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Dear Students

Re: Sixth Form Open Evening – Thursday 26th November 2026

Thank you for your interest in Furze Platt Senior School Sixth Form.

This is an exciting time for Year 11 students. A time that carries pressures and stresses, of course, but an exciting one, nonetheless. The reason I say this is that it is this time of year where students are thinking about how they will continue their education after GCSE and into the next chapter of their own academic journey.

Choices you will make at the end of this year will have long-lasting effects on your future, and there are big questions to consider.

"Do I want to go to university?"
"Do I want to secure an apprenticeship?"
"What subjects might help me in a possible career?"
"What kind of learning environment will help me most after GCSE?"

These questions are certainly significant, and might seem a little intimidating, but they are also hugely exciting as they present a very real opportunity for you to be in control of what you study, how you study and where you study.

I'm sure you will agree with me then that it is vitally important that you make decisions about your futures from an informed point of view.

And so, I am delighted to be able to invite you to our Furze Platt Sixth Form Open Evening 2026, where you can find out more about what we offer here at FP6 and discover if this is the place for you to open that next chapter of your education.

The open evening will provide all the information you need about the Sixth Form, our ethos and culture and, perhaps most importantly, insight into the various courses and qualifications we offer. Our aim is to help you to make informed choices when selecting your courses so that you give yourself the very best opportunities for the future.

There is no need to register for the Open Evening. You will just need to arrive at 5.50pm and make your way to our superb Theatre as the main presentation will start promptly at 6.00pm.

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The programme for the evening is outlined below. The main presentation will be followed by the possibility of attending up to **FIVE** talks on various A-Levels, Vocational and Technical subjects.

Time	Event
6.00 – 6.30pm	Presentation in Theatre
6.30 – 6.40pm	Moving time from Theatre to presentations
6.40 – 8.40pm	Subject presentations
8.40pm	End of the evening

The presentations are designed to give you a deeper understanding of subject content and delivery of courses in the Sixth Form and will allow you to ask questions of subject specialists.
The subject presentations will be the same in each session, so you need only attend one for each subject you are interested in during the evening.

We do recommend you see five subjects, even though you will only pick three subjects as standard (in rare cases, some students may complete four A-Levels), as we are eager for you to be as fully prepared and enthused as possible with the options available to you in Sixth Form.

I do hope to see you at our Sixth Form Open Evening on Thursday 26th November, and I look forward to speaking to you further about the exciting prospect of joining us here at Furze Platt Sixth Form for the next chapter in your education.

Yours sincerely



Mr P Ging
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