

June 2017

Dear Parent/Carer & Student

Sixth Form Induction Days – Wednesday 5th & 6th July 2017

Welcome to the Sixth Form induction days at Frome College! Day 1, Wednesday 5th July will start with an introduction to Sixth Form with your tutor. A presentation by Mr Black, outlining expectations for study in Sixth Form, further sessions with your tutor, and a Fresher's Fayre. As you attend your lessons on the 2nd day, Thursday 6th July, take a moment to think about whether the subject is right for you. Ask questions, rise to the challenge and be committed and active in your learning.

We hope that you enjoy the days and get the most you possibly can out of the experience. Here at Frome we believe in getting out what you put in. It is important that from the very beginning you take on how vital it is to be an independent learner in Sixth Form. Today, start as you mean to go on. Although we will be issuing a dress code, smart casual clothing should be worn on the day. The canteen will be available for lunch, or students can bring their own.

Students will find the link to Summer Assignments on the college website <http://www.fromecollege.org/sixth-form/summer-assignments> (available by July 5th). Here you will find course specifications and reading lists preparing you for September in your chosen subjects. You will begin your Sixth Form study on Day 2 of Induction with lessons in your chosen subjects, and continue over the holidays so you are prepared and ready for a positive September start. Any student unable to attend the induction programme will be expected to complete their summer assignments.

Outline of the days

Please bring this letter with you on days 1 & 2

Timing	Day 1	Timing	Day 2
8:45am	Tutor time	8:45am	Registration
9:00am	Lead session in the Merlin for all students	9:00am	Induction Lesson 1
9:45am	Tutors – Study Skills task	10:20am	Induction Lesson 2
11:00am	Break in the Common room	11:00am	Break in the Common room
11:20am	Tutors – Team task	11:20am	Induction Lesson 3
12:20pm	Lunch & Fresher's Fayre in Futures	12:20pm	Induction Lesson 4
12.50pm	Tutor time	1:20pm	Lunch in Common room
1:30pm	Fresher's Fayre	2:00pm	Induction Lesson 5
3.00pm	End of school day	3.00pm	End of school day



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If you have any questions or queries, please email post16office@fromecollege.org and we will get back to you before the induction days.

Please also remember that there is an opportunity to speak to members of the Sixth Form team on Thursday 24th August after you have received your GCSE results. If you change your mind between now and then, or your results are not quite as you hoped, there is no need to worry: you can simply come in on that day and discuss your options.

If you need any further support, we can be contacted on the email address above, or please feel free to come and speak to us directly.

Good luck and enjoy the days.



Jonathan Black
Assistant Principal



Julia Hawkins
Head of Year 12