

2 September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Although it is only the start of term, I am sure that you and your children are starting to think about future next steps at the end of Year 11.

I am therefore delighted to invite you and your child to the **Bradon Forest Sixth Form Open Evening on Thursday 16 September 2021 at 6.00 pm** in the school hall.

As you may be aware, Bradon Forest School delivers a collaborative post-16 experience with Malmesbury School; this provides our students with a supportive progression route into a school sixth-form environment. For those students considering studying A Levels, this shared model of teaching and pastoral support will ensure that they achieve the very best possible grades and personalised preparation for university or apprenticeships.

The presentation will be led by Mrs Haines (Headteacher), Mr Dipple (Assistant Headteacher – Key Stage 5) and Mr Jon Brown (Head of Malmesbury School's Excellence Programme). We will also be joined by current students from Bradon Forest Sixth Form who will be able to give a first-hand account of how the model works.

We will cover the following in the presentation:

- The advantages of this school-based Sixth Form for studying A Levels
- The curriculum offer
- How the shared provision works
- Support and guidance
- Student experiences
- Transport
- The Excellence Programme offer

Staff will be on hand after the presentations to answer any further questions that you may have.

All the information, including the prospectus, that you may wish to look at in advance, is available on the school website: [6th Form - Bradon Forest School](#).

We appreciate that current government guidance is that masks inside are not mandatory. However, we would still strongly recommend that masks are worn in the Hall during the evening. There will be limited parking on site and so we would therefore urge parents who live close to the school to walk to the site if at all possible.

I really look forward to meeting you on 16 September and to answering any questions that you may have.

Yours sincerely



Sarah Haines
Headteacher

