



Year 11 Key Information – Term 1 and Term 2

I hope this letter finds you in good health. As we embark on our Year 11 journey, I want to extend a warm welcome to all of you. This year is a crucial milestone in your child's educational journey, and we are committed to ensuring that it is a productive, enjoyable, and successful year for each and every student.

Year 11 is a significant point in their educational path, as it is the final year of their time in secondary school. The year will bring with it many challenges, opportunities, and memorable experiences that will shape the future. We believe in their abilities and will provide the necessary resources and guidance to ensure success. We have key events and dates during term 1 and 2 that we want to share with you.

Year 11 Welcome - Tuesday 19th September 2023 9.15am - 10am

You are invited you to a special "Welcome to the School" presentation over coffee with our Heads of Year and members of the Leadership team. We hope to offer you valuable insights into the upcoming year and provide a platform to address any queries you may have. We kindly request that you register your attendance by following this link: [Here](#).

Year 11 Walking Talking Mocks

English - Monday 18th September

Maths – Monday 25th September

Science – Monday 2nd October

Geography/History – Monday 9th October

What are walking Talking Mocks?

Students perform the exam with teachers leading the students through it. Together they underline command words and the teacher explains how to identify what the question is asking and provides advice on exam technique. It will support students to understand how to approach answering exam questions and support them to interpret the questions.

After School Intervention – Students will be informed to attend intervention session.

Please support your child in attending their session –**Interventions** can provide a range of **benefits** for students: Improved retention, follow-up **of learning**, reinforcement of learning, revision strategies, improved understanding and improved motivation. It can lead to improved outcomes.

	Monday	Wednesday	Thursday
Week1 – Wb 18th Sept	English	Maths	Science
Week 2 – Wb 25th Sept	Geography History Music Business Digital IT	French Art Photography Design Technology Food Technology	Dance Spanish Drama

Sex & Relationship Education – Wednesday 18th October

Academic Tutoring Day -Thursdays 19th October

Meetings between Tutors and parents/students to review and set targets

Year 11 Assemblies - Local Colleges presenting about Open Evenings and courses/applications

Career 1:1 interviews and discussions – Creating an individual action plan

Inset Day – Friday 20th October

Year 11 Mock Exams 13th Nov – 24th November

We will update you further about the key events. Thank you for your continued support.

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