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Dear Reader,

It is my pleasure to introduce the Head Girl and Head Boy Team of Woolwich Poly. They are fantastic role-models for both our schools, being hardworking, polite, kind, ambitious and, above all, proud to represent the Poly name. The Poly Sixth Form has had a tremendously successful year despite the challenging times that we have been living through and the team would like to share the successes with you through the following letter.

Thank you to Fred, Kiran, Zhuo and Shola for being wonderful young people and for being truly "Tomorrow's Leaders."

Yours sincerely



Tim Plumb
CEO, PolyMAT



From left to right: Fred Duncan, Kiran Bahra, Zhuo Liu and Shola David (Woolwich Poly 6th form Head Team)



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Dear Parents, Students, Governors and Staff,

We (the Head girl and Head boy Team of Woolwich Polytechnic Sixth Form) felt compelled to write to you to let you know that our Sixth Form is celebrating unprecedented success with university offers this year. We wanted you to know that five of our Year 13s have been offered places at Cambridge University and eight students are off to study Medicine or Dentistry. These offers are truly impressive as they are some of the most competitive courses and institutions in the world. An astounding 94% of us are heading off to university this year. Of course, our Apprenticeship uptake is just as impressive with students applying to companies such as Ford, Virgin Media and Price Waterhouse Cooper (who are currently mentoring students in Year 13 and Year 12).

This year presented us with enormous challenges because of Covid, but our year group still managed to excel in both our admissions tests and online interviews. Without doubt, this success would not have been possible without the consistent and ongoing support of our teachers and the Sixth Form pastoral team (both pre-application and post-application).

As a Head Team, we are so proud to be part of a Sixth form that supports us to thrive - both academically and personally – equipping us to become ‘Tomorrow’s Leaders’. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all publicly.

Thank you to our teachers: we are lucky to have an outstanding team of teachers who ensure students can achieve above their potential, whilst still feeling cared for and valued as individuals.

Thank you to all our parents for the support you give us daily. For putting up with us, believing in us and loving us unconditionally.

Thank you to our Governors and stakeholders for your dedication to maintaining an outstanding Sixth Form.

Throughout our time in the Sixth Form, the teachers have encouraged us and provided us with every opportunity to achieve the best grades, as well as preparing us for life beyond the Poly. When applying for university we had exceptional guidance and encouragement from the Poly’s Oxbridge Support Programme, which gave us the

conviction to apply to some of the best universities in the country. We have grown so much in confidence, largely due to Woolwich Poly Sixth Form.

We are now moving on to a new and exciting phase of our lives and we will remember our time at Woolwich Poly Sixth Form with great fondness. We are in no doubt that those students who follow in our footsteps are in excellent hands. The Poly has moulded us into the young people we are today. None of this would be possible if not for the advice, guidance and counselling of our great Sixth Form, both staff and students. We have all felt supported through the ups and downs. All the times we felt we couldn't do it, we didn't know how to do it: our Sixth Form has shown us that we can. For that, we owe a debt of gratitude, as we stride into tomorrow, confident that all the hard work has been worth it.

Yours faithfully,

Shola & Kiran, Head Girls

Fred and Zhuo , Head Boys