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AHO/CS/NBU/Events/Yr 11 PCM Ltr 12th March 2024

<u>Year 11 Parent/Carer Consultation Meeting</u> <u>Wednesday 20th March 2024, 3:30pm – 6:30pm</u>

Dear Parent/Carer

The Year 11 pupils have now completed their second set of Pre-Public Examinations (mock exams) and there is a short time left before they take their vital GCSEs; they have also applied for their college courses or apprenticeships and entry to these will depend on the outcome of their Summer exams.

This Parent/Carer Consultation Meeting allows us to share information and discuss essential preparation for GCSEs to ensure that our students are as successful as they can be. Appointments will take place in the subject teachers' classrooms and you will be provided with a list of their locations on arrival and we will also have assistant prefects on hand to guide you. Please could you enter the Academy by the Main Entrance. There will be representatives from the local colleges and other organisations in the Orangery who will clarify any remaining questions that you may have regarding Post 16 progression.

There will be two presentations in the Theatre, one at 4.15pm and one at 5.15pm where important information will be shared with you regarding everything on offer for your child to be successful. It is important that you attend one of these presentations.

Your child has been given an appointment sheet – please check that they are arranging appointments with their subject teachers, however, staff will make every effort to see you with or without appointments.

Please note revision guides will be available to order on the evening at the General Information Desk, we will add the payment items to the Arbor app and once the items have been paid for, pupils can collect them from the Library Resource Centre.

This is the most important Parent/Carer Consultation Meeting of your child's academic journey, and your attendance is essential for their success in the upcoming exams. This is the final opportunity to find out from each of your child's teachers what must be focused on to be successful in May. It is also the final opportunity for you to explore the support and interventions that are available. Collaboration and communication between the home and the Academy is crucial in Year 11. If students, the Academy, and Parents/Carers work together for the next three months, then your child stands the best chance of being successful.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Anderson

Y11 Progress Director