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Dear Parent/Carer,

**Year II Reports:** You will shortly receive your child's Spring Term Report. This shows details of the grades your child achieved in the February Pre Public Exams along with information on current grades and predicted grades. **Your child's predicted grades should be at least equal to, or greater than, your child's minimum target grade.** If this is not the case, it is vitally important your child uses their teachers' subject specific advice and feedback to produce and follow a thorough revision plan.

**Easter Holiday:** With just a few weeks left until the start of written exams we expect your child to use the Easter break productively and be fully engaged in **active** revision. This includes, for example, time spent completing exam papers and using mark schemes to improve their work rather than just reading notes. If your child is expected to attend a targeted revision workshop in school during this time you will receive a notification on MCAS. The rest of the time should be spent using the following resources to support revision. These have all been shared with students via the Y11 VIP Zone.

- Creating a revision timetable
- 8 Weeks To Make a Difference (subject specific revision guides)
- Advice from Subject Leaders ('Steps to Success')
- Wellbeing
- Revision Strategies
- Exam papers and mark schemes
- GCSE Exam Timetable

**How Parents Can Help:** Below is some advice and guidance from the parents section of our website which we recommend using with your child to build effective and healthy study habits over the coming weeks, thus enabling your child to approach the final exams fully prepared, confident and resilient.

- Supporting Your Child (good habits, revision strategies and wellbeing)
- Steps to Success (advice from Subject Leaders)
- GCSE Exam Timetable

**Y11 Parents Event:** If you would like to discuss your child's progress further or need guidance with any aspects of revision planning for Easter, a number of subject leaders and senior leaders will be available to meet parents in the Stanley Avenue hall from 4.30p.m to 7.00p.m on Wednesday 2 April.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours Sincerely,

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Mrs P. Rufo
Deputy Headteacher







