

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers

INTRODUCTION TO THE SIXTH FORM: BRIEFING EVENING FOR PARENTS

I would like to invite you to attend an information evening for parents of new Sixth Formers on **Tuesday 9th September at 6.00pm in the main hall until 7pm**. At this meeting we will explain the nature of Sixth Form life at Southend High School for Boys and indicate ways in which you might wish to support your son or daughter during this vital period of study.

I believe you will find this a useful and informative evening, and I will endeavour to address all aspects of Sixth Form life. There will also be an opportunity for you to air your own views and raise any questions you may have. Areas of discussion are likely to include time management, the role of parents, the school's expectations of Sixth Form students, routes into higher education and much else. Once the formal presentations are over, there will be an opportunity to discuss any specific issues before you leave.

This event also allows us the chance to welcome parents of students who have just joined SHSB, to meet you in person and to answer any questions you may have about the school.

Do please note that **this meeting is for parents and carers**, not students. Sixth Formers themselves will be addressing the matters raised during tutorial sessions at school.

I am delighted to have this opportunity to meet you so early in the new term, and I look forward to seeing you next week. May I please ask you to complete the form by clicking on the link [Year 12 Parents' Briefing Evening 2025](#) so that we know how many parents to expect by 8th September. Please note that there will be parking onsite.

Best Wishes,

Mrs K Iles
Leader of Year 12

