



24<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: ASPIRE Pathway – English Baccalaureate (EBacc)

As you know, your child has been selected to study on the Aspire Pathway which follows the English Baccalaureate route – GCSE English, Maths, Science, French, and History and/or Geography. As such, they have a programme of additional experience. This includes having external speakers in during the school day, but also involves some after school commitments.

So far, this academic year the students have engaged with a presentation and question and session, which Burberry staff gave to students about how their language skills had secured them excellent positions within the company; this is going to be followed up by Alumni students coming to discuss how following the EBacc route benefitted them in their higher study and now careers.

As such, the students will be required to attend a session after college on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023, as part of this programme of experiences.

### **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

2.00pm – 2.30pm – Talk in the main hall from Alumni students.

2.30 – 3.15pm – Comfort break followed by a Q&A session with Alumni students and personal research task – Post 16 block.

### **Future events include:**

- \* Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2023 – Live link with Cambridge University, a talk about the value of an additional language.
- \* Summer term dates to be confirmed – Visit to a university Campus.

We hope you are able to support us with this venture and ensure that your child is able to attend the in college and after college experiences.

Yours sincerely

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