

14 September 2023

Dear Year 6 Parent or Carer,

RE: Driffield School and Sixth Form Year 6 Open Evening

We are delighted to invite you to our Year 6 Open Evening on Thursday 28 September 2023.

On Thursday 28 September, the school will be open between 5 pm and 7.30 pm. Parents will have the opportunity to attend a presentation from key members of staff and tour the school. This will enable you and your child to visit our subject facilities and meet with departmental staff. Many of the departments will also be demonstrating the resources at their disposal, displaying students' work and providing opportunities for the Year 6 students to get involved in some activities. Staff will also be available to answer any queries you may have.

To give you and your child an idea of what is on offer at Driffield School and Sixth Form we have arranged the following programme:

- Our Open Evening will take place on **Thursday 28 September starting at 5 pm for all parents.**
- There will be a main presentation to all parents. To enable everyone to attend the main presentation we have two staggered slots available:
 - **Presentation 1** will start at 5.30pm in the **North Hall** and, in order to best manage numbers attending, we would ask parents of children currently attending **Driffield Junior School** to meet in the **North Hall** for a prompt **5.30 pm** start. After the talk, parents and carers in this group are invited to visit and view the activities and displays put on by subject areas.
 - **Presentation 2** will take place in the **North Hall** for parents of children in **ALL other feeder schools and non-feeder schools**. This will start promptly at **6.30 pm**. From 5 pm to 6.30 pm parents and carers in this group are invited to visit and view the activities and displays put on by subject areas.
- There will be information stands in the East Hall and complimentary refreshments in the Sixth Form common room.

There is ample parking available on the school site which can be entered via the main Manorfield Road entrance or alongside Driffield Leisure Centre off Bridlington Road, leading onto the playgrounds at the rear of the centre.

If you have any questions, please contact the main office by telephone (or at office@driffieldschool.org.uk) and someone will assist you.

If you would like to book an appointment with a member of our SEND team to discuss your child please email transition@driffieldschool.org.uk and we will arrange this for you.

We hope that you will find the evening interesting, informative and an effective introduction to our school community. Our aim is to help you find out as much as you can about the school, our transition process and also answer any questions you may have. In order for us to manage numbers for the evening, we would be grateful if you could complete a short form to confirm your attendance via the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/r86UenTkTF>.

We are looking forward to meeting you and beginning to develop a successful partnership with you and your child.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J Davison', written over a light grey grid background.

Mr J Davison
Pastoral Director of Key Stage 3 and Head of Holtby House