



6th November 2014

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 11 Academic Progress

I am writing to provide you with an overview of our plans to ensure success for our Year 11 students over the coming weeks.

Academic Mentoring

Ninety of our Year 11 students have been selected for our initial round of Academic Mentoring that will last for six weeks. Each student has been allocated a mentor who will be working closely with them to monitor their progress across the curriculum. Parents will be invited into school to meet with the mentor and discuss a range of strategies to maximise opportunities for success. A second round of mentoring with different students will take place after Christmas.

English/Maths Intervention Group

A small group of twelve students will receive additional intervention for six weeks to ensure that they achieve their target grades. If your child has been identified you will be notified separately by the English and Maths Faculties.

Academic Review Fortnight - Monday 10th November – Friday 21st November

If your child is currently not receiving academic mentoring for this half term, you will be invited in to school by your child's Form Tutor or DSLP for a brief meeting to discuss your child's progress across the curriculum. This meeting will be in addition to the Year 11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 26th February 2015.

Year 11 Information Evening for Parents

All Year 11 parents are invited to our Year 11 Information Evening on Monday 15th December 2014 at 6 p.m. The evening will include a series of short workshops that all parents will be able to attend. Workshop topics will include information on revision strategies, important advice from English and Maths and next steps/future plans. Further details will be sent to you nearer the time.

