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09th January 2019

Dear Year 11 parent,

Firstly, I would like to wish both you, your family and your child in Year 11 a very Happy New Year. 2019 is clearly an important year for your son or daughter as they will be completing their G.C.S.E. qualifications and finding out their results on Thursday 22nd August. We all sincerely hope that the results on that day are what your son or daughter is hoping for, allowing them to have as many options as possible open to them next. Your child's attendance in school and effort in all lessons will both have an impact on those results.

Knowing how well your son or daughter is doing at this time will help you even more in preparing them. For this reason, we would like to invite you to our Year 11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 17th January between 3.30pm and 6.00pm (please note that final appointment slots are 5.50pm). At this event, you will have the opportunity to gain specific information about your child's progress by meeting with each of their subject teachers for a 5 minute consultation. Key to this will also be gaining an understanding of what your child needs to do to improve as they embark on their final year in formal education. Should it be your intention to attend, it is important that you let us know by completing the slip below which should be returned to your child's form tutor by Tuesday 15th January.

It is also worth noting that pupils will be given their results for any exams they sat in November (Numeracy or Maths and – for a very few pupils – English Language) on Thursday 17th January. The parents' evening has been deliberately set to allow you to discuss further these results with your child's relevant teacher.

Finally, I would like to give you other key deadline dates this half term which may affect your son or daughter depending on the subjects they have chosen:

Tuesday 15th January

ICT Unit 3 Examination

Friday 18th January

Yr 11 Science Controlled Assessment 1

Friday 25th January

Yr 11 Science Controlled Assessment 2

Tuesday 19th February – Thursday 21st February

Yr 11 Catering Exam (1 day)

Friday 22nd February

Music Coursework Deadline

Please do not hesitate to contact the relevant Director of Learning should you require any further information about any of these assessments. We look forward to seeing you at the Parent's evening which will be informative and helpful in terms of how we can all support your child to working towards the summer exams.

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Yours faithfully

Dr Duddridge

Deputy Headteacher

EVENT: Year 11 Parents' Evening

DATE: Thursday 17th January 2019 TIME: 3:30pm – 6:00pm (Final Appointment Slot is 5.55pm)

I/We will/will not be attending (Delete as appropriate)

Child's name: _____ Form Class: _____

Parent / Carer Signature: _____

Please stress to your child the importance of returning this slip to their form tutor by Tuesday 15th January.

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