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Dear Parent / Carer

Year 10 – Important Updates

As we near the end of the summer term, and as your child nears the end of their first year of Key Stage 4, I wanted to provide you with important Year 10 updates.

PPE Results Day – Thursday 11 July

As you are aware, your child has recently taken their end of year 10 pre-public examinations (PPEs). We will be giving the students the results of these PPEs next Thursday (11 July) period 5 during a special assembly. Students will receive their PPE results in an envelope in the main hall, during the assembly, to try to replicate how they will feel in August 2025 for their GCSE Results day.

Although we are not able to invite parents and carers into school for the assembly, we are mindful that parents may well want to come on to the school site at the end of the day to meet with a member of the year team or a senior leader to discuss their child's results. Therefore, you are warmly invited to drop into school any time from 3.30-4.45pm on Thursday 11th July if you wish to meet with a member of staff regarding your child's results and discuss how we can continue to support your child as they move into Year 11.

Please be aware that, whilst we will be able to discuss your child's target grades, PPE grades and holistic progress with you, we won't be able to provide you with subject-specific feedback at this point. We will, however, be able to pass on any queries to the relevant staff members.

Revision Guides and Summer Work Packs

When Year 10 students receive their PPE results next week, they will also be provided with revision guides for their core subjects: English, maths and science. We expect that all students will take these home with them and use these over the summer break to refresh their knowledge and understanding of key topics. Please make sure that your child takes good care of these and these are readily available for them to be able to use over the summer break and into the next academic year.



All students will also be given a summer work pack which we expect students to complete over the summer break. The work pack will consist of revision and retrieval activities in English Language, English Literature, Maths, Science, History/Geography. We ask that students return the completed work to us in the first week back in September. All students who hand in completed work packs will receive points which will contribute towards our Points Mean Prizes reward scheme in Year 11.

Summer School

I hope that you all received my letter earlier this week promoting our Year 10 into 11 Summer School which we hope to be able to run from Wednesday 21 – Friday 23 August. This will run from 10am – 3pm each day in the school's G Block. We are really excited to be able to deliver this summer school, to support students' transition to Year 11, however, we can only run this if we have enough students attending. If you would like your child to attend the 3-day summer school and have not yet registered your interest, please do so by completing this Microsoft [Form](#). I hope to be in a position to confirm whether this will run, and a timetable of sessions, by the end of next week. The deadline for registering your interest is midday on Friday 5th July.

Thank you for all your support this year. We look forward to continuing to work in partnership with you next year to support your child through the challenges of Year 11.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Mahon
Vice Principal – Curriculum & Standards