Our Ref: LTM/kmd/B6Fconsult

11 September 2023



Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Consultation regarding Bridgnorth 6th Form.

You will be aware that last year there was some discussion regarding the long-term provision of Bridgnorth 6th Form.

At this time, following further consideration of the challenges faced in running a small schoolbased 6th Form, Trustees, Governors and the School Leadership Team have made the decision to go to public consultation about a potential decision to close Bridgnorth 6th Form from September 2025.

<u>I must emphasise, that should this decision be made, this will not impact on our current</u> Year 13 or 12 students who will continue to be fully supported through to the end of their formal qualifications.

In addition, the school would continue to work effectively with our partner post 16 providers to ensure that all future students moving onto Further Education are fully supported to be able to make informed choices regarding future provision.

Detailed information regarding the reasoning for this consultation, alongside important points for consideration can be found by accessing the link below:

http://www.bridgnorthsixthform.com/bridgnorth-6th-form-consultation

Please note that alongside the published online information, there will also be a public consultation evening in the WEST side school hall at Oldbury Wells School on Thursday, 28th September from 6:30pm to 8:30pm where our school community can find out more.

There is also an opportunity for interested parties to give a written response using the details online.

Can I use this opportunity to thank parents and carers for their ongoing support while important decisions are being made about long term post 16 provision in the Bridgnorth area.

Yours faithfully

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