



13th September 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to invite you to the Year 11 Post-16 Information Evening at 7.00pm on Tuesday 26th September in the School Hall. Representatives from all the main sixth form centres will be here to give advice and answer questions. **It is vital for all Year 11 students and their parents to attend.**

The format of this evening will be as follows:

- 7.00pm Presentation in the school hall
- 7.30pm Parents and students visit the stands and talk to members of sixth form staff

We hope to have representatives from the following sixth form centres available to answer your questions:

- Cambridge Regional College
- College of West Anglia
- Comberton Sixth Form Centre
- Hills Road Sixth Form College
- Impington Sixth Form Centre
- Long Road Sixth Form College
- Netherhall Sixth Form Centre
- Parkside Sixth Form Centre
- University Technical College
- National Citizen Service
- The Army
- Apprenticeship Opportunities

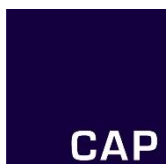
Students will bring prospectuses for the various colleges home next week. We have an admirable choice of Post-16 provision and I urge you to find out as much as possible before finally deciding where your sons and daughters go next. On the reverse of this letter is a list of Open Evenings at the centres, so that you can visit and get first-hand experience of what they have to offer.

The Post-16 application process is very efficient. Students will make their applications online via the UCAS Apply website. They have to submit a Personal Statement with their subject choices to sixth form centres; this will need to be worked on at home, but guidance will be given over two PSHE days on 2nd October and 28th November. Mock GCSE examinations start on Monday 6th November. The estimated grades submitted to the sixth form centres depend very much on how well students perform in their Mock GCSEs and students may only apply for subjects whose entry criteria are met by their predicted grades. All sixth form applications have to be completed, checked and sent by **the end of this term**.

Yours sincerely

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Post-16 Autumn term open Evenings/Days run between 16 Oct and 1 Dec as agreed at transition meeting on the 7th of March

INSTITUTION	DATE	TIME
Cottenham Sixth Form	Thu 21 Sep	6.00pm – 8.30pm
University Technical College	Wed 18 Oct Sat 04 Nov	5.00pm – 7.30pm 10.00am – 2.00pm
Netherhall Sixth Form	Tue 17 Oct	
Long Road Sixth Form College	Wed 18 Oct Thu 19 Oct	5.00pm – 9.00pm 5.00pm – 9.00pm
Parkside Sixth	Tue 31 Oct	5.30pm - 8.00pm
Bishop Laney Sixth Form	Wed 01 Nov	6.00pm - 8.00pm
Comberton Sixth Form	Thu 02 Nov	6.30pm – 9.00pm
Impington International Sixth Form	Tue 07 Nov	6.00pm – 9.00pm
Hills Road Sixth Form College	Wed 08 Nov Thu 09 Nov	5.00pm – 9.15pm 5.00pm – 9.15pm
College of West Anglia (Milton)	Sat 18 Nov	
Cambridge Regional College	Fri 13 Oct Sat 14 Oct Sat 18 Nov Sat 03 Mar Sat 23 Jun	3.00pm – 7.00pm 9.30am - 12.30pm 9.30am - 12.30pm 9.30am - 12.30pm 9.30am - 12.30pm