



April 2019

Dear Y12 Student,

**Year 12 Independence Day: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May, 2019**

**Sheffield Hallam University (City Campus)**

With the end of your first year in the Silverdale Sixth Form approaching, we feel it is important (and fun!) to spend some more time together looking at issues outside the 'normal' curriculum.

We have, therefore, organised a variety of Higher Education / Life skill-related workshops aimed at providing you with the opportunity to explore Post-18 options, receive important information and make more informed choices about your future. The sessions will require varying degrees of active participation. These are Interview Skills, Personal Statements and Personal Finance. This year there is also a session on 'which career' for those of you who are unsure which career paths would suit you.

This is an important part of our post 16 provision, and attendance for the full day is compulsory, any absences will be followed up.

You will need to make your own travel arrangements to and from the University (map below). In addition you may wish to bring some money with you in order to purchase lunch, drinks and snacks during the day.

The school and Sheffield Hallam University have an agreement about expectations of your behaviour on the day. These include:

- Students who disrupt activities may be excluded from events on the day and parents contacted.
- Students shall be expected to stay for the duration of the event (9.00 – 3.30).

Remember: You are representing the school on this day, and we expect the highest level of manners, courtesy and good behaviour.

**Please ensure that you register with your tutor no later than 9.15 am at the Main Entrance in the Owen building.**

**Executive Headteacher: Roisin Paul**

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If you have any queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the Key Stage 5 Office.

Yours sincerely,



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Head of Sixth Form

Owen Building accessible from Arundel Gate

