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CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parents / Carers,

The Big Ambition survey from the Children's Commissioner

Dame Rachel De Souza (the Children's Commissioner) has launched The Big Ambition survey for all children aged 0-18. Parents, carers / other adults can complete on behalf of children who are under 6 or for children who need extra assistance. She writes:

"It is vital that all children have their voice heard through this survey because, as Children's Commissioner for England, I have a statutory duty to protect and promote the views and interests of children. The Big Ambition provides a much-needed opportunity for the children of England to tell political decision makers what is important to them ahead of the General Election. I will be sharing their responses with Government to ensure that children's voices are heard."

Students will be directed to the survey in school during form times and the form group Team will have a poster including a QR code link to the survey. Please encourage your young person to complete the survey by December 15th as this is a great opportunity to teach children about politics and why it is important for them to use their voice!

Children or parents can complete the survey here:

www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigambition . Further information is available on the Commissioner's [website](#).

Kind regards,
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