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Careers at Sedgehill Academy

Goldsmiths University Talk Letter

Good afternoon, Y10 Guardians and Students,

Today, our Year 10 students attended an informative and engaging talk delivered by representatives from Goldsmiths, University of London titled “Why Choose University?”.

The session encouraged students to start thinking about their future pathways and explored the many benefits of higher education. Speakers discussed how university can open doors to a wide range of careers, help students develop independence and confidence, and provide opportunities to build valuable skills such as critical thinking, communication, and problem-solving. They also addressed common questions about student life, entry requirements, and the financial support available.

Importantly, the talk emphasised that university is one of several possible routes after sixth form or college, and that making informed choices based on interests, strengths, and aspirations is key. Students were encouraged to begin reflecting on their goals and to consider how their current studies can support their longer-term ambitions.

We hope this session has sparked meaningful conversations at home about future plans and possibilities. The Goldsmiths website can be found [here](#).

If you would like to continue the conversation regarding universities at home, I would encourage you to look at the [UCAS website](#) and the [Guardian University](#) guide. Please email me if you have any questions.

Students are always welcome to speak with me regarding their careers. Find me in **D012** or the **Atrium Careers Office**.

Yours sincerely,



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