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20<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to invite all the Parents/Carers of Year 8 students to a Key Stage 4 Guided Pathway evening on **Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 at 5.00pm – 6.30pm.**

There will be a formal presentation in the Main Hall, outlining our Guided Pathway process. There will then be an opportunity for you and your child to visit 'market stall' presentations from different departments, where you will be able to ask specific questions relating to the make-up of different courses we offer at the Academy.

Individual members of staff will be able to answer any queries you may have. Senior members of staff will also be available to give advice and support relating to any aspect of the Guided Pathway process.

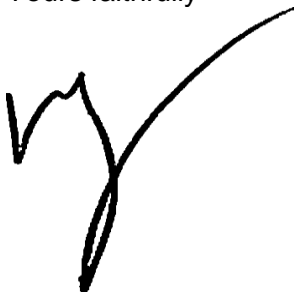
This is obviously a very important stage of your child's education and this is part of a package of activities that will hopefully ensure all students make informed choices about their Key Stage 4 studies.

In preparation for the Guided Pathway evening, Year 8 students have been issued with a booklet detailing the pathway subjects that they can choose from. This will be brought home with them today.

Guided Pathway choices forms will be issued at the Pathway evening and the deadline for completion and submission of Guided Pathway choices is **3.00pm Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2019**, although forms may of course be handed in before then.

We look forward to seeing you at the Guided Pathway evening.

Yours faithfully



Mrs V Pinkney  
Vice Principal