

# SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

## ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s),

### RE: Year 10 Maths Feast Competition, The King John School, Benfleet

It is with great pleasure that I write to inform you that your son has been selected to represent SHSB in the Further Mathematics Support Programme (FMSP) Year 10 Maths Feast 2024 which is taking place at The King John School on **Tuesday 12 March 2024**.

The Year 10 Maths Feast is a national competition which combines mathematical, communication and teamwork skills; and offers students a further way to express and develop their enjoyment of mathematics.

There is no cost associated with this activity, however you must complete the school's off-site visit form in order for your child to participate. Please ensure that this form is submitted (by pressing the 'save details' button) by Friday 8 March 2024. <https://forms.office.com/e/cupWGLAwCd>

In order to promote this work, local media may be invited to come along and report on the day. I would therefore be grateful if you could give permission for your son to be photographed or filmed (if he is asked), or if he is captured in the background of a photograph; or better still if he is a member of the winning Team. Your son will be expected to remain in school uniform throughout the trip. You will find the option to provide this permission on the above mentioned off-site visit form.

The team will leave Southend High School for Boys at 12pm in order to arrive at The King John School for a 12:30pm start. Your son will therefore need to meet Mr Howley in N6 at 11:45am on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March, Mr Howley and Mr Fitzgerald will then drive the team of 8 students, in cars, to The King John School.

The competition is expected to finish at around 3pm, and the expected time of return to SHSB is 3:25pm, depending on traffic. If you wish to meet your son at The King John School at the end of the event, then please can you make this known to Mr Howley via the off-site visit form.

Please review the school's Trip Code of Conduct via the link below, and ensure your son is aware of, and committed to, the required standards of behaviour.

<https://www.shsb.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=2633>

Yours sincerely

Mr. J. Howley  
Trip organiser

