



Monday 25th January 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Remote Sixth Form Interviews

Interviews for all Sixth Form applicants were due to commence as of the first week in January, and as such, some students will have had letters sent to them prior to the Christmas holiday, informing them of their face-to-face interview with a member of the Sixth Form with the Academy.

As a consequence of the national lockdown and additionally, the requirement for all learning to take place remotely, we have had to cancel these physical interviews and will now be moving to a remote system of conducting these interviews.

We are very conscious of the part that being able to provide a conditional offer to students for Sixth Form as of September this year, can have on positively impacting upon levels of anxiety in providing a purposeful goal to work towards and therefore enhance feelings of wellbeing.

As such, we therefore want to make parents and carers aware of interviews commencing over the telephone as of this week in order to discuss your child's subject choices and future aspirations with them. As a consequence of calls being made during the academic day, some small interruption may occur in them needing to 'come-out' of an online lesson. Any interruption will be communicated with subject teachers in order to prevent further phone calls home to you or indeed impacting upon their level of attendance.

Students still have the opportunity to apply online for Sixth Form next year in order to be included in these interviews via the following hyperlink: <https://www.kingshurst.tgacademy.org.uk/sixth-form/apply-online/> and further information advice and guidance regarding each of our A Level and BTEC subjects can also be found at the following address: <https://www.kingshurst.tgacademy.org.uk/sixth-form/open-event-2020/>.

We look forward to supporting your child over the coming weeks with their respective telephone interview and as ever, were you to have any further questions regarding our Sixth Form offer, please do not hesitate contact me on my jbowers@kingshurst.tgacademy.org.uk email address.

Yours sincerely,

John Bowers
Director of Sixth Form

