



Bishop Vesey's Grammar School

'Inspiration and Excellence'

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Dear parent/carer,

In 2013 Sixth Formers at Bishop Vesey's Grammar School established a new society 'MedSoc', to support aspiring Medics, Dentists, Pharmacists, Nurses and Midwives. As a direct outcome of the formation of this society, a record number of students from Bishop Vesey's Grammar School have gained entry to Medical Schools. Many of these successful applicants have benefited greatly from the experiences and advice offered from healthcare professionals.

This year, we have a high number of students applying for Medical related courses. Therefore, on behalf of the student body, I would like to invite parents and "friends of the school" to deliver presentations or lead seminars based on their experiences in medical related professions. We would be delighted to welcome past speakers and are always eager to meet new speakers.

In recent years' students have also initiated academic societies in Law, Dentistry, History, Politics, Economics and STEM. Therefore, I would also like to extend our invitation to the parent body to host presentations or lead seminars based on their experiences in professions/academia related to one these subject areas.

MedSoc meets each week from 1.15pm – 1.50pm on a Thursday lunchtime.

LawSoc meets from 1.15pm – 1.50pm on a Monday Lunchtime

EconSoc meets from 1.15pm -1.50pm on a Friday Lunchtime

The other academic societies meet on a more informal basis, depending on the availability of guest speakers.

Finally the School hosts an 'Early Applicant Interview Afternoon', on Friday 9th November for students applying to Oxbridge. If you have any experience of 'academic interviewing' or Oxbridge, we are always looking to extend our 'panel' for this annual event.

If you would be interested in contributing to any of these groups, or might be able to set up a potential contact, please e-mail, David Goodwin (Head of Sixth Form) @ d.goodwin@bishopveseys.bham.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

D. T Goodwin.

Mr D.T Goodwin (Assistant Headteacher, i/c Sixth Form)

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