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Dear Parents & Carers

Planning for Post-16: KentChoices and Next Steps

All young people must remain in education, employment or training until the age of 18. To support Year 11 students with planning their Post-16 pathways, Medway Council is introducing the use of **KentChoices**, which provides clear information on sixth form, college and apprenticeship options.

Your child has been issued with their KentChoices login details by Miss Alatise (Head of Year) or their Form Tutor. If they still require access, please contact Mr Anderson, who can reset usernames or passwords.

KentChoices website: <https://www.kentprospectus.co.uk>

On KentChoices, students can access:

- sixth form and college course information
- open evenings, deadlines and local events
- apprenticeship guidance and opportunities
- details on work experience, volunteering and employment
- a GCSE results-day clearing tool in August

Details of the courses available at **The Victory Academy Sixth Form** can be found here:

<https://www.kentprospectus.co.uk/courses/full-time-courses?providername=victory-academy-the>

In Victory Citizenship lessons, Year 11 students will receive structured support to research and submit applications. You may find it helpful to explore KentChoices with your child to identify suitable Post-16 options.

Students with an Education, Health and Care Plan

Applications must be submitted through the Medway Council Special Educational Needs (SEN) Team. For support or to begin the process, please contact: seneducationteam@medway.gov.uk

Careers advice and guidance

We continue to be the first point of contact for impartial careers advice. Students receive ongoing guidance through Learning Period 1, assemblies and Victory Citizenship sessions. For more details, please speak to Mrs Anderson.

Maintaining contact after Year 11

Medway Council is required to stay in touch with young people for two years after they leave Year 11. This enables the council to offer support if needed and to report to the Department for Education on the destinations of young people in Medway. Contact may be made through schools, colleges and training providers, or directly



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with families. If you require support from Medway's Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG) team, please email iag@medway.gov.uk or call **01634 335703**.

Thank you for your support as we help your child prepare for their next steps.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D Anderson'.

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