



October 2017

Dear Parents / Carers

'AIMING FOR SUCCESS' – PARENTS, SCHOOL AND STUDENTS IN PARTNERSHIP - YEAR 9s

You are warmly invited to the **Year 9 'Aiming for Success' Evening** to be held in the **Refectory** on **Thursday 19 October 2017** between **6pm and 7pm**. The evening is open to all Year 9 students and their parents/carers and we very much hope that you will be able to attend. This evening is intended to offer assistance to parents/carers and to prepare and support their youngsters for their GCSE studies. There will also be the opportunity for you to talk to College Leaders and members of the Leadership Team.

Recent research suggests that parents/carers who are able to support their youngster with their learning make a huge difference in positively affecting improvements in student performance. We also firmly believe that working closely together – school, students and home – over the next three years will help your youngster to feel fully supported, positive and motivated to achieve their very best in their GCSEs and other examinations.

This is an evening not to be missed and will provide you and your child with a greater understanding of the three-year GCSE courses.

There is very limited parking available at school. Can we please ask that you are considerate to local residents if parking around the area and if you live close enough, consider walking. Please indicate whether or not you are able to join us by completing and returning the reply slip below, to Student Services by 15 October at the latest. We look forward to seeing you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K. Coltman & Mr A. Hartshorn

(North & Eastgate) (South & Westgate)

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AIMING FOR SUCCESS YEAR 9 EVENING – TUESDAY 19 OCTOBER 2017

PLEASE RETURN TO STUDENT SERVICES

I will / will not be able to attend the Year 9 'Aiming for Success' Evening on Tuesday 19 October 2017.

Number of people attending: _____ Signature: _____ Parent/Carer)

Name of Student: _____ Mentor Group: _____

