

December 2021

Dear Stantonbury families,

I would like to firstly congratulate all Year 11 students on successfully completing their mock exams over the past two weeks. The behaviour and attitude displayed during these exams was exemplary and students demonstrated a maturity which was great to see. I know this experience will prove invaluable in preparing students for the forthcoming examination series in the summer term.

With this in mind, we would like to support learners and all prospective students with aspirations to attend Stantonbury School Sixth Form. Applications for Sixth Form entry in 2022 are now open and will close on **Friday 4th February 2022**.

To complete an application, students will need to visit the Sixth Form area of the school website at <https://stantonbury-tove.org.uk/index.php/sixth-form> and click on the link titled '*apply now*'. This will take students to our online Application portal where they can register and complete the steps required to submit an application. Once the application deadline has passed, students will receive an offer to study with us, dependent on obtaining the necessary requirements for sixth form entry of 5 GCSEs at Grade 9-5 including English and Maths.

Once students receive this offer, they will need to log in to their application and accept it. All that is then required is for students to focus on their studies and continue to work hard in order to achieve the best possible grades in their GCSEs.

More information will follow in the upcoming months regarding Sixth Form taster days and bespoke experiences, as prospective students look to transition into their next academic chapter. These events will provide a wonderful opportunity for students to meet like-minded individuals, explore an array of course content and experience academic life in our Sixth Form. In the meantime, if any families would like a tour of our Sixth Form areas, or would like to discuss what life is like in our Sixth Form, please do not hesitate to contact enquiries@stantonbury.org.uk and a member of the team will be in touch.

I know that making decisions regarding Post 16 studies is important, and that not all Year 11 students will be intending to study with us at Sixth Form. For those who are unsure on what they would like to pursue next year, we encourage them to make an appointment with our dedicated careers adviser by contacting karen.malone@stantonbury.org.uk

I am very much looking forward to receiving applications from our talented Year 11 cohort and wish them the very best in their studies for the year ahead.

Kind Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul Yarnell".

Paul Yarnell
Head of Year 12 & 13