

# Formby High School

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Dear Student

Now that we have reached the end of term I wanted to write to you and tell you about what the arrangements are for when you receive your results on 25 August. In addition I would like to remind you about the subject choices for Sixth Form that are available in September.

When you get your results you will need to speak to a member of staff as soon as possible about your application. These interviews should not take long and in most cases will consist of confirming that the choices remain as they appear on the original. Where there are complications, every effort will be made to resolve them during the day.

If you are applying, please bear in mind the entry requirements for the relevant courses as this will be crucial to your application. Similarly, students joining Sixth Form who have not achieved a C grade in English Language or Mathematics will be required to take a re-sit course as part of the subjects studied.

If for some reason you are unavailable for interview on the day, you can ring the direct line to Sixth Form or email your details so that we can get in touch with you. The contacts are as follows:

01704 835659 (direct line to Mr O'Shaughnessy)

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Should you be proceeding with your application, you will be required to attend school at 1330 on Tuesday September 6th for a welcome assembly in the Sixth Form centre at which you will be provided with your timetables and additional information. Normal lessons will then commence on Wednesday 7 September, starting with registration.



In terms of the curriculum offer for Year 12, I have attached below the option blocks for next year, showing the groupings of subjects. Do remember that the majority of students will take three subjects while a minority – if they wish – can study four; in the case of the latter, students will need to have achieved a number of the highest grades across the GCSE subjects they have taken.

BLOCK A	BLOCK B	BLOCK C	BLOCK D	BLOCK E
BTEC DANCE	ANCIENT HISTORY	BIOLOGY	ART	BIOLOGY
DRAMA	BTEC BUSINESS	ENGLISH LANG LIT	BTEC BUSINESS*	COMPUTING
HISTORY	CHEMISTRY	GEOGRAPHY	CHEMISTRY	DRAMA
BTEC ICT	DOUBLE BTEC BUSINESS*	MATHS	FURTHER MATHS	ENGLISH LANG LIT
MUSIC TECHNOLOGY	FILM STUDIES		MUSIC	ENGLISH LITERATURE
PHYSICS	MATHS		PHYSICS	HISTORY
	PHYSICAL EDUCATION		POLITICS	BTEC SPORT
	SPANISH		RELIGIOUS STUDIES	

I hope that your exams have gone well and that you are enjoying the break. Please feel free to contact me at the school to discuss any of these matters further.

Yours sincerely

*M. J. O'Shaughnessy*

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 Director of Sixth Form