



Invitation for Morrisby Assessment

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from Clare Tidmarsh, Events Coordinator – Careers & Vocation Department

Dear Parents,

This is an invitation to attend the Morrisby assessment, which is offered **all Y11 students and all NEW students in Year 12**. The assessment will take approximately 90 minutes and will be held on Saturday 30th September at 10.30am.

Morrisby is a careers guidance tool designed by the highly reputable organisation, Morrisby (www.morrisby.com) which will assist your son or daughter in making informed subject and career choices. The programme is used to assess students' suitability for a full range of careers, subjects and higher education courses and is particularly helpful in directing students to the most appropriate choices that match best their aptitudes, learning and working preferences, personality and potential employment style, as well as likely qualifications.

The cost is £30 - this includes an online psychometric assessment together with lifelong access to and support from the Morrisby website. After the assessment, tutors will go through the results with their tutees, and students may make an appointment with our Head of Careers, Stevaan Hall, if any further guidance is required. Copies of the reports are available to parents and sent via a link from your son or daughter.

The service is opt-in, therefore please reply via email to book your child's place. Please contact me cmt@ampleforth.org.uk by **Monday 26th June** to indicate if you would like your son or daughter to take part.

Morrisby Online offers:

- Increased self-awareness by providing an **objective** analysis of a student's potential
- Increased knowledge of careers and entry requirements
- Supports the process of subject, course and career choices before important decisions are being made at key transition points – a wide and often varied set of options are suggested
- Provides a personalised experience, where the findings can be uncovered and matched to relevant opportunities
- Considers the working environments a person may be best suited to
- Provides an interactive experience, which allows for the fine tuning of suggestions in light of personal motivations and other input (e.g. from careers advisers, teachers/tutors, mentors etc)
- Provides a comprehensive, dynamic report for every candidate, which can be modified, resaved, reprinted, and can include adviser notes and action points for the future
- Provides a personal lifetime login to the Morrisby website. As motivations change over time, based on acquired knowledge and experience, new preferences can be reflected in modified outcomes and plans

Please contact me on the above email if you have any questions.

Best wishes,

Clare Tidmarsh

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