

Our Ref CBL

11<sup>th</sup> April 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

**Admission to Q3 Academy: September 2016**

Thank you for choosing Q3 Academy Great Barr, we are delighted to welcome you to the Q3 family.

As a celebration of your child beginning their learning journey with us we would like to invite you to an information evening hosted at Q3 Academy Great Barr on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2016 at 7.15pm**. This will allow us to begin to work together to ensure a smooth transition for your child. We anticipate the meeting to take approximately one hour, after which there will be an opportunity to ask questions and to meet members of the Q3 Team. The main areas of discussion will focus on:

- The Q3 vision
- Q3 structure (i.e. 'Companies')
- Business Dress (Uniform)
- Student support
- Curriculum
- Independent Learning
- Academy Day/Term Structure
- Transition week

We are also asking each student to capture their Hopes and Dreams for the future using one of the following:-

- Poem
- Story
- Poster

This needs to be submitted at the meeting on the **13<sup>th</sup> July 2016**. All work will be judged and prizes awarded at the beginning of term in September 2016.

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Our Parent and Academy Contact Team (PACT) will be running a Film Night on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2016** for the new intake students which will help to integrate your child into the Q3 Family. You can purchase a ticket for £2.50 on the 4<sup>th</sup> May from the PACT Stand in the Quisine. The cost of the ticket includes light refreshments.

There will also be a meeting on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2016** at **6.30pm** to discuss arrangements for the start of the new term and to meet the staff in your child's allocated Company.

**Please note that there will be compulsory Transition Days for all of our new intake students from Monday 25<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2016.**

The Transition activities will provide an opportunity for the students to familiarize themselves with staff, students and the Academy environment, but more importantly to have an enjoyable 'Academy Experience' before they commence the summer holiday period.

I do hope you will join us for this introductory meeting which I am confident will be the start of seven successful years for your child. Please complete and return the attached proforma indicating the number of seats you will require for the induction evening.

I look forward to meeting you.

Yours sincerely



Caroline Badyal

**Chief Executive/Principal**

