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Dear Student (and Parents/Carers for information),

I hope you are enjoying a well-deserved rest after your GCSE exams.

Enclosed with this letter is your [Sixth Form Welcome Pack](#), which contains everything you need to know about joining the Sixth Form at RGS. As one of our existing students, there is no need to submit an application, provided you meet the entry criteria: **49 points from your best eight GCSE results, including English and Maths**. You must also meet the **subject-specific entry requirements** for each of your chosen A Level subjects. You will need to submit your **A Level Choices Form on Results Day, Thursday 21st August**. Please see the letter sent from Mr Fossey for further details regarding this process.

Over the summer, I would be very grateful if you and your parents/carers could read the information in the Welcome Pack carefully, including full details about Sixth Form life and the **Year 12 Induction Day on Friday 5th September**.

I would particularly like to draw your attention to the following three key sections:

Starting in September

This section answers important questions such as:

- What is the Sixth Form dress code?
- What is the timetable on Induction Day?

Sixth Form Subscription

This one-off **£50 subscription** supports a range of activities and resources throughout your time in the Sixth Form, please see the pack for more details about how your subscription is spent. Please use this [link](#) to make payment via **ParentPay**. I would be grateful if this could be completed by **Monday 15th September**.

Summer Work and Required Resources

These [subject specific materials](#), prepared by our Subject Leaders, are designed to help you bridge the gap between GCSE and A Level study. You should spend **no more than three hours** on each subject's work. The tasks are designed so they can be completed after Results Day, in case you decide to change your subject choices.

The booklet also outlines any books or equipment you are required to purchase in advance. If there are any difficulties with this, I encourage you to make an application for the 16-19 Bursary, details of which are also in the Pack. Please also remember to purchase a House Tie for September as outlined in a previous letter from Mr Durning.

I very much hope that you will have an enjoyable and successful two years in the Sixth Form, and I look forward to welcoming you in person at the **Induction Day on Friday 5th September**.

With best wishes,

Grant Sheehan

Assistant Head and Director of Sixth Form