

February 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 11 Taster Day - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

On Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019, all Year 11 students will be given the opportunity to experience life as a Sixth Form student. The aim of this day is to support all students in thinking about the options open to them in September.

Each student has had a conversation about lessons that they would like to be part of and they will each receive a new timetable for the day.

All students will be expected to come in to school by 8.30am and go directly to the Large Hall for assembly. The day will finish at the normal time of 2.50pm. Students can use the common room at break and lunch time and they must come dressed appropriately for Sixth Form (please see overleaf for details of the Dress Code). Students will be experiencing lessons for the day so they will need their usual equipment such as pens, pencils and a note pad.

We hope that this day will prove to be a useful starting point in helping students to think through their options for the future.

Yours faithfully

**Ms H Sambhi**  
**Assistant Head Teacher**

## Dress Code for Sixth Form Taster Day

The Sixth Form Dress Code should reflect high aspirations and a desire for excellence.

### Male:

Smart trousers – formal, business style (no shorts, tracksuit bottoms, jeans or chino styles)

Smart blazer – (no casual, denim or leather jackets)

Button through plain shirt with a collar/ smart polo shirt with collar - any colour (no t-shirts, logos or vivid patterns)

Tie – optional

Formal smart shoes – (no trainers, canvas shoes)

No headwear – except for religious purposes

### Female:

Smart skirt or trousers – skirts/trousers should be smart and business style. Skirts should be **KNEE LENGTH MINIMUM** (no miniskirts/short skirts, shorts, tracksuit bottoms, leggings or jeans)

Smart blazer – (no denim or leather jackets)

Button through plain blouse/shirt with a collar – any colour (no t-shirts, logos, vivid patterns, midriff or low cut tops)

Smart formal shoes – low heel (no trainers, canvas shoes, flip flops)

No headwear – except for religious purposes