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12<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

### **Year 11 Destinations Interviews and Post-16 Guidance**

I am writing to inform you of the upcoming Destinations Interviews for year 11 students which will begin on Wednesday 14th September, and continue throughout the academic year.

As students are beginning their final year at Ernulf Academy, it is time for them to start thinking about their options beyond secondary school. In order to guide and assist students in making these decisions, all students in year 11 will have a 1-2-1 advice and guidance interview with a level 6 qualified careers advisor. The aim of the interview is to enable students to discuss their thoughts on where they would like to apply to continue their education post-16. This could be sixth form, college, an apprenticeship or T-Level. Students will be told the date and time of their destination interview by their form tutor; it is then the responsibility of students to ensure they attend their interview at the correct time. If students miss their interview we cannot guarantee that we will be able to rearrange this for them.

In order to help students prepare for their interviews, it would be helpful if yourselves as parents and carers could encourage students to begin thinking about what it is they may like to do when they leave Ernulf Academy. A list of sixth form and college websites has been shared with students and is also available below. It useful for students to have a look through the different providers' websites to see what courses they offer and the entry requirements for any courses they are interested in.

In the coming weeks, sixth forms and colleges will start to host open events for students to attend. These events are extremely useful and allow students to gain a feel for the different providers, as well as giving them an opportunity to ask any questions they may have that they can not find the answers to on the providers' websites. I would highly recommend students to attend open events of all colleges/sixth forms that they are interested in. Some providers have not yet announced the dates for their open events, but a list of those who have can be found below.

Furthermore, we will be hosting our own careers fair at Ernulf academy on the evening of Tuesday 8th November, where various providers, including providers of apprenticeships and T-levels, will be present for both you and students to speak to. Further details regarding this event will be circulated in due course.

Should you have any questions about students' destinations interviews, or any queries relating to post-16 options, please do not hesitate to get in touch via email at [brogan.webber@astreaernulf.org](mailto:brogan.webber@astreaernulf.org), or alternatively you can telephone reception on 01480 374748.

Yours sincerely



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### **Useful Websites**

Astrea Sixth Form - <https://longsandssixthform.org/>

Cambridge Regional College/Huntingdon Regional College - <https://www.camre.ac.uk/>

Long Road Sixth - <https://www.longroad.ac.uk/>

Hills Road Sixth Form - <https://www.hillsroad.ac.uk/>

Bedford Sixth Form - <https://www.bedfordsixthform.ac.uk/>

Bedford College/ Shuttleworth College - <https://bedfordcollegegroup.ac.uk/>

Peterborough Regional College - <https://peterborough.ac.uk/>

Hinchingbrooke Sixth Form - <https://www.hinchingbrookeschool.net/6thform>

Comberton Sixth Form - <https://www.combertonsixthform.org/>

Apprenticeships - <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

T-Levels - <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/introduction-of-t-levels/introduction-of-t-levels>

### **Open Events**

<b>Provider</b>	<b>College/Sixth Form</b>	<b>Time</b>
Bedford Sixth Form	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	17:00-19:30
Cambridge Regional College	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	17:00-19:00
Hinchingbrooke Sixth Form	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	17:00-19:00
Huntingdon Regional College	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	17:00-19:00
Longsands Sixth Form	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	TBC