

Dear parents/carers,

As we strive to create the most aspirational and unique opportunities for our pupils, we are delighted to launch and invite your child onto our 'ASPIRE for Excellence programme'. Your child has been selected to take part in this programme linked with Pendleton College during the next academic year. As part of this exciting and unique programme with the college, your child will complete a year long course in which they will receive mastery lessons, careers events and individual support with their transition to further education. Upon completion of the course, your child will also receive a certificate acknowledging their achievement.

As part of the programme, A Level teachers from Pendleton College will be delivering the following mastery workshops to pupils throughout the year:

Monday 26th November - English Language
Monday 3rd December - Mathematics and Physics
Monday 10th December - Biology and Chemistry

Monday 4th February - English Literature
Monday 11th February - Mathematics and Physics
Monday 18th February - Biology and Chemistry

The workshops will run from 3pm -4pm and the November and December sessions will be held at Pendleton College and the February sessions will be at Buile Hill. This is a fantastic opportunity to challenge your child and to allow them to excel in the core subjects.

In addition, we have also secured your child's place on the Pendleton College 'Society Events' in which they will be personally invited to careers events with industry experts as part of the ASPIRE for Excellence programme. These take place on 17th October and 20th March.

This opportunity will provide your child with aspirational additional curriculum opportunities, whilst linking them to local colleges and A Level teachers to support their transition into further education and careers, whilst providing excellent evidence for college and university applications.

To confirm acceptance of your child's place on the programme, and attendance at all of the above sessions, please complete and detach the reply slip below and return it to Miss McBride. As the programme is oversubscribed, attendance will be expected at all sessions.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Miss L McBride
Associate Assistant Headteacher



I would like my child _____ to be part of the Aspire for Excellence programme for the academic year 2018-2019, and give permission for my child to attend the sessions detailed in the letter.

Emergency contact details: _____

Does your child have any medical issues? Yes/No (If yes, please detail below)
