:

- Leadership of your own learning
- Formal leadership roles
- Everyday leadership for every student

We will help you to become autonomous and independent of your teachers, forging your own academic development and ensuring you are well prepared for your chosen career path. You will demonstrate skills of time-management, organisation and resilience in leading your own learning.

The prestigious 1804 Society is integral to the daily life at St Julie's because these students genuinely shape the future of the school and leave a lasting legacy. The 1804 Society gets its title from the year in which the Sisters of Notre Dame were founded. As such, the 1804 Society is a link in a chain to those who have gone before. Members are called upon to embrace what it is to have a Notre Dame education and to pass on the baton of the Spirit of St. Julie to those who follow.

The 1804 Society is to be a living embodiment of the school motto which calls on all of our community to "Serve the good God well with much liberty of spirit." As well as this general expectation, there are specific ways in which members can serve the community through a variety of leadership roles. A new 1804 Society is elected each year by nominations from staff and students and members are expected to be role models in all strands of the school Mission Statement.

However, we recognise the potential of all our students and firmly believe that leadership is for everyone at St Julie's Sixth Form. As future leaders, we will offer you a range of opportunities and roles to become involved in leading others. Every Sixth Former will have opportunities to take advantage of additional formal leadership roles such as these:

- Paired Reading Buddies Scheme
- Subject Ambassadors to support the KS4/5 Transition Team
- Christian Action placements within the local community
- Anti-Bullying Ambassadors
- Cyber Champions Initiative in conjunction with Merseyside Police
- Liverpool Schools Model United Nations
- Liverpool Schools Parliament – Upper House

- School Council

At St Julie's Sixth Form we believe that leadership comes in many guises. Every Sixth Former is a role model to the younger students. We recognise the powerful impact we can have on each other's lives, every day. We cultivate 'everyday leadership' and recognise how empathy, generosity of spirit, acts of kindness and simple courtesy can transform lives. Leadership in St Julie's Sixth Form is also about moral courage: standing up for what is right and challenging unfairness. We place great importance on developing you into young leaders and are proud to give you the opportunities to develop key skills which will be essential for many aspects of your lives. We also develop a sense of social responsibility in our students by encouraging and supporting you to be meaningful contributors in the local and global community.

Student leadership is at the heart of St Julie's Sixth Form. Every Sixth Former is given the opportunity to take on a leadership role because at St Julie's, leadership is for everyone.

What type of leader will you be?

Mrs Jones

Acting Head of Upper School