

Year 12 Information Evening

Welcome to Parents and Students

- Mr P Ramsey Headmaster
- Mrs A Miller Director of Maths /
Sixth Form Improvement
- Mr. R. Skipper Head of Sixth Form



A Summer of Success!

- ✓ Pleasing A-Level Results – 51% A*-B
- ✓ High APS - 794
- ✓ 87% secured their university place
- ✓ 13% GAP year or employment
- ✓ 36% Russell Group Universities
- ✓ 49% BSV Top 40 Universities
- ✓ 30+ external applicants to the 6th Form



Targets

- 65% A* to B grades
- 60% BSV Top 40 Universities
- Successful AS with no re-takes



How to be successful

- Attendance- 97%+
- Use of study sessions and completion of homework
- **Complete Parallel Study**
- Completing coursework to the highest possible standards – above target grade
- Being well organised in terms of time (study, social, part-time work)- meet deadlines
- Ensure a clear work timetable is established
- Asking for advice/help and acting upon it
- Communication with parents - tutors



Additional School Support

- Regular assessments
- Detailed AFL/feedback
- Parents and student revision evening
- Parental consultation evening
- Academic mentoring via dedicated tutor team
- Regular assemblies
- Supervised study / Parallel Study



Preparing for Assessments

- Vital to longer term success
- Careful revision
- Ensure what is being assessed is clear
- Acting on results
- Reviewing and consolidating weaker areas
- No excuses – D grade minimum expectation



Part time work

- Financial autonomy is fine.
- Getting the balance wrong will cost you dearly.
- More than 8 hours per week can drop your grades from BBB to CCD.
- We recommend that students do no more than 8 hours per week.
- Each year, some students ignore this warning and seriously under-achieve.



Wider Opportunities

- Engaging Minds lecture series
- Form Prefects
- Prefects ECCO
- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- Year 7 Reading Mentor Scheme- *workshop*
- Young Enterprise
- Sports
- Peer Education
- Block Committee



Key Dates

- Assessment 25th September
- Assessment -brief report 16th October & RPC
- Assessment 13th November
- Assessment 12th December
- Parents' evening: Beaumont 2nd December
- Parents' evening: Sandringham 3rd December
- Parents' evening: Verulam 4th December



Key Dates

- Trial examinations begin 26th January
- Trial examination results 26th February
- Assessment 5th March
- Full report 5th March
- Predicted grades 30th April
- May / June examinations - start May 11th
- 10th June commence A2 courses
- 'Facing the Future' interviews 3rd July
- Examination results 13th August



And finally..

Any general questions?

If you have specific questions about your son/daughter, please speak to us or contact their tutor.

Thank you for coming!

