

16th October

Please note due to sporting fixtures the change of date from Tuesday 6th to Thursday 8th November

Dear Parents

Year 11 Information Evening: Thursday 8th November 2018 5.30-6.30pm

I am writing to inform you of an addition to our school calendar aimed at year 11 parents and students.

The purpose of the meeting is to unite efforts from school and home so that your child achieves the best possible grades in their GCSE and formal examinations. We will be explaining in more detail how you can help your child with the demands of, and preparation for, the important examinations they will sit at the end of the year. As you may know, examinations have changed in the course of the last few years and are quite different now to ones you may have been familiar with if you have older children. The evening will consist of a series of short presentations covering the following areas:

- Revision/Study methods
- Progress reporting
- Examination procedures
- Presentations by the Heads of Maths, English and Science about specific revision methods and how you can support your child in these subjects.

There will also be an opportunity to speak with staff about these issues.

Study materials will be available for you to purchase on the evening.

It is important that your child accompanies you to the meeting as success in public examinations very much depends upon the partnership between the school and families.

I look forward to seeing you on the 8th November.

Yours sincerely

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Mrs L Hesketh

Deputy Headteacher