

Dear Parents and Carers of Year 11 students

I hope this letter finds you well.

I am writing to provide you with an important update regarding the planned sixth form at Bohunt Wokingham.

We are pleased to announce that significant progress has been made in our discussions with Wokingham Borough Council regarding the addition of our new sixth form. This expansion will provide 300 places for post-16 education and address the current absence of further education options in the rural south of the Wokingham borough. However, I must inform you that after the necessary feasibility and architect planning work, the projected opening date for our sixth form will be September 2026. This is due to a combination of factors, including the complex nature of large-scale educational projects, current challenges in the building and construction industry and the time required for necessary regulatory approvals.

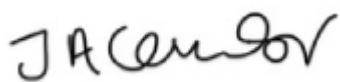
We understand this news may be disappointing to you and your children, who may have been anticipating the opportunity to continue their education at Bohunt Wokingham. We sincerely apologise for any disappointment that this may cause and want to assure you that we are fully committed to supporting your children through their upcoming GCSEs and in planning their post-16 education. We will be offering the following support:

- Career guidance: our careers adviser will be available to discuss sixth form options, colleges and apprenticeships with your children.
- Application assistance: we will provide support in finding and applying to other suitable sixth forms or colleges.
- Academic support: our teachers remain dedicated to ensuring your children achieve their best possible GCSE results, which will open doors to excellent post-16 opportunities.

While our sixth form will not be an option for your children, we are confident that the strong foundation they have built at Bohunt Wokingham will serve them well in their future educational journey. The skills, knowledge and values of 'enjoy respect achieve' they have developed here will be invaluable wherever they choose to continue their studies.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



Ms J Comber

Head of School

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