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Headteacher: Ms J Heffernan

24th September 2015

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 10 Curriculum Evening, 6pm until 7pm on Tuesday 6th October 2015

The school community continues to build on its year-on-year success and this year our students have enjoyed yet another set of record breaking results. Our excellent results reflect the commitment of our students, supported by staff and parents. Our recent A Level results continue to be among the highest in Hackney enabling students to obtain places at the most prestigious universities in the country, securing a top 2% ranking for our sixth form nationally. Of the A level students attending University this year, twenty four percent secured and accepted places at Russell Group universities including Oxbridge, with many more securing places at other top universities.

Our GCSE results were also outstanding. Students continue to do well across the range of subjects and have particularly done well in securing A*-C grades: RE 77%, History 84%, ICT 80%, Drama 83%, Maths 72% and English Language 68%. All these results were above national attainment levels, some significantly. As a school we are committed to ensure that all of our students secure the very best grades they can and make as much progress as possible. We know that by working together as a school community, we can help your child to succeed and build on this success. Your child will be doing newer and much tougher exams in 2017 following changes to the national curriculum.

In order to further support your child at this crucial time, we would like to invite you to attend a Curriculum Evening on *Tuesday, 6th of October, from 6pm until 7pm*. At this evening we will share key information and dates with you and ways in which we intend to support your child this year. You will then have a chance to meet with members of staff, including Mr O'Donoghue, Assistant Headteacher- Key Stage 4 and Head of Year, Miss Addae, to discuss how we meet the challenge. Information regarding useful support materials, including revision booklets, will also be available on the evening. IT will also be an opportunity to share information on changes to assessment and reporting.

It is important that you and your child attend this meeting if they are to achieve the best possible GCSE results in summer 2017. We look forward to continuing to work with you and to ensure your child reaches their academic potential at the end of Year 11.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A English Assistant Headteacher, Curriculum



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I, the parent/carer of ______ in form ______ will/will not be able to attend the Curriculum Evening on Tuesday 6th October 2015.

Name of parent/carer:

Signed:

Date: