

October 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

Sixth Form Open Evening, Thursday 7th November 2019 6:00pm-8:30pm

We wish to invite you to our Sixth Form Open Evening on Thursday 7th November 2019 at The Priory Academy LSST. The overwhelming majority of Year 11 students continue their studies into the Sixth Form. Moving into the more adult and independent environment of the Sixth Form presents students with considerable new challenges as well as opportunities. Therefore we offer students and their parents this chance to gain a valuable insight into what they can expect in the Sixth Form at The Priory Academy LSST and discuss options with the teachers of subjects in which they may be interested.

The Headteacher, Mrs Jane Hopkinson, Mr Strawson and I will give an address to students and their parents in the New Hall at 6.00 pm and 7.00 pm. The evening will conclude at 8.30pm. Due to the numbers expected on the night, we ask you to attend the talks at the following times:

Those with surnames A to K are invited to the address at 6.00 pm.

Those with surnames L to Z are invited to the address at 7.00 pm.

If your child is considering applying to either Oxford or Cambridge University or intends to follow a course in Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Medicine, there will be two presentations for students and their parents from Mr Milner in the Lecture Theatre, one at 6.45 pm and one at 7.45pm. Our Sixth Form Manager, Mrs Sharpe and our Student Pathways Advisor, Mrs Billett will also be available on the night.

Should your child be interested in joining the Academy as a boarding student in September 2020, the boarding house will be open for tours on the open evening. Tours of the boarding house can also be booked at a time convenient to you. If you contact Mr Nuttall at the Academy he will be more than happy to show you around the boarding facilities.

On the evening itself, parking is available on the tennis courts at the Cross O'Cliff Hill entrance and light refreshments will be available in the Sixth Form common room.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Sixth Form on Thursday 7th November.

Yours faithfully,

Mr T Verdon

Deputy Headteacher

Please complete and return to your child's Form Tutor

Name: ______ Tutor Group: ______

We/I will/will not be attending the 6th Form Open Evening (Please delete as appropriate)

Headteacher: Mrs J Hopkinson

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