

## Year 13 Graduation Event

### 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear students, parents and carers,

I am very excited to formally invite you to our Year 13 Graduation event on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June!

The event will take place in Digbeth (Birmingham's creative hub), and will consist of a public exhibition during the day-time, and then a private graduation/awards ceremony in the evening. We hope that all students will join us to celebrate the end of their time with us, and that parents/carers friends and family will be able to spare some time to visit the exhibition during the day.

#### Public Exhibition – Celebration of Achievements

*Come and see examples of the best work our first cohort of students have produced over their two years studying with us. There will be examples for creative and digital work from all pathways as well as some live demonstrations, recordings, and performances.*

**Location:** Fazeley Studios – Studio 7, 191 Fazeley Street, Digbeth, Birmingham, B5 5SE

**Timings:** 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023 - Exhibit open from 12pm – 4pm

**Audience:** Open to the general public, students, parents and carers. Free entry.

#### Private Graduation/Awards Ceremony

*Open only to students and staff, this black-tie, red-carpet event will take place at the Mockingbird Cinema, and involve exclusive screenings of key works, a celebration film, awards from our sponsors, and a graduation ceremony (where students will be issued their diploma).*

**Location:** Mockingbird Cinema, The Custard Factory, Gibb Street, Deritend, Birmingham, B9 4AA

**Timings:** 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023: Doors Open 6pm. Event start 6:15pm. Finish 8pm.

**Audience.** Due to limited capacity in the venue, this element of the day can only be attended by students and teachers.

#### General information

Year 13 students. Please keep an eye out for emails and correspondence from your pathway teachers. They will be reaching out to you to select work and make preparations for the exhibition.

We anticipate that students will join us for the day from 9am to help set up and prepare the exhibition, and then stay with us at the exhibition venue (promoting themselves to industry visitors, parents, carers and the general public) until around 3pm. They will then have a few hours to prepare themselves for the evening event which starts at 6pm.

#### Confirmation

Please can we ask that all students book a place and confirm their attendance by following the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/X7syX4s1qX>

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Thank you as always for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of the letters 'M' and 'P' joined together, with a horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Michael Painter  
Principal