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Dear Students and their Parents/Carers

Backwell Sixth Form Induction : Friday 5 July 2024

We are pleased that you are planning to join Backwell Sixth Form in September. As you are aware, we shall be running an Induction Day in school on Friday 5 July 2024.

This is an important introduction to Sixth Form courses, which we expect you to attend if Backwell Sixth Form is your first or second choice. If you do not attend, we shall assume that you do not wish to take up your place in the Sixth Form, unless you have told us otherwise.

The purposes of the Induction Day are:

- 1 To prepare you for the subjects you will begin in September; you will be given an indication of the overall nature of the courses, with sample lessons/activities and an introduction to the transition work to be completed before the start of term in September. Please ensure that you bring your usual school equipment with you.
- 2 To help you to make up your mind about subject choices if you are undecided. If you already know that you want to make changes, there will be time to do so on Induction Day, so there is no need to contact us in advance.
- 3 To make clear what will be expected of Sixth Form students in general terms.

Registration for the Induction Day will be open from 8.30 am in the Sixth Form Common Room and the Induction Day will begin at 8.40 am, so please ensure you have registered before this time.

Please note that if you are travelling by car, your parents/carers will not be able to drive onto the school site. This is due to the large number of children and coaches arriving and is for everyone's safety. Students will need to be dropped off at a safe location near the school, so that they can make the final part of their journey on foot. Please note that there are Council enforced access restrictions on key roads around the school site, which affect dropping off and collecting students.

Food will be on sale during break and lunchtime in the Sixth Form Common Room using cashless catering and the day will finish at 3.10 pm.

We wish you good luck with your exams and look forward to welcoming you into the Sixth Form. Do please contact us if you have any concerns.

Yours sincerely

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R Haywood Assistant Headteacher and Head of Sixth Form

