

18th September 2017

Year 11 Parents and Students "GCSE Success Evening"

Dear Parent and Carers

I am writing to invite you and your son or daughter to attend the above event at school on Thursday 12th October 2017, which will take place in the school hall.

Last year the event had an attendance of approximately 98% of students with their parents, all of whom said how valuable the evening was. This year, I am hoping for 100% attendance, if you have any issues about attending then please contact us at the school so that we can help support you.

The evening will be informative and extremely useful in supporting students to achieve their potential in their upcoming GCSE exams. There will be a number of sessions delivered by key members of staff, which will support both you and your child. Information given during the evening will **DEFINITELY** improve GCSE grades.

As an extra incentive for attendance, there will be free resources for all students who attend, including revision guides and exam materials worth over £25, together with a scientific calculator.

Year 11 can be an extremely worrying and stressful time and attending this evening will help alleviate many of these fears and stresses and support students and parents during this difficult time.

Whilst we expect every student to attend with at least one parent or carer, we are restricted to two adults per student as we have to limit numbers to this previously well attended and highly anticipated event. Evidence shows that where parents/carers are fully involved in their student's school life particularly in the build up to exams, students are more likely to be successful.

Please complete the reply slip (attached) and return it to Miss Lane no later than Monday 2nd October 2017. The evening will begin at 6pm and end at 7pm, we look forward to seeing you on Thursday 12th October.

Yours sincerely



Mr D Watts
Principal

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The Queen Elizabeth Academy
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Student Name: Tutor Group:

Student Attending: **YES / NO** (please delete as appropriate)

Number of Parents/Carers attending with student:

Signed: Parent/Carer

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