

8 December 2023

Dear Applicant,

RE: Driffield Sixth Form

In recent weeks, the Senior Leadership Team enjoyed having the opportunity to have individual meetings with Year 11 students to discuss future aspirations and options choices. As part of this careers process, you indicated that you are considering pursuing your post 16 studies at Driffield Sixth Form. **I am delighted to present this conditional offer to you for a place in the Sixth Form, based on you securing our entry criteria of 5 grade 9-5/4s.** I am sure that you would be an outstanding addition to our vibrant and successful Sixth Form.

Students' potential subject choices can often change between now and September and you will be given plenty of opportunity to discuss your final subject combination prior to starting with us in September. I am already preparing to ensure that your transition into the Sixth Form is a successful one and your suggested courses mean we can begin to construct the timetable to try to enable students to gain their preferred choices.

In order to further help your transition into Year 12 we offer the following:

- An open door - If you would like to discuss your potential option choices, future career paths or have any other questions, do not hesitate to come and ask, or ask your tutor to let me know you would like a chat.
- In summer there will be a Sixth Form information evening where I will provide more detailed information about the Sixth Form, the study pathways available, courses offered, student finance, student support and specialist programmes.
- Across the spring term we will run some short sessions during the registration period where small groups of interested students can find out more about our specialist support programmes including:
 - **MEDSOC:** This is our pre-med programme that has seen 100% of medics and vets secure their place in the last four years.
 - **HE+:** This is scheme we are part of that facilitates entry for Driffield students to Oxbridge, with former Driffield students currently studying at Cambridge university.
 - **Employer Led:** This scheme works in partnership with employers to prepare our students for higher level apprenticeships. Recent destinations have included, Nestle, Rolls Royce, Airbus and RMS finance.

- **“Activate”**: Enjoy a taste of Sixth Form life in July with our induction event where you can sample A Level lessons, Student Union Events and have a further registration interview to double check your choices. Learn what it's like to be an A Level student so you can hit the ground running in September. I will write with more details closer to Activate.
- **August**: On exam results day you can have a post result enrolment interview to confirm your choices.

If at any point you would like to have a further discussion about Key Stage 5 courses or life in the Sixth Form, then just email me at darren.andrews@driffieldschool.org.uk and I'll arrange to catch up with you. I am very much looking forward to working with you and supporting you towards the best possible outcomes for your future.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Andrews', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mr D Andrews
Head of Sixth Form