



17 November 2016

Dear Parent/Carer and Student

Sixth Form Taster Morning 9am-1pm Saturday 10th December 2016

I am writing to invite you to the Sixth Form Taster Morning on Saturday 10th December 2016.

The taster morning is designed to give students (and parents) a chance to experience A-level lessons in a range of different subjects before making their final option choices. With the removal of AS level as an integral part of the A-level, and the move to choosing 3 two-year courses, it is more essential than ever that students make informed decisions. Feedback from current students suggests that it is important to consider a range of subjects before narrowing it down to the final three. Prince Henry's students have already had the chance to experience three taster lessons, but this gives the opportunity to try a wider range of subjects before committing to the final three, and gives students from other schools the chance to experience A-level lessons at Prince Henry's.

The format of the morning sets out to give students and parents the opportunity to attend up to five different taster lessons and I recommend that you attend as many as possible in order to be clear about the decision you are making. Parents are welcome to attend the sessions with students, however, if sessions are oversubscribed, priority will be given to students themselves. Sixth Form staff will be available in the Quad during the morning to deal with any questions or queries regarding the application process or A-level choices.

I do hope you are able to attend this event. If for some reason you are unable to do so, I shall be happy to arrange a meeting to answer any questions you may have. Alternatively, I can respond to queries by phone or via e-mail using the address at the top of this letter, or the direct address printed in the 2017 Prospectus which is available on the website.

The session times are listed on the booking form overleaf. If you wish to attend this event, please complete the booking form and return to student reception by **Thursday 1st December** at the latest.

Yours faithfully

Mrs C Willis
Progress Leader Key Stage 5
Head of Sixth Form

Prince Henry's Sixth Form Taster Morning

Booking Form – Please return to student reception by 1st December 2016.

The timetable for taster sessions is below. Please use the form provided to select your chosen taster lesson for each session, plus two reserve subject choices in the event that your chosen sessions are full. Please also indicate the number of people wishing to attend each session (i.e. student alone or student with parents)

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5
Biology	Chemistry	Chemistry	Maths	Spanish
Economics	Biology	Further Maths	Physics	Maths
Philosophy & Ethics	Business	Food Science and Nutrition	German	Philosophy and Ethics
BTec Sport	French	Performing Arts/Drama	Music/BTec Music	Fashion and Textiles
English Lit	BTec Sport	PE	Product Design	Art
Media	English Lit	Art	PE	History
Geography	Cambridge Tech Media	English Lang	English Lang	Geography
Computer Science	ICT	History	Applied Science	Food Science and Nutrition
Art	Geography	Product Design	History	Physics
Politics	Art	Spanish	Fashion and Textiles	Applied Science
French	Politics	German		

Name _____

Tutor Group (if PHGS) or Current School _____

Email contact _____

Number of people wishing to attend sessions _____

Session Choices

Session	Subject Choice
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
Reserve	
Reserve	