

6th October, 2023

**Year 11 Information Evening, Tuesday 17th October, 2023**

Dear Parent / Carer

We wanted to take this opportunity to congratulate Year 11 on the super start they have made to this academic year. It has been a busy start to the term which has seen students partaking in crucial lessons, exam walk throughs and preparatory work to prepare them for the summer examinations.

You may be aware that students attended an assembly led by Miss Bawamia (Year 11 SLT link) and subject leads to share some important information regarding the key upcoming milestones and the opportunities available to them to maximise their potential and make valuable gains. We also shared information about the importance of attendance, the enrichment programme, the weekly Year 11 RAG meeting and other interventions available to them to add value and progress to their curriculum pathway.

We recognise that year 11 can be an anxious time for parents and carers and we're keen to share how to best support students with their studies and exam preparation. We would like to invite you to an information evening on **Tuesday 17th October, 2023**. The event will take place in the conference hall at the Outwood Institute of Education, the building next to our academy visitors reception. Refreshments will be available from 5:00pm followed by a presentation from the senior leadership team. Subject leads will then present key information about their subjects with an opportunity to ask questions and revision resources will be available to take away to support home study and revision.

We now need to ensure that we maximise every minute of the next few weeks in preparation for the November mock exams taking place between Monday 13th to Friday 24th November, 2023. We are also looking forward to sharing student progress and attainment with students which will be released on Wednesday 18th October, 2023. Praising Stars reports will also be available from Friday 20th October, 2023 via the parent portal.

If you intend on attending the information evening, please complete the following <https://forms.gle/TD7AraM9TSUFWfus6> . In the meantime, if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us using the details below.

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Thank you for your support in ensuring your child takes full advantage of every opportunity available to them. We look forward to working with you to ensure students reach their full potential and complete their secondary school education with fantastic life changing results.

Yours sincerely

Andy Scruby  
Principal