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15th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Sixth Form Open Evening Tuesday 17th October

I hope this letter finds you well as your child has started to settle into Year 11.

I am writing to invite you to our Sixth Form Open Evening on **Tuesday 17th October.** This is an essential event for any student who is considering A-Levels or Level 3 qualifications after their five years with us at Garibaldi. It is a great opportunity to find out what our growing provision is like at Sixth Form and speak with subject teachers about the opportunities available. Please find enclosed a flyer that provides you with an overview of our Sixth Form provision.

Students usually take 3 subjects and can combine A-Levels with Level 3 qualifications. Below is a list of the subjects that we offer at our Sixth Form.

A-Level courses in:

- Business
- Computer Science
- English Literature
- Geography
- History
- Mathematics
- Spanish
- Psychology
- Sociology (in partnership with Meden School)
- Biology (in partnership with Meden School)
- Chemistry (in partnership with Meden School)
- Physics (in partnership with Meden School)

Level 3 courses in:

- Art & Design
- Cambridge Technical Sports and Physical Activity
- Performing Arts

This event will be held in person in our Hall and Sports Hall. Please find below a brief programme of the event:

- 6:00pm to 6:45pm Introduction and presentation in the Hall from Mr Aldred (Head Teacher), Mr Dawson (Deputy Head Teacher) and Mr West (Director of Sixth Form) about the Sixth Form, the application process and our offer to students
- 6:45pm to 7:30pm Subject teachers will be available to talk to students about the A-Level or Level 3 subjects on offer, the demands and content of the course. Subject stands for each will be available in the Sports Hall. Our current Year 12s and Year 13s will also be supporting on the stands.



Miss Hadley (Sixth Form Student Manager) and Mr West will be available to discuss any specific needs or questions you may have.

We will also have staff available in the Sports Hall from Nottingham Trent University and the University of Nottingham, who will be able to provide information, advice and guidance on career pathways and post-18 options.

Please confirm your attendance at this event by Friday 13th October 2023 completing the Microsoft Form here: <u>https://forms.office.com/e/9N4BCweBhN</u>. Alternatively, you can scan the QR code and it will take you to the sign-up link.



If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the school on 01623 464220 or email office@garibaldischool.co.uk.

I look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 17th October.

Kind regards

Mr B West Associate School Leader: Director of Sixth Form and Raising Aspirations