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Re: An evening exploring applying and studying at Oxford University

Dear parents and guardians,

I hope your son/daughter is enjoying the summer break. With our new Sixth Formers now with their GCSE results, and our new Upper Sixth students preparing their UCAS applications, I am aware that many will be considering applications to Oxford and Cambridge, or have their applications underway. The School advises that, in order to have a strong application, students considering an Oxbridge application should have the majority of their GCSE grades at 8/9/A\*.

You and your son/daughter may be interested in attending an event organised by the Oxford University Society of Gloucestershire. There are more details on the attached flyer.

The event, '**An evening exploring applying and studying at Oxford University**' will be held on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September, 6.30pm – 8.30pm at **The King's School, Gloucester**, and will include a talk about admissions and a panel discussion with current Oxford undergraduates.

This looks to be an excellent opportunity for parents and students to gain more insight into studying at and applying to the university. As this is an event which has been oversubscribed in the past, could I kindly request that you put in requests to book with me or with the society directly (as detailed below) by **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September** at the latest?

For day pupils and their parents/guardians:

If you would like to attend **with** your son/daughter, please email Ms. Samantha Tolley at [gloucestershire@ousoc.oxon.org](mailto:gloucestershire@ousoc.oxon.org) to reserve places for **both of you**.

If your son/daughter would like to attend with the school group and return to school after the event (returning at approximately 9pm), please let me know at [jmsumner@deanclose.org.uk](mailto:jmsumner@deanclose.org.uk) if they would like to reserve a place.

For boarders and their parents/guardians:

If your son/daughter would like to attend with the school group, they should let me know at [jmsumner@deanclose.org.uk](mailto:jmsumner@deanclose.org.uk) to reserve a place.

If you as a parent/guardian would like to attend, please email Ms. Samantha Tolley at [gloucestershire@ousoc.oxon.org](mailto:gloucestershire@ousoc.oxon.org) to reserve a place.

With best wishes

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