

13 September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

We are pleased to inform you that the Year 11 students have conducted themselves extremely well this week in lessons and during internal exams. This mature attitude to learning bodes very well for success at GCSE for the Class of 2025 next summer.

I am writing to remind you about our Year 11 Information Evening in college at 6pm next Monday, 16 September. We encourage all parents and students to attend this meeting, to gain a clear understanding of the very busy year ahead for all of us connected to Year 11. We know that your support means a lot to your son/daughter even if they don't always acknowledge it. Knowing how Year 11 runs and what lies ahead for your child can help you understand their feelings and enable you to support them more confidently at home.

In addition to support and information from MRC staff, we use the services of a new provider this year. Elevate Education will visit us twice this year, to run workshops with the students. The presenters are lively, highly trained, young people who have only recently completed their own studies. The students will benefit greatly from these sessions. Elevate Education also runs webinars for parents. The first one is at 6pm next Tuesday. Please see their message below with a link to join thousands of parents online from across the UK.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Lunskey Assistant Principal Raising Standards Mr Lamb Head of Year - Year 11

Principal: Stuart Edwards

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Elevate works with our students, delivering high-impact workshops on study skills, motivation, wellbeing, and exam preparation. By tuning into their webinar series, you'll learn how you can help support your child at home by reinforcing the skills they're learning at school.

Their upcoming webinar on motivation will give you some easy-to-implement strategies to help your child get focused on achieving their goals this year.

How to Get (& Keep) Your Child Motivated

Tuesday 17th September 6:00-7:00pm

Click here to register for free

Here's what Elevate will be covering on the night:

- Using praise and reassurance to motivate your child
- Setting relevant and effective goals for your child
- Helping your child to stay motivated long-term

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We hope to see you there!