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Dear Parent/carer,

### **Year 11 Information Evening - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2022, 6:00-8:00 pm.**

We hope that your son/daughter has enjoyed a positive start to Year 11. We are very much looking forward to welcoming you back to Kibworth Mead and further developing our partnership to support your child during their journey through Year 11.

We are writing to invite you to our Year 11 information evening. The aim of the evening is to give you information which will help you to support your child's learning at this important stage of their education.

The evening will consist of:

- Post 16 Fayre in the Sports Hall. This will be a great opportunity for students and parents/carers to meet with representatives from other schools, colleges, universities and apprenticeship schemes.
- Presentation to parents including how to support your child with revision, coping with exams and the process of choosing Post 16 courses and provider.

The parent presentations will take place in the main school hall and will run twice. Please use the link below to book spaces for either the **6pm or 7pm presentation**. It is expected that the presentation will last approximately 40 minutes.

Please book a place at this event by following the link below. Please let us know if you require additional spaces to the 2 that are available via the link.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/year-11-information-evening-thursday-22nd-september-2022-6pm-8-pm-tickets-416515748817>

Before and after the presentations we would encourage you to attend the Post 16 Fayre in the sports hall.

### **What my Year 11 child should be doing now**

Students should be in the process of writing their personal statements and will have an opportunity over the next two weeks in tutor time to finalise a first draft. The first draft should be completed by **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022**.

All Year 11 students are in the process of having a 1:1 careers talk for 30 mins with Cheryl McCarthy (Careers Practitioner from LifeJigsaw), where she will offer advice and guidance about post 16 choices. These have started and will be running throughout September and October.



Students will apply to most courses through Positive Steps (PS) 16. Students will be given a username and password for this and how to apply. The deadline for students to have applied to colleges will be December 12<sup>th</sup>. Please do not make your own PS16 account as it is more difficult to track and provide a reference.

Students should ensure they are completing homework set to a good standard and actively revising for any mini assessments set. This will support them in the build up to longer revision periods in advance of the autumn term **pre public exams (mocks)** that will take place from **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October** and last approximately two weeks.

We do hope you will be able to join us on this interesting and informative event as we work together to support your child through the upcoming year. In the meantime, should you have any queries then please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Katie Rees  
Lead in Careers  
Head of Year 11

Dr Patricia Thompson  
Vice Principal

Mrs Helen Stockwell  
Vice Principal