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Dear xxxxx

We are writing to advise you that, now you are 16, you can be added to the electoral register. This means that you will be able to vote in elections when you are 18. It may also help when you want to get a mobile phone, because credit reference agencies check the electoral register.

It's important you register to vote now, so that you will be able to have your say at future elections. Lots of young people are missing from the electoral register which means you don't get a say in how things are run. It is also a legal requirement to register to vote.

Registering to vote is straightforward. You can register online at:

www.gov.uk/register-to-vote

You will need to fill in your name, address and date of birth. You'll also need your National Insurance number, which most people are sent by letter by their 16th birthday. You can also find it on official paperwork such as payslips. Once you have registered, you will receive a confirmation number to say your application has been successfully submitted.

If you have difficulty accessing the internet, or you have any other queries, please contact us on 01902 551177 or Electoral.Services@wolverhampton.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

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