



Parent/Carer

Year 11 Update

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Firstly ...

... thank you, again, to all the parents/carers and students who attended the Year 11 revision and support event on 3rd November. We hope it gave you a better understanding of how, working together, we can support your child in the important upcoming months (all information is shared on the school's website if you missed the event).

We now feel it is the right time to share with you where we are with Year 11, and what we will continue to do to support them in the forthcoming months.

Year 11 part-mocks/reports:

Students over the past couple of weeks have been involved in their part-mock examinations.

You will receive your child's termly report prior to the Christmas break, via your child. Please do take the time to read the information attached to the report when it arrives at home.

Y11 Parents' Evening (1):

Following the term 1 report, there will be a Year 11 parents' evening on **Wednesday 11th January 2023, 3:30 – 6pm.**

This evening will give you an opportunity to speak to your child's subject teachers.

Attendance:

We really need the children in school ... being in school allows students to learn the curriculum content and receive the high-quality teaching they need to sit the exams with confidence.

Looking ahead:

Looking to next term, the next mock series for Year 11 will be in March.

This will be a full mock series and then there will be another end of term report for parents/carers and a face-to-face parents' evening on 19th April 2023, 3:30 – 6pm. Again, this is another opportunity to speak to your child's subject teachers.

We hope the reports and the parents' evenings will give you the opportunity to discuss how we can all support the students in the run up to their final, summer, examinations.

Supporting students:

Alongside all of this we have many opportunities for students to engage in so that they feel fully supported, for example:

- Y11 rewards scheme;
- our Y11 mentoring programme;
- lunch and after-school revision specifically targeted to Y11;
- the upcoming sixth form breakfast for Year 11 students as a treat;
- independent careers interviews (parents/carers invited to attend);
- mindfulness sessions to support mental health and well-being that students can attend.

And looking ahead ... the Y11 prom, year book, and hoodies!

Finally ...

We hope this gives you a timely update and if there is anything you want us to know, please do get in touch.

As always, thank you for your ongoing support.