



31st October 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

As you are aware, this academic year is of paramount importance for every one of our students and, as an Academy, we always endeavour to do everything possible to give your child the very best possible chance of educational success. In support of this, a change in the course for Business Studies has been made from an applied GCSE to a BTEC First National NQF Qualification.

This change will not affect the weighting or value of the qualification and will maximise the chances of your child gaining a high grade. Due to the way BTEC qualifications are assessed the chance of achieving a grade 5 or above are significantly enhanced with the award.

With your support, we are confident that this pathway will lead to the best possible outcomes for our young people.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support in this matter and if you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

If you would like to discuss this change of course further please contact Mr Hussain by the 3rd November.

Yours faithfully

Mr A Raza
Teacher of Business

Mr S Hussain
Assistant Headteacher

