

17 January 2025



Dear Student

### Sixth Form Open Evening: Thursday 30 January 2025

Headteacher:  
Mr R J King BSc

Thank you for considering joining our fantastic Sixth Form.

It is important to us that you are well supported and carefully guided through the next few months, as you consider the next steps on your academic journey. We are aware that for students who are not currently attending Cockermouth School, there are likely to be a number of questions and considerations as you consider possible next destinations.

We will be providing a great deal of information about our Sixth Form on our website. If you have not already done so, please visit <https://www.cockermouthschool.org/sixth-form> where you will receive regular updates through the next few weeks that will lead you through this process.

Alongside this, we would like to invite you to join us for our Sixth Form Open Evening that will be taking place for Year 11 students and their families on **Thursday 30 January 2025 (18:00-21:00)**. There will be a short presentation in the Main Hall alongside a series of small group sessions, led by departments, where the focus will be on providing you with specific information about the courses on offer.

In order to book in for this event, we would like you to email [year11transition@cockermouthschool.org](mailto:year11transition@cockermouthschool.org) to confirm your name, your current school, the number of visitors who will be part of your group on the evening (up to a maximum of 3) and some additional information that will allow us to design the evening for you.

We would like you to attend a presentation in the Main Hall, this presentation will begin at either 18:00 or 19:00. In your communication please confirm the time that you would prefer to join us. Please also state the subjects that you are potentially interested in studying (up to a maximum of 5) and we will ensure that slots are booked for you in those departments.

Appointments can be booked from today and it will be helpful if we receive this information by **Wednesday 29 January 2025**.

Each department will provide you with information, and members of staff will be available to talk to. Prospective students usually find these conversations very helpful. We will also have members of the Sixth Form Pastoral Team available on the evening if you have more general enquiries that you wish to discuss.

We look forward to welcoming you into our school on the evening of Thursday 30 January, as we work to provide you with all of the information that you need to make the very best decision for your future.

In the meantime, if you require further information or have any specific questions, please contact us via the email address above.

Yours sincerely

Mr I G Routledge  
Assistant Headteacher

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