

SMY/JML

September 2015

Dear Parent / Guardian

### **FIRST LINE MANAGEMENT QUALIFICATION – AN EXCITING OPPORTUNITY!**

We are pleased to announce that we have secured the services of StudyFlex to offer our year 11 students the opportunity to complete a 'first line management' qualification, accredited by the Chartered Management Institute (CMI).

The benefits to the students are:

- Ability to complete an adult management qualification whilst still at school
- Learning to study at level 3, therefore bridging the gap between GCSE and A level
- Gaining a qualification that is widely recognised in industry
- Developing personal, leadership and resource management skills i.e. real work skills
- Gaining a prestigious qualification for their CV
- Increased confidence at interviews and enhanced presentation skills

Whether students are looking for part-time employment whilst they are still at school, thinking of applying for an apprenticeship or looking for full-time employment once they have completed their education (whether at Nobel, college or university), this qualification will enhance their CV and give them something to talk about during interviews.

What you need to know:

- Students will need to commit to a 3 day programme which will run week beginning 11 July 2016;
- There will be a cost involved – in the region of £190. This can be paid in instalments and families who qualify for pupil premium funding can apply for financial support;
- There are 60 places available, offered on a first come first served basis.

We understand that you may have lots of questions and we are planning an introduction evening which will be held later this term. Rachel Lambert, Director of StudyFlex Ltd, will be able to explain the programme in full and discuss all the benefits that this will bring to the students who take part.

As a school we are always looking for ways to make our students stand out from the crowd and give them the best possible chances for being successful in their studies and future employment.



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We hope you will encourage you son/daughter to consider taking part in this programme and look forward to inviting you to the introduction evening.

Yours sincerely



Mr Steve Morley  
Assistant Headteacher

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**First Line Management qualification (CMI)**

Please return to Mrs Julia Marshall in the Student Progress Office

Student name ..... Form Group .....

I am interested in finding out more about the CMI qualification being offered next July.

Parent/guardian name .....



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