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Dear Parents/Carers,

As mentioned in our Sixth Form Open Evening, we will be using an application system called Positive Steps at 16 (PS16) this year. PS16 offers the chance for students to apply to a wide variety of providers across the county. We are pleased to announce that this system is now live for applications to The Castle Rock Sixth Form and students are able to begin their applications.

We will be providing Castle Rock students with their log-in details following the half-term break. They will be receiving support with registering for a PS16 account during tutor times in the first week back. Mr Goddard will be signposting students to specific sessions to complete this and there will be some time allocated to orientation around the site and its function.

We are hosting a parents/carers information evening on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October should you require any additional assistance with the platform and its many uses or have any questions. In the meantime, please feel free to visit the site using the below web address to begin familiarising yourself and supporting your child to explore their options. www.ps16.co.uk

Please do not hesitate to contact either Mr Goddard or myself for further information.

Kind regards

Mrs E Parker Mr K Goddard

Head of Sixth Form Head of Year 11

