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Dear Esteemed Parents and Guardians of the
Saint George School Upper School Students:

Welcome to the 2011-2012 academic year! I look forward to inspiring your child[ren] in the beautiful journey of inquiry - to investigate and question deeper into the understanding of life and the world we live in together!

I will be a homeroom teacher for half of the 9th grade and focused academically on the content areas of Social Studies (World History) for 9th grade and Theory of Knowledge for all of 11th grade and portions of 12th. The breadth and scope of these areas of study are vast and the significant learning we will achieve together will be a testament to every effort made together - by you, me and your child[ren] - directed in this endeavor.

Of equal importance to content is the overall academic and personal development of our students, whereby the skills and tools of self-reflection, organization, analytical thinking, teamwork, and communication will be a constant component of our work.

I hope to raise the relevance of all these component parts in our year together, so that the trajectory of your student/s as life-long learners is fully enhanced by this year's experience. I cannot wait to begin the school year engaged in this process!

My name is Mr. Andrew Wilson. I have been a part of the Saint George School community for 4 years, with this my 3rd year as a teacher in the Upper School. I graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and minor in Philosophy from Vassar College. I am an alumnus of the Coro Fellows Program for Leadership in Public Affairs, one of the United States' most rigorous and esteemed fellowships in the field. I was later director of the same program in New York City. As a professional, I have worked for government, non-profit and private enterprise, including various foreign and multi-national organizations, bringing all these experiences to bear in my teaching.

It is my greatest aspiration for your child to live up to the credo: "Be the change you want to see in the world." Together, I hope we may play at least some part in bringing that aspiration to fruition. We will have an excellent academic year aiming to do exactly that!

Best regards,

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