



Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2009

Dear Parents/Guardians

### **Towards the Future & Post 16 Challenges**

Sixth Form Opening Evening Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2009

We would like to invite you and your son/daughter to join us in the Art Studio at 6.00pm for 6.30pm on the evening of Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November. The aim of this evening is to outline the options and the challenges that face all students after their GCSE exams. We recommend that all should attend as this has implications for all our students.

During the evening academic departments will run a series of short talks about their subject at A Level and this will give both students and parents/guardians a better understanding of the challenges that face the students over the next two years. The comprehensive list of subjects available is overleaf.

As part of the evening's programme I would like to present to you the opportunities both inside and outside of the classroom and changes that are happening in the Sixth Form at Trinity and how these challenges and experiences will inspire and help you sons/daughters achieve their goals at Sixth Form and beyond Trinity. The Sixth Form offers a very different experience to Year 11 with a new ethos, opportunities and privileges; this cohort of students will be the first to fully experience these benefits.

Throughout the evening the Senior Management Team will be available to answer queries and to offer advice including financial matters, such as Scholarships and Bursaries.

#### **The format of the evening is outlined below:**

- 6:00pm Welcome drinks and refreshments in the Art Studio
- 6:20pm Headmaster's seminar – "where I want to be at 25"
- 6:35pm Options and choices for students post 16 (Head of Sixth Form)
- 6:45 pm Trinity School Sixth Form – a new challenges and opportunities (Head of Sixth Form)
- 7:00pm Subject Presentations x 5 (10 mins + 5 mins between)
- 8/8:15pm Refreshments in Art Studio + Staff + current Sixth Form students will be available

During the evening the **Sixth Form Centre- the 'Attic' will be open** and all guests are welcome to head up there to see this facility.



Parents of existing Year 11 Boarders who are unable to attend can rest assured that they will be sent all the pertinent information and that their sons/daughters will attend under the guidance of the boarding staff.

If you are going to attend please can you email [enquiries@trinityschool.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@trinityschool.co.uk) to help us with catering and parking arrangements.

I look forward to welcoming you

Mark Acher  
Head of Sixth Form

Subject	Room	Leading Staff	Slot				
			1	2	3	4	5
Maths		Mr Fitzpatrick					
Further Maths		Mr Fitzpatrick					
Biology		Mrs Thompson					
Chemistry		Dr Treacy					
Physics		Mr Jarrold					
Psychology		Mrs Bryant					
English		Dr Teece					
German		Mr Cross					
French		Madame Haytread					
Art and Design		Mr Cairns					
Business (Single & Double award)		Mrs Richardson					
Economics		Mr Harris					
Geography		Mr Petherbridge					
History		Mr Jones					
Religious Studies		Mrs Entwistle					
<b>PE*</b>		Mr Larkman					
<b>ICT*</b>		Ms Piliotis					
Music/Music Tech		Mr Crabtree					
Drama		Mrs Cooke					
Design Technology		Mr Tadd					
Critical Thinking		Mr Fisher					

\*Clerical error – missed off original letter

We recommend that you see the subjects that you are least sure of first of all and then those which you are more confident of choosing.

If you are coming – please can you email [enquiries@trinityschool.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@trinityschool.co.uk) to help us with our preparations.