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Dear Parent/Carer

Choosing the right pathway for the next phase of a student's education is an important and exciting decision. To support students in making this decision we are delighted to share news about our Priory Sixth Form offer for 2025-2026. This is the first step in our process to ensure that students and parents/carers have as much information as possible to decide whether Priory Sixth Form is a suitable choice.

In response to national changes across Post-16 education, we will be presenting exciting opportunities for our students here at The Priory Pembroke Academy, The Priory Academy LSST, as well as those at Priory Witham and Priory Lincoln Academy. We believe that, by introducing a range of courses in our academic and technical pathways, we will provide an enhanced offer to support learners in meeting their desired goals.

Students starting Sixth Form with us in September 2025 will be able to choose from the Priory's growing suite of T Level qualifications; our high-quality A Level offer; and our portfolio of apprenticeships. With such a wide variety on offer from Business Management, Health and Science, Construction, Sport, Catering, Digital and IT alongside traditional A Level courses we are confident that there is a suitable course for the vast majority of our Year 11 students.

We will deliver the courses from across our specialist campuses, working with a wide range of employers and institutions to ensure we prepare students for their future, including access to employment and learning opportunities. Students will therefore, enrol at the academy where their Post-16 course is offered.

To provide information prior to our Open Evenings, please access our Sixth Form Prospectus via this <u>link</u>. Our website will be regularly updated with the information, which will be vital in decision-making in the months ahead. Assemblies will be delivered to all Year 11 students allowing us to share important information about the courses available and their locations.

Our Open Evenings after half term will enable us to deliver key details and answer your questions. Each academy will share precise details before each event, and through our social media channels. Further opportunities will be provided over the coming months about how students will be able to visit campuses to experience new and established courses alike.







## Sixth Form Open Evenings:

- The Priory Academy LSST: Thursday 7th November, 6pm-8pm
- Priory Witham Academy: Thursday 14th November, 5pm-7pm
- Priory Lincoln Academy: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November, 5.30pm-7pm

Each Open Evening will be an opportunity for students and parents/carers to learn more about the Priory Sixth Form Offer; to meet teachers and leaders to gain more understanding and knowledge; and to experience the campus itself. Careers advisors and members of our SEND Team will be present to support at each event.

Through this approach, we believe that we are well placed to provide your child with the right course for their Post-16 studies and to prepare them successfully for the next stage of their learning.

We look forward to seeing you in the very near future.

Yours faithfully

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**Headteacher**