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Dear Parent/Carer

**“10 to Sixth Day”**

As students approach the half-way stage of their GCSEs, it is important that they begin to focus time and thought to their aspirations after Year 11 and the prospective paths down which they may take.

On the morning of Wednesday 12 June, they will take part in our “10 to Sixth Day” at school. On this day, as soon as they arrive, they will be a Sixth Former at Radnor House Sevenoaks. They will experience A Level subjects taught in small groups and enjoy full use of the Sixth Form Common Room, dressed in smart dress instead of their normal uniform. The day is designed to prepare them for the Sixth Form by giving them a taste of five subjects taught at A Level, with the sixth period devoted to an overview of Sixth Form, UCAS and the Extended Project (EPQ).

Period	1	2	3	4	5
Subjects	ENGLISH	PHYSICS	FRENCH	MATHS	CHEMISTRY
	BIOLOGY	ART	DRAMA	HISTORY	POLITICS
	PSYCHOLOGY	ECONOMICS	RE	GEOGRAPHY	PSYCHOLOGY
			SPANISH	PE	COMPUTER SCIENCE
OPTION					

Whilst these are not necessarily the subjects they will take in the Sixth Form, these lessons will give the students the opportunity to learn more about subjects they may have never studied before. In the Autumn Term of Year 11 we will hold a similar exercise that will give a further, full choice of possible Sixth Form subjects for the students. This day will also reinforce the work they have done on CVs in their PSHEE sessions this term and the upcoming work they will be doing on COA assessments next term (<https://www.coa.co.uk/products/preview>) that will help give them further guidance on future A level subjects, degrees and careers.

Sixth Form will be a wonderfully exciting time in their life; they will learn a great deal and start on a path that will determine the person they become. I hope they are excited about the chance to experience life in the Sixth Form and that they grab the opportunity to see for themselves what is possible.

If you have any questions, please feel free to ask me.

Kind regards,

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