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Dear Parent/Carer

New Courses Available and Confirmation of Subject Choices

We wanted to make you aware that we are offering two new courses – A Level Law and Level 3 Applied Criminology to start in September. As a consequence, we are asking students who are planning to transfer to the Sixth Form to indicate their choices by completing the FORMS link below. Also attached are the provisional blockings which should help inform subject choices. Please be aware that the blockings may change.

The standard Sixth Form entry requirements are 5 Grade 9-4 GCSE/BTEC passes including English and Maths at grade 4. There are also additional subject specific entry requirements as detailed in the attached document.

We ask that students confirm their subject choices by completing the FORMS link below by **Wednesday 11th May**. If there is a subject that students would like to study that is not included in the list, they should detail this on the FORM. Please be aware that through our close working relationship with Bishop Ullathorne and other city schools we are able to offer a much wider range of subjects (approximately 100).

The FORMS link follows: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/JK2uWbuhTG</u>

We are very proud of the achievements of our sixth form students and the wonderful destinations that they progress to. Each year Cardinal Newman students have taken up places studying dentistry, medicine, law, engineering, primary teaching and adult nursing (to name only a few). Students have also progressed to a wide range of degree apprenticeships. Some have travelled as far as the USA, or as close as Birmingham, Warwick or Cambridge.

If you would like any further information about post-16 study please visit our website where there are recorded presentations from students and staff that you may find helpful: <u>https://www.cncs.school/page/?title=Virtual+Sixth+form+Open+Evening&pid=101</u> Should you have any questions about any aspect of Sixth Form study please contact <u>christopher.courtney@cncs.school</u>

Yours faithfully

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