



PARTNERSHIP LEARNING

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Dear parent/carers,

### Year 13 'Next steps' programme – June 2021

Since our full return to school in March, your son/daughter has been working towards a series of assessments which will inform the award of their A level qualification. These assessments will be completed by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May and all Year 13 students will begin their 'Next Steps' programme from **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June** (after the half-term holiday).

This programme will run until the formal end of the academic year for Year 13 students which is on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June. Thereafter, students who have signed up for our SRS Discover programme will join their chosen workshops until the end of the summer term on 16<sup>th</sup> July. If students are not following the SRS Discover programme they should use w/c 21<sup>st</sup> June to consolidate their research from prior weeks in preparation for their higher education/training/employment. The Year 13 celebration assembly will take place on **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June from 12.30 – 3pm** in the SRS 16+ centre. Attendance is compulsory for all Year 13 students.

The **SRS Next Steps programme** is a comprehensive programme which has been tailored to support Year 13 students in their preparation for their next steps in education, training or employment. A printed copy of the programme is attached to this letter. **All Year 13 students** will be required to **register with their form tutor every morning between 8.40 – 9am** remotely via Teams. For some students, dependant on their pathways, many of the sessions will run remotely with students accessing resources via the Year 13 Teams folder and the relevant online platforms. For any sessions which are based at school, students must attend in full school dress code and sign in at the main reception desk.

We look forward to working with your son/daughter through the Next Steps programme, if they have any queries at any time they should contact their form tutor in the first instance or Ms Greenwood/Mr Gregory in the 16+office.

Yours faithfully,

C. Cross

Vice Principal