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Headteacher: Mr G Green

November 2025

Dear Parent / Carer,

We are writing to inform you of an upcoming event that will impact our Year 12 and 13 students on Wednesday, 12th November 2025. On this day, we will be hosting the Year 11 Taster Day, an important event for our sixth form and the transition of our Year 11 students in their post 16 progression. The current Year 12 and 13 students benefitted greatly from this experience.

To accommodate this event, we have decided to schedule a **Home Study Day** for Year 12 and 13 students on **Wednesday, 12th November**. On this day, Year 12 and 13 students will not attend sixth form in person, instead, they will be expected to complete their study and assignments from home. This Home Study Day is necessary to ensure that our Year 11 students can experience lessons in the sixth form building.

Students who excel in specific subjects and have expressed a willingness to support the delivery of taster lessons will be asked to come to school to assist with the event. These students have been selected based on their expertise and will play a crucial role in helping our Year 11 students make informed decisions about their subject choices for the following year.

Rest assured, we will provide detailed instructions to both students and the selected participants for the taster lessons to ensure a smooth and productive Home Study Day and Taster Day. Your child's progress and education remain our top priorities, and we are committed to providing a well-rounded and engaging learning experience for them.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this arrangement, please do not hesitate to contact our sixth form administration. We appreciate your understanding and support in making this event successful for all students involved.

We look forward to a productive Year 11 Taster Day and a focused Home Study Day for the sixth form students.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your child's form tutor or the Sixth Form Team.

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Yours faithfully

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