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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Sixth Form Open Evening – Tuesday 17th November 2026, 5.00–7.00pm

We are delighted to invite you and your child to our Sixth Form Open Evening on Tuesday 17th November 2026 which will take place from 5.00 to 7.00pm. Access to this event will be via the main staff entrance, accessible from the staff car park off the Lichfield Road.

We are incredibly proud of the continued success of Wednesfield Academy Sixth Form. Our students have achieved some of our best-ever results, with grades averaging a B, and have gone on to a wide range of exciting destinations.

Our former students have progressed to successful careers, degree apprenticeships and university courses across the country, including at Oxford, Warwick and many other Russell Group universities.

At Wednesfield Academy Sixth Form, our aim is to support every student to reach their full potential. We provide personalised guidance to help students explore the opportunities available to them, including university courses, apprenticeships and future career pathways, so they can make informed choices about the next stage of their education.

Alongside their chosen Sixth Form subjects, students will have opportunities to engage in:

- Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)
- Level 3 Core Mathematics
- Volunteering opportunities
- A wide range of enrichment activities
- Support from a dedicated personal tutor
- Comprehensive pastoral support
- A structured careers programme and individual guidance
- Opportunities to join the Combined Cadet Force (CCF)
- Opportunities to take part in the Duke of Edinburgh's Award (DofE)
- A wide range of educational trips, visits and enrichment experiences

Year 11 Next Steps Afternoon – Friday 20th November 2026

On Friday 20 November 2026, all Year 11 pupils will take part in our Next Steps afternoon from 1.00 to 3.00pm.

This will give pupils the opportunity to experience what it is like to be a Sixth Form student at Wednesfield Academy. They will take part in Sixth Form subject lessons and gain a better understanding of the courses available to them.



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We are also pleased to welcome West Midlands Police, who will deliver a session for pupils providing an insight into careers within policing and the different opportunities available.

Over the next few weeks, pupils will choose subjects from our Sixth Form option blocks so that they can experience lessons in the subjects they are considering studying. These sessions will take place during the Next Steps afternoon from 1.00 to 3.00pm.

Further information about Wednesfield Academy Sixth Form, our courses and the opportunities available to students can be found in our Sixth Form prospectus.

We look forward to welcoming Year 11 pupils and their parents/carers at the Sixth Form Open Evening on Tuesday 17th November 2026. This will be an excellent opportunity to meet our Sixth Form team, speak to subject staff, explore the courses and pathways available, and find out more about Sixth Form life at Wednesfield Academy.

If you would like further details, please contact Mrs Gwatkin, Head of Sixth Form at postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk or call 01902 558222.

Yours faithfully



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