

## What You Should Take to Interview

It is important that students prepare well for interviews and have a small portfolio summarising their skills and achievements to take to their interviews. This is what we ask the students to bring to their interview at Bosworth but it will apply to other places too and will show good preparation and commitment:-

- A copy of their PS16 application form
- A copy of their latest monitoring/tracking
- A CV
- Examples of rewards or achievements in and outside school, eg student of the fortnight certificates, Faculty awards etc. We need examples of recent achievements, ie during their time at Bosworth, unless it is a major or significant achievement at High School.
- A record of their work experience if they did work experience. If they have a part time job, maybe they could ask their employer to write a short reference about them to include in their folder.
- It is also a good idea to take a piece of work the student is particularly proud of and be prepared to talk about it.
- Be prepared to answer questions about your application. These could include:-
  - Why you have applied to this school?
  - What do you think you could offer the Academy?
  - What extra-curricular activities are you involved in?