



14 June 2022

Dear Student

As we approach the end of examination period we would like to invite you to a Taster Day for transition into Sixth Form at PHSG.

### Lesson Taster Day

On **Friday 1st July** all students who are intending to join our Sixth Form in September are invited to meet in the Main Hall at 8.30 am. Following registration and timetables for the day there will be a short session to explain the purpose of the Taster Day, the expectations we have of Sixth Form students at PHSG and information about life in the Sixth Form.

Studying A Level subjects is very different from GCSE and taster lessons are intended to give students a flavour of what they might be studying and to explain what is expected of them in a particular subject. In addition, subject staff may also give students preparatory research tasks to be completed by September. All preparation work will be available on our website **after** the event for students who are unable to attend. Attendance is recommended but not essential and **will not** affect your sixth form application.

At lunchtime students will be provided with a free lunch in the Main Hall, but if they prefer they can bring in their own lunch or sign out to get lunch off site.

Please complete the following link to ensure we know who is attending the Taster Day:  
<https://forms.office.com/r/CYWauQv5th>

### Results Day – 25th August

We would ask you to **email** us your results and confirmation of the subjects you wish to take on **Thursday 25th August** to ([a.jenkins@tsatrust.org.uk](mailto:a.jenkins@tsatrust.org.uk) and [k.mills@tsatrust.org.uk](mailto:k.mills@tsatrust.org.uk)) or come into school with your results on the 25<sup>th</sup> August between **1 and 3pm**. We will offer you a provisional place provided that your choices and grades fit and will **confirm this on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August**. Every student's individual circumstances will be considered when final decisions are made after examination results.

The first day of term for Year 12 is **Friday 2nd September**. Students will be expected to arrive at 8.40am and go to the **Main Hall** for an assembly. If you arrive earlier you can wait in the Sixth Form Study Centre. During the day students will spend part of the time with their tutor and take part in team building activities with HM Armed Services. Further details will follow to all students who confirm their sixth form place with us on results day.

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to wish you good luck in the rest of your exams. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact either of us.

Yours sincerely

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