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9<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Parents / Carers

### **Year 11 Leaving Expectations**

As we approach the end of Year 11 and the examination window looms into view, I would like to take this opportunity to update you on what will happen and what students can expect this week.

As you know, students will continue to attend lessons up until the end of this term (Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022) unless they are in an examination. This will provide continuity and a chance to revise in a supportive and structured environment.

### **Year 11 Awards Evening – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

Our Year 11 Awards Evening is taking place on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 5.30pm. This is an opportunity to celebrate the best of Year 11 and their achievements. If you haven't booked to attend, but would like to please click [here](#) to book your tickets. We will be holding a rehearsal with Year 11 students during Period 5 on Thursday, so they know where to sit and what they will need to do across the course of the evening. Year 11 will register with their class teachers who will bring them down to the Main Hall.

### **Class of 2022 Leavers' Hoodie**

Any student who has ordered a Leavers' Hoodie will be able to collect it in the Dining area after the Awards Evening rehearsal during Period 5 on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May. Students will be able to wear their Hoodie on Celebration Day (Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May). Please note that they will not be able to wear them in school during the remainder of the term.

### **Year 11 Celebration Day – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

On the Year 11 Celebration Day, all students from Year 7 - 11 will enter the school via the Dining Hall entrance. Years 7 - 10 will pass through one door and Year 11 through another. This is so Year 11 can go directly to the celebration breakfast which we have provided for them. We will be conducting a bag search of Year 11 students as they enter, so please do let your child know about this.

On the Celebration Day on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May, the students can wear 'traditional' last day items such as luminous socks. Many students will want to take part in shirt signing and this will take place first thing in the Main Hall before students will join their tutor groups for the last time, but please make sure your child has their school sweatshirt or Leavers' Hoodie to cover over their shirts while moving around the school for lessons or another spare shirt. The celebration breakfast and snacks are provided and these will continue to be available in the Main Hall at break and lunchtime. Students will attend their normal lessons Periods 1 - 4. During Period 5 we will be hosting the annual Celebration Assembly in the Main Hall. At the celebration assembly, there will be a range of 'funny' awards, nominated for by the students themselves, as well as music and presentations from Community Leaders.

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During the Celebration Assembly we would like to take the students on a trip down memory lane. We would like to share old photographs with the year group to highlight how much the students have changed over the years. We would be most grateful if you could send in any baby photos, playgroup / school photos or school trip photographs to Mrs Cole via email ([kerala.cole@rednockschool.org.uk](mailto:kerala.cole@rednockschool.org.uk)).

This has traditionally been a fun, enjoyable and happy send off for our students before the examinations begin. We do hope that the students will have an enjoyable day and allow others to enjoy the day too.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Cheeseman



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