



29<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Parent / Carer,

## Year 12 Pathways Information Evening

I am writing to invite you to attend an Information Evening aimed at Year 12 students and their parents/carers. This event will take place in our Jubilee Hall on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2024, 17:30 – 19:00.

The evening will consist of a number of talks, delivered by internal and external presenters, providing you with a wealth of information regarding students' future options once leaving The Buckingham School.

We will be covering the following topics during the evening:

- Apprenticeships
- Unifrog
- Careers
- Work Experience
- University and UCAS
- Student Finance

If you would like to attend, please book your tickets via the following link:

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/tbs-events/t-vvqdooj>

The aim of the evening is to provide you with all the information needed to ensure our students can be confident in securing their future career pathways and onward journey from The Buckingham School Sixth Form.

Our FOBS Team will also be on hand serving refreshments in exchange for a small donation.

Below are some useful links, should you wish to do some research in advance of the evening:

UCAS – writing personal statements:

<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/writing-your-personal-statement>

<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/writing-personal-statement/introducing-personal-statement-tool>

Degree apprenticeships:

<https://www.ucas.com/apprenticeships/england/level-3-advanced#:~:text=How%20do%20I%20apply%20for,be%20invited%20to%20an%20interview.>

[nationalhelpdesk@findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk](mailto:nationalhelpdesk@findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk)

<https://www.brightnetwork.co.uk/graduate-career-advice/world-of-work/>

<https://www.findyourfuture.org.uk/choices-at-18-19>

In addition, if you would like additional careers advice or support, please feel free to email Miss Shanahan.

We look forward to seeing you on 9<sup>th</sup> May. In the meantime, should you have any questions regarding this event, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully,

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