

Year 11 Newsletter

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Dear Year 11 Families, Year 11's have made a fantastic start to the Spring term and have returned to school with a positive 'can do' attitude. This term is the last full term of Year 11, so understandably we have a lot going on. I have posted some key dates below, so please do ensure to put them in your diaries!

In the press:

Here is our end of term, reward 'Pizza Party,' for Y11 students who have attended Studio 11 and worked hard in term Below is a snapshot from our Saturday revision classes. More on 8th Feb and 1st March.



Weekly Attendance:

11T2 and 11M4 have the

highest attendance!

Everyday counts. Attendance has the biggest link with attainment.

Key Dates:

- **Interim 2** : Thursday 16th January. These will be handed out at Parents' evening
- **Parents evening**: Thursday 23rd January 4-7pm. Please book on schoolcloud.
- **Boost your grade fortnight**: Monday January 27th for 2 weeks
- **Mock 2**: W/C Monday 10th February for 3 school weeks.

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The reward 'Pizza Party,' for Y11 students who were awarded the most 'Effort Counts Twice' tickets.

Revision strategies

Year 11s should be revising 2 to 3 hours per day, making sure they spread their time out evenly over all of their subjects. On parents' evening, you will receive a revision timetable for students to plan their revision over the mock period. Until then, students have made copies of these in form time. Please remind them of these. Please encourage students to use the following revision strategies, as these have come directly from our student voice sessions:

- Past papers
- Going over previous learning
- Highlighting key words and read/ repeat words and sentences they struggle on.
- Blurting Method
- Pomodoro method
- Flash cards

Revision strategy of the week: Power hours

20 minutes revision- online, revision guides or notes.

20 minutes answering the question.

20 minutes marking using the mark scheme.

