



Church of England School
Head of School: Mrs N J Adamson MA NPQH

20th September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 10 Public Speaking Workshop day – 12th October 2018

I am writing to notify you of the above event, which we run each year for Year 10 students, called 'Speakout'.

The students get a day's training on how to deliver a structured and persuasive professional presentation, a skill essential to everyone and also useful for the GCSE English speaking endorsement, for which they will be assessed at the end of Year 10.

Students work in form groups during the day and they will be trained by six experts, who train companies all round the world. Past students have said how much they gained confidence in speaking during the day. As part of a national competition, the best speaker from each form then competes to represent the school at the Hillingdon 'Speakout' final.

Whilst a contribution to the overall cost of the training is made by the Jack Petchey Foundation, we would request the remaining cost of this excellent day (£9.50 per student) be paid via ParentPay.

Please make the recommended voluntary payment to support this event by Friday 28th September 2018. Please log onto ParentPay and **select 'Speakout Challenge 2018/2019'**.

Should you require any assistance concerning your ParentPay account, please contact Mrs Hagon on 01895 671002 or email parentpay@bishopramseyschool.org.

If you have any questions about the day, please do not hesitate to contact me at cwells@bishopramsey.school.

Many thanks in anticipation.

Yours faithfully,

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