



Beaumont School

Austen Way St Albans Hertfordshire AL4 0XB t: 01727 854726

www.beaumontschool.com e: admin@beaumont.school

Headteacher: Mr M Atkinson e: head@beaumont.school

20 January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 10–12 Careers Guidance

During the coming months your child has to make some very important choices about their future. One of the toughest challenges they will face is to know what careers and courses they would find fulfilling and what potential they have. This is where psychometric tests are very useful as they provide objective information about a person that is difficult to obtain any other way.

To help your child make these choices, we are intending to run the Morrisby online psychometric assessments in a profiling session from **9.30am - 11.30am on Monday 17 April 2023** (INSET day). **The sessions can be taken either at school, in A01 and A02 in Block A or at home but must be completed that day.** The widely used Profile is recognised as the UK's leading vocational psychometric test. You may also wish to visit <https://www.morrisby.com/parents/> to view a short explanatory video about the Profile.

One of the main reasons students take the Profile is because it gives them the opportunity to step back and take an analytical and objective look at their make-up before they make any far-reaching decisions on their future. It also helps to ensure that they will be considering careers and courses where they are likely to meet with the most success.

The Morrisby Profile itself is not like an exam in that there is no pass or fail. The profiling exercise looks at a person's different abilities comparing them with another. The scientific analysis of the results then provides genuine insights into potential future work performance.

Included in the fee is a lifetime login to an online support site (<https://www.morrisby.com/>). Students will be able to see their assessment results and suggestions on suitable careers, subjects and degree courses on this site. As the system maps the careers suggested with the most appropriate A levels and Further or Higher Education courses, it helps students to consider careers and courses where they are likely to meet with the most success. A PDF report, downloadable from the site explaining your child's test results, will be available after the session. We will arrange for students to have a 15-minute individual discussion about the significance of their results at school with a specialist careers advisor during the same week. The advisor who will also endeavour to answer any questions they might have about their future choices.

If you would like your child to access this service **please complete the [Google Form](#) by Friday 24 March 2023 to book a place.** The cost is £42 if the Profiling is taken at home, or £47 if taken at school. The price difference between the two options is because the session at Beaumont is facilitated by an external specialist careers advisor. Our preferred method of payment is the online payment system MCaS which can be accessed via the quick link on the Beaumont School website. The charge for Morrisby Profiling will appear in your MCaS account, under your child's photo, in the Beaumont School shop section.

Yours faithfully

Mr C Cross
Assistant Headteacher / Careers Lead

