



Wednesday 5th February 2025

Dear parent/ carer,

Year 11 mock results

I am pleased to inform you that your child's Year 11 mock results, latest predicted grades and attitude to learning grades are now available on 'My Child At School', and your child received a copy of these in the academy, yesterday. As I said to students in assembly today, the truth here is: these are not the real results! Whether they are really pleased, or somewhat disappointed, there are weeks ahead of us know where we can make the difference, either to secure great grades or help boost grades that students would like to improve. To that end, I also wanted to share with you some key information of key data and upcoming events.

Aim high, work hard, be kind

Our core values remain absolutely crucial to student success, particularly when we consider student attendance and attitude to learning. In this set of mock exams, students with attendance of 90% or higher achieved 1.5 grades more in every subject on average than their peers. Students with an average attitude to learning of 'good' or better achieved two entire grades higher in all their subjects than their peers who had 'variable' or lower attitude to learning on average. Finally, students with higher attendance (90%+) and strong attitude to learning results ('good' or better) achieved nearly 2.5 grades higher in every subject than their peers.

As we move towards the final exams, it is therefore crucial for students to attend the academy and work hard whilst they are with us.

Year 11 Progress Evening

I also wanted to remind you of the Year 11 Progress Evening this Thursday, running from 4.00pm – 7.00pm. There are still some teachers with appointments available, and appointments can be made via My Child At School. If you are unable to attend or if there are any teachers who are now fully booked, please do not hesitate to reach out to them directly for an update on your child and their next steps in these final, crucial weeks.

Year 11 Success Evening

Finally, just as a reminder I am also running an online Year 11 Success Evening next Tuesday from 5.00pm – 5.45pm, via Microsoft Teams. This session will focus on further revision tips (including subject-specific revision information), some key information from JCQ about the rules and regulations for exams, as well as support and advice to support your child's wellbeing. I will share a recording and slides after the event, but it would be fabulous to see you there if you are able to attend. You can join the meeting by clicking the following link shortly before 5.00pm on Tuesday. Join the meeting now. As ever, if there is anything we can do to support your child please do not hesitate to get in touch with their form tutor in the first instance.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'A. Staniforth'.

Miss A Staniforth
Vice Principal