



# Arthur Mellows Village College

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Dear Parent/Carer

## POST 16 OPTIONS

All Year 11 students should now be beginning to make their Post 16 education decisions.

During PSHE lessons, students have been writing their personal statements and CVs, mock interviews will be taking place this term and students will learn more about all of their Post 16 education options.

To help you best support your child, please find attached an informative booklet regarding the various Post 16 options available, from staying on at Arthur Mellows Village College, going to College, Apprenticeship options and T Levels. There is a lot of detail included in order to best support families going through this process for the first time, or for those that would just like to understand how Post 16 education has changed.

Whilst your child may well wish to stay on at Arthur Mellows Village College, they may also wish to consider their other options and even have a back-up plan.

As a reminder for students considering Arthur Mellows Village College Sixth Form, applications open following the Sixth Form Open Evening on Thursday 13 November 2025 and close at 9.00 am on Monday 8 December 2025. The application deadlines for other provisions will be different. Please refer to each individual establishment for their deadlines.

Forthcoming College open evening are as follows:

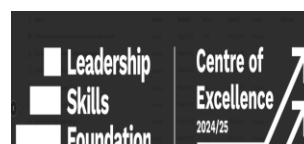
**Peterborough College:** Tuesday 7 October 2025, Thursday 13 November 2025, Thursday 27 November 2025 and Tuesday 27 January 2026 from 5.30 pm - 7.30 pm.

**Stamford College:** Wednesday 1 October 2025, Wednesday 22 October 2025, Wednesday 19 November 2025 and Wednesday 21 January 2026 from 5.30 pm - 7.30 pm.

Registration to attend these events must be completed online in advance. Further details and tips for attending college open events are attached with this email.

To further support parents, 'Form the Future' are hosting a webinar on Tuesday 23 September from 5.30pm - 6.30pm. The event, led by careers professionals, has been designed to support parents, careers and young people in exploring how to navigate entry into the world of work. To find out more and registration is via the following link [Form the Future - Insights into Your Child's Future](#)

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Finally, please note that students can book a 1:1 appointment with myself, the Schools Careers Advisor. Your child can visit my office in the library during breaktimes to arrange a 1:1, receive impartial guidance and even support to complete their applications, if necessary. Parents/carers with queries may also contact me by email at [office@arthurmellows.org](mailto:office@arthurmellows.org) or by telephoning 01733 252235.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "S Clarke".

**MRS S CLARKE**  
Careers Advisor