



7 October 2024

Dear Year 11 Parent/Carers

Year 11 competition, Exam Success Evening & The Big BGLC Revise!

On Friday we launched an exciting **Year 11 competition with 4 x £100 prizes in vouchers**. For students to be in with a chance of winning one of these they must:

- attend all three The Big BGLC revise sessions (more details below)
- attend the online Progress Evening in January
- have attendance of 95% or above until the external exams commence in May 2025.

Exam Success Evening - Wednesday 30th October

In preparation for the forthcoming Year 11 GCSE mock exams we are hosting an Exam Success Evening in the Brookvale Hall for our Year 11 students and their parents/carers on **Wednesday 30th October 2024 from 5pm until 6.30pm**.

The evening is focused around 'Achieving Exam Success Together' by providing a key focus presentation on how parents / carers can support their child in the run up to exams followed by a carousel of three 15 minute core subject sessions. In previous years, parents/carers have found this event useful in supporting their child as practical revision strategies are shared as well as signposting them to where resources and extra support can be found.

The Big BGLC Revise - first session Monday 4th November

Our first Year 11 The Big BGLC Revise takes place on Monday **4th November 2024** from **3.15pm until 5.05pm**. This whole year group revision event provides our students with the opportunity of reviewing and consolidating their knowledge before their mock exams which start two weeks later.

It will take place straight after school and students will be allocated two sessions during this event based on assessment data from subjects. There will be a break between the two sessions where there will be refreshments and pizza available for students. **There will be no school buses running at 5.05pm so students will need to make their own way home or they can be collected from parents/carers.**

It is crucial for our students to attend this event as it will greatly contribute to their academic success and attendance to the event is a criteria of the Year 11 competition mentioned above. By participating in "The Big BGLC Revise", students will be able to identify any areas they may need to focus on and seek additional guidance from our dedicated teaching staff before their mocks.

I kindly request your support in emphasising the significance of this event to your child. Attending "The Big BGLC Revise" will not only help them feel more confident and well-prepared for their mocks exams, but it will also demonstrate their commitment to their education and their intentions to strive for excellence, one of our core values.

Please could you **complete the attached form [HERE](#) by Wednesday 16th October** to confirm your attendance to the Exam Success Evening on Wednesday 30th and your child's attendance to The Big BGLC Revise on Monday 4th November.

As we approach the end of this half term I wanted to thank you for your continued support in your child's education.

Some key dates are below:

Wed 30th October

Mon 4th November

Wed 11th and Thurs 12th December

Mon 18th November

Thurs 30th January

Tues 4th February

Wed 7th May

Exam Success Evening - details below

BGLC Big Revise - Session 1

Yr 11 mock interviews

Mock exams start

Online Progress Evening where you will be able to make appointments with your child's teachers to discuss their progress

BGLC Big Revise - Session 2

BGLC Big Revise - Session 3

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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Miss Taz Johal
Assistant Headteacher