

# Queen Elizabeth's Academy PREFECT Application

Mr Sisson

**Head of Faculty** 

Physical Education & Computing

### What is a Prefect?



- Prefects should act as the role model for all the students at The Queen Elizabeth's Academy.
- Prefects are sensible, hardworking students who are committed to supporting our drive for excellence around the Academy and will be assigned to an area where they will focus their support. This might include the Library, the PE Department, the Science Department, the Snack Bar, the Dining Room etc. Prefects will conduct their duties on a rota basis and may receive small privileges in return of their service on duty days (to be confirmed at a later date).
- Prefects will represent the Academy and provide assistance at a number of functions such as Parents Evening, Rewards Evening, Options Evening, Visitor Tours, Student Voice and departmental events.

### Who can become a Prefect?



- If you are a student in Year 9 or Year 10 with an excellent record of behaviour, attendance, punctuality and uniform then you are a suitable candidate.
- If you are a person who has demonstrated grit and resilience (especially if you are someone who has had problems previously in school but have worked to overcome these.
- If you are a person who has **empathy** for others, a strong sense of **justice**, you are **reflective** and **forgiving**, you have **good manners**, you are **trustworthy** and **honest**, and you like to **nurture** and **help** others.
- You should like working with and talking to younger students, and be able to build good working relationships with staff. You should want to make a lasting impact at the Academy and be involved in decision making.



## Responsibilities of a Prefect

Responsibilities include the following...

- Lunch duty twice a week
- Being available at break and lunch every day to support students while you are around the site
- Being available to help at After School Clubs
- Modelling excellent behaviour, attitude and appearance
- Attending Parents Evenings
- Attending Open Evenings
- Supporting your Head of Faculty with specific jobs
- Working with younger students to support them to become the best that they can be
- Standing against Bullying, cruelty to others and being mindful of the mental health of your peers
- Protecting our facilities and equipment and encouraging others to do the same



#### How do I become a Prefect?

If you possess the qualities identified then you must apply to Mr Sisson.

To do this you should write a letter (approximately one side of A4 paper) or send an email to <a href="mailto:msisson@queenelizabeths-ac.org.uk">msisson@queenelizabeths-ac.org.uk</a> to explain why you deserve to be appointed. The deadline for this Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

You should comment on the 9 Core Values and give examples of times that you have demonstrated them and how you would adhere to them if given the prestigious role of a Prefect in the future.

Good luck! I look forward to hearing from you!