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Dear Parent/Carer

## UCAS Higher Education Convention at Stafford University – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Most of our Lower Sixth students should now be considering what they will do beyond the Sixth Form. To help them with the many decisions that they must make, we plan to take the entire Y12 year group to a UCAS Higher Education Exhibition at Stafford University on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June.

UCAS exhibitions bring together over 100 universities and colleges, gap year companies, apprenticeship providers, recruiters and the armed forces all in one place. If students have questions, they can speak to the various representatives and collect leaflets etc. Whether they just want to confirm their ideas, or if they have no idea where to start, a UCAS convention will give them some answers.

Transport will leave the Bus Bay at **10.00am** and arrive back by **3.55pm**. The cost per person will be £6.50 and the deadline for making this payment, via ParentPay\*, is Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018. The law does not allow us to make a charge for this type of activity, though we may ask for voluntary contributions. No student may be excluded from the activity because of a parent's unwillingness or inability to make a financial contribution, but - unless the voluntary contributions cover the cost of the activity - it cannot go ahead.

We expect all students in Y12 to take part in this event as it has something to offer for everyone. We hope that you will agree to their participation and we ask that you please make the payment at your earliest convenience, and by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June at the latest.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Atkins FRGS

**Head of Sixth Form**

*\*by clicking the "consent" button on ParentPay to confirm the payment detailed above, you are also confirming that the emergency contact and medical details we have on our system are correct for your child. Please inform me as a matter of urgency should there be any changes to the details we hold.*