



# The Astley Cooper School

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## Sixth Form Key Dates

Dear Families

As your child enters their GCSE year it is important that they begin to think about their education Post 16. All students must remain in education until they are 18. Our ever growing school Sixth Form is an exciting place to be with more subjects being offered on our curriculum each year and new leadership opportunities open to our students. It was fantastic to hear so many students and parents asking about Sixth Form on the academic review day.

With this in mind we would like to inform you of some key dates of events that are in the calendar for this year.

### Sixth Form Open Evening

Will take place on **Thursday 15 January** - This will take place in school from 6pm-7:30pm.

Starting at 6pm will be a short talk in the school hall to introduce you to the exciting and diverse curriculum on offer from September 2026, to see how a personalised study programme can be built as well as what life a Sixth Form student is about. Following this, there will be a careers fair style set up in the canteen where students will have the opportunity to find out more information about individual subjects they may be interested in studying.

### Sixth Form Discovery Day

This will take place on Friday 30 January - This will take place during the school day and will involve students off timetable and involved in Sixth Form taster sessions. A letter with more information will be sent nearer the time.

### Sixth Form Induction Programme

Still the same dates - Monday 29 June to Wednesday 1 July - For students applying for Sixth Form study.

More information regarding each of these events will be sent out nearer the time but please put these important dates in your calendar.

I look forward to welcoming you on Thursday 15 January for our Sixth Form Open Evening.

Yours sincerely

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