



# OXTED SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers

## **Oxted School Open Evening Thursday 6 October 2022 (6.00pm to 8.30pm)**

You will shortly be faced with making the very important choice of secondary school for your child. As part of your consideration of that decision, we would like to invite you to join us at our Open Evening on Thursday 6 October from 6.00pm to 8.30pm, enabling you to experience a flavour of Oxted School. There will be plenty of opportunities to ask questions to help you feel fully informed as you decide on this next stage of your child's education.

As well as having the opportunity to make your way around the school to see classrooms and meet staff and students, there will be a talk by the Principal in the Main Hall at 6pm and 7pm. Places in the hall will be offered on a first come, first served basis, so we recommend arriving promptly if you would like a seat for the talk.

We would ask that parents and carers who are walking to school to please use the front of school entrance only. Car parking is available at the back of the school and can be accessed from Park Road. Staff and Sixth Form stewards will be on hand to direct visitors at both entrances to school.

On-street parking is also available in the vicinity of the school and we would ask visitors to respect residents' access. Please **do not** use the car parks of either the Barn Theatre or the United Reformed Church. We are aware of the impact on our neighbours of school functions such as Open Evening and would respectfully ask for your support.

If you are unable to attend the open evening, or would like to visit during the school day, we are offering a series of school tour dates (please see attached letter).

You may be aware that we have recently had a full OFSTED inspection. The visit was thorough and included meetings with school and Trust leaders, governors, students and staff, as well as observations of lessons and breaktimes. The inspectors also considered the views of parents and staff, through various surveys, and their meetings with students.



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**Partnership Principal** Mr Russell Bond BSc (Hons), PGCE, NPQH

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The experience was extremely positive, and as a result of the inspection, Oxted School was judged 'good' in all areas. We are delighted with this result, although we continue to strive for further improvement. Please click [here](#) to read a full copy of the Ofsted report.

I know, as a parent myself, that choosing a school for your child is an important decision. I am confident that this evening of information and opportunity will assure you that Oxted School is the right choice for your child and family.

We look forward to seeing you on Thursday 6 October and in the meantime, please could I encourage you to follow us on Facebook and Twitter for all the latest Oxted School news.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'R Bond', written in a cursive style.

**Mr R Bond**  
**Partnership Principal**