



# The McAuley Catholic High School and Sixth Form

An 11 – 18 Voluntary Academy in the Diocese of Hallam

Headteacher: John Rooney

Chair of Governors: Dr Pat Hurley

RSH/JH

14th September 2018

Dear Parent

We would like to invite you and your child to our Year 6 Open Evening, which will be held on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September from 5.30 – 8.00 pm**. Parking will be available only on the **Cantley Site, Cantley Lane, DN3 3QF**.

The purpose of the Open Evening is to give you insights into the high quality education and pastoral care that makes McAuley unique. There will be a short presentation at 6.00pm which will be repeated at 7.00pm. Outside of these times, you will be able to meet teachers, try a variety of activities in subject departments and meet with Pastoral/SEND Support Teams including pupil groups such as Buddies and the Chaplaincy Team. Complimentary refreshments will be provided and you will be able to sample the excellent food typical of our daily menu!

The McAuley Catholic High School is an 11-18 school so we hope that pupils joining us in Year 7 are starting out on a seven year journey with us through to Year 13. As such, we are opening all three sites. The Sixth Form block and Acacia Road Site will only be accessible by foot so we advise that you bring outdoor clothing in case of poor weather.

This is a very exciting time to be joining The McAuley Catholic High School. We have an extensive Transition Program to help ease the move to secondary school and Year 7 will be joining Year 8 on the Cantley Site next year. For your information we are oversubscribed at the moment in current Year 7. We have an ongoing programme of refurbishment so you will be able to see state of the art facilities in Food Technology, Library and Science as well as the excellent sound, light and theatre facilities that were installed to support our fine traditions and exceptional quality in the Performing Arts.

Through our renewed focus on 'Best Behaviour', pastoral support and academic rigour, we are doing all we can to ensure that every child is nurtured and flourishes into a well-rounded, successful young person ready to be the best person they can be in all that they do.

We do hope that you can join us and we look forward to welcoming you to our Year 6 Information Evening.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Rooney  
Headteacher

Mr R Shenton  
Transition Coordinator

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**"I have come that they may have life and have it to the full." John 10:10**

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