



ST. AIDAN'S
CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parent/Guardian,

September 2018

Careers, Post 16 Options and Work Experience Information Evening

**Wednesday 19th September at 7.00pm
Constance Green Hall**

As your son or daughter starts to consider their plans for after Year 11 we would like to invite you to a presentation by the Careers Department to provide information on Post 16 Options and explain how the Careers Department will work with students during the coming academic year.

Work Experience forms part of the Year 11 careers programme and so we will be outlining how students can take advantage of this opportunity and in what way parents/guardians can support students to avail of, and prepare for a work experience placement.

Year 11 students will have career guidance interviews together with Careers Department-led sessions to enable them to make informed post 16 decisions, whether that is to apply to the Associated Sixth Form, College or for an Apprenticeship.

May we also take this opportunity to inform students who are considering applying for apprenticeships after Year 11 that the National Apprenticeship Show will be held at The Great Yorkshire Showground on Thursday 20th and Friday 21st September 2018. If students would like to attend can we ask that they do so between 4.00pm and 6.00pm rather than requesting a leave of absence during the school day. For more details, please see www.nationalapprenticeshipshow.org/yorkshirenortheast

We look forward to welcoming you to school and if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Careers department at d.bennett@staidans.co.uk

Yours sincerely

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