



Let your light shine

12 October 2011

Dear Parent/Carer

Your child recently had the opportunity to be present in an assembly held by Malcolm Lea – Assistant Principal for Christ the King Sixth Form College.

We have decided to make the application to the college compulsory for all Year 11 students unless you write to us to advise us otherwise. The reason for this decision is that it increases the possibility of securing a place at sixth form for September. Christ the King as our Partner College will guarantee an interview to all our students who apply as well as giving them first consideration when applying for courses but I must stress this does not guarantee an offer of a place. Students are also under no obligation to accept their place if one is offered and your child is free to apply to as many sixth forms and colleges as he/she chooses.

Christ the King is an established sixth form with an outstanding grading from OFSTED. This summer for the fourteenth consecutive year, student outcomes at Christ the King College were in excess of national benchmarks. As a result of the examination success, over 640 students have progressed on to university or Art college courses this September, many into elite institutions such as Oxford University, Cambridge University, University College London and King's College London.

The deadline for application forms to be handed in to the Careers Office will be on Thursday 20 October 2011. Please note late forms could jeopardize the process for an early interview and consideration for courses.

We would encourage you and your child to attend the Christ the King Open Day on **Saturday 15 October 2011 from 9.30am – 11.00am**. Students must be accompanied by a parent or carer.

Yours sincerely

Paula Maquieira  
**Careers Manager**