

9 June 2021

Dear parents and carers,

Taster Lecture - Sociology Degree

Your child has expressed an interest in attending a taster lecture with Exeter University for those interested in a Sociology degree. We are delighted to offer this super curricular opportunity to our Year 12 Sociology students, as it will provide a valuable insight into Sociology as an undergraduate degree and provide an opportunity for students to ask questions. The content of the lecture will include some core aspects of Sociology including race, gender and ethnicity, and there will also be some information in current sociological research being carried out by the academics leading the lecture.

This will take place from 4-5pm on Monday 14 June 2021. We will be meeting as a face-to-face group in a classroom, and students will remain within their Year 12 bubble, with any staff present keeping their usual social distance. The room will be well-ventilated and plenty of hand sanitiser will be available. We will follow the relevant guidelines regarding the wearing of masks at the time.

We will join the Exeter University academics online, and this means students will be visible and audible on camera. This will be hosted through the school's Microsoft Teams platform, and only communicating with the University's Microsoft Teams platform. If you are happy to provide your consent please do so by email at sbutler@wealdgs.org.

If you have any questions regarding this super curricular opportunity, please do not hesitate to contact me at sbutler@wealdgs.org.

Yours sincerely,

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