

VALE OF YORK ACADEMY



9th November 2018

Dear Parent/carer

I am writing to offer your child the opportunity to study AQA Level 2 in Further Mathematics to supplement their course at Vale of York Academy.

Further Mathematics is an extra GCSE qualification for your child that would fit around the course content studied in Maths, whilst giving an insight into the content that would be studied at A-level. The course delves deeper and provides a richer understanding for the topics studied at GCSE Maths. The exam will be taken in Year 11 alongside your child's other GCSE exams.

This course is only offered to selected students, and I would encourage your child to consider taking this opportunity to develop their skills further in Mathematics, in particular, if they are considering choosing to take Mathematics onto further study once they leave Vale of York.

It is to be noted that this course is free of charge and will not replace any of your child's current GCSE options, nor will it affect his/her timetable - I aim to run the course every Wednesday after school from 3pm until 4pm (to be confirmed). It is essential that once signed up your child attends these classes without disruption. Failure to attend regularly would result in being asked to discontinue the course.

If your child is interested, please return the reply slip below. Further details will be provided following confirmation of dates and returned interest. If you have any questions, please email me on m.plowman@valeofyorkacademy.org

Kind Regards

M Plowman
Teacher of Maths

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My child _____ is interested in studying GCSE Further Mathematics after school.

Signed: _____ Dated _____

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