

12th September 2018

Dear Parent/Guardian

**Ref: Year 10 Introduction to GCSEs Evening
Thursday 11th October 2018**

Year 10 students are now a couple of weeks into their new GCSE courses. As you will be aware, there have been significant changes in most subjects over the past couple of years with the introduction of new, more challenging GCSEs based on a new 9-1 grade scale. Almost all these new qualifications are also only assessed by final examination with no coursework or controlled assessments.

I would therefore like to invite you to a **Year 10 Introduction to GCSE Evening** on Thursday 11th October 2018 starting in the School Hall at 7pm. The event will start with a short introduction from myself and also presentations from the Subject Leaders in English, Mathematics and Science.

Students and their parents will then break off into a carousel of 10 minutes presentations with each of the Subject Leaders of the option subjects which they are taking at GCSE. The event is scheduled to finish at 8.30pm.

Please can you complete the **Reply Slip** below, indicating the number of seats required. This should be returned to Student Services by no later than Monday 24th September 2018 so that we can confirm numbers.

Yours Faithfully

E.J. Newbold

Dr E.J. Newbold
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Reply Slip

Please return to Student Services by no later than Monday 24th September 2018 (EJN)

Year 10 Introduction to GCSE Evening, Thursday 11th October 2018 (7pm – 8.30pm)

Student's Name _____ Tutor Group _____

I will / will not be attending the Year 10 Introduction to GCSE Evening on Thursday 11th October 2018.

Please can you reserve _____ seats.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____