



10th January 2020.

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Year 9 Pathways Evening

We would like to invite you to the Year 9 Pathways evening which is taking place on Tuesday 28th January 2020 at 6:00 p.m. on the Trent Campus.

The purpose of the evening is to ensure students are fully aware of the importance of their 'Pathway' choices as they transfer from Year 9 into Year 10. As parents/carers, the information given will enable you to offer guidance to your child to ensure they are making correct choices. Their choices at this stage will have a considerable bearing on their further education, training and employment post 16.

The evening will commence with a presentation by the Principal, Mrs Hardy, followed by Mr Hand, Head of Trent Campus and Mr Hughes, Vice Principal, who will give presentations on the curriculum and the Pathways process. There will also be an opportunity to visit all the curriculum areas, including the core subjects, and to speak with staff/students and to observe courses in action.

We recognise that the evening will be well attended and seating may be limited, therefore we are holding two presentations, the first commencing at 6:00 p.m. and again at 7:00 p.m. Following each presentation, parents, carers and students are encouraged to visit as many of the curriculum areas as possible. It is expected that the evening will end at approximately 8:30pm. Following this, each student will be given a 'Pathways' form. Students must complete this indicating their desired choices.

We hope that you will be able to attend this information event. Can you please complete and return the reply slip below to confirm your attendance.

Yours sincerely,

G Hand

Mr G J Hand
Vice Principal – **Head of Trent Campus**

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Reply slip to Support and Guidance

I / We wish / do not wish* to attend the Pathways Parents' Evening on Tuesday 28th January.

Signed

Child's Name PM group