

8 September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our Personal Development Programme and our ongoing commitment to supporting students in making positive and informed choices, we are pleased to inform you that the St Helens Youth Justice Service, in partnership with Merseyside Police, will be delivering a 30-minute assembly session to our Year 7 students.

This session is part of the **Youth Justice ECLIPSE program** (Educating Children through Lifestyle, Personal Choices, Sport & Education). It is designed to help students as they transition into high school, encouraging them to reflect on their choices and behaviours during this key stage in their development.

The assembly will cover a range of important and age-appropriate topics, including:

- Settling into High School
- Violence and personal safety
- Cannabis & Ketamine use
- Early involvement in crime and criminal records
- Knife crime awareness
- Online bullying
- Electric scooter / E-bike use

The session will take place on Friday 12 September during Period 5 in the Arts Centre. Please note that on this day, students will be dismissed directly from the Arts Centre at the end of the academy day.

If you have any questions regarding this event, please do not hesitate to contact the Year 7 Team.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Mrs C. Sidhu
Personal Development Curriculum Leader