



February 2021

Dear Parent/Carer and Student

Year 12 UCAS and Careers Information Evening

We will be holding a virtual Information Evening for Year 12 students and their parents/carers on Tuesday 2 March. There will be a presentation from the University of Birmingham who will give an overview of the UCAS process, as well as information and advice on student loans, grants and bursaries. Our Careers Advisor, David Ritchie, will also be present and will offer guidance on vocational courses, careers and work experience. All presentations for this evening will be available on Google Classroom and via the school website from 6.00pm on Tuesday 2 March; they will remain available until Tuesday 9 March. I will write to you again prior to the event with more details on how to access the evening.

In the past, Year 12 students have been able to present their Independent Research Projects during this evening. The students worked enthusiastically and independently on a subject of their own choosing and, although we are unable to exhibit the projects in the usual way, there will be some information available on the subjects students have researched. Hopefully this will allow you to get a flavour of what has been achieved as part of the Sixth Form Enrichment Programme.

Our Year 13 students are usually present at this event to raise funds for the Wamba Community Trust in Kenya, which exists to promote the health and education of children and young people in Wamba. If you would still like to make a donation to our charity you are able to do so through WisePay (in the Donations Manager area).

We pride ourselves on offering students and parents appropriate information, advice and guidance, and strongly recommend that you attend this important event.

We look forward to meeting with students to discuss their next steps once they are back in school.

Yours sincerely

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