

Tuesday 14th November 2023

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## Ref: Year 11 Parents and Post 16 Careers Evening

Dear Parent/Carer

I would like to invite you to attend our Year 11 Parents Evening on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2023 at 4:30 – 6:30pm. This is an important evening and provides you with an opportunity to discuss how your child has progressed since the start of the new academic year, how they have achieved in their recent mock examinations and for you to talk with your child's teachers one to one. We will be issuing the results from the recent mock exams at Parents Evening.

An additional element to this evening will be a careers event regarding post-16 destinations, which will provide you with more information about the colleges, sixth forms or other routes that your child may pursue after City Academy. We have invited several post-16 external providers who offer courses and apprenticeships and will be on hand to give advice and guidance to you and your child about next steps after year 11. They will also be able to advise and support with how to apply and complete the application process.

All students have been made aware that they should have made at least two applications by the end of the Autumn Term. Many colleges and sixth forms will fill their places early, especially on popular courses so it is essential this is done in good time.

We value your ongoing support and strongly recommend that you attend this event, so that you are fully informed of what lies ahead during this important year in your child's education. Should you have any queries relating to this evening, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

We look forward to meeting you all on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2023 at 4.30pm.

Yours sincerely

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