



22nd May 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

As the Year 12 AS examinations come to a close, we would like to take this opportunity to provide you with an outline of the structure and expectations for the final half-term of this academic year.

We welcome **all Year 12** students back to school on **Monday 2nd June at 8.40am**, where we will meet in the Oriol. For four weeks, students will resume timetabled lessons and will follow their **full** timetable. Commitment to existing AS subjects will allow students to re-engage with their subjects as well as commencing their A2 (Year 13) courses and understand the demands of the course.

Week commencing 30th June, Year 12 students will not attend timetabled lessons and will, instead, complete tasks for the Advanced Skills Baccalaureate Wales Qualification, Future Destinations Project. As part of this, students will be supported to explore potential career pathways and complete their destination plan. It is an expectation that all listed above, be completed in order to return to Year 13 in September.

Week commencing 7th July, students will not attend timetabled lessons and will, instead, follow a programme of events designed to help explore their future aspirations. This will include presentations and workshops based around University applications, apprenticeship opportunities, plus more. We hope this will prove valuable in exploring the various opportunities that are available when students leave school. Details will be published on the "Year 12 Team" closer to the time.

Week commencing 14th July will be our final week of term, where leadership is encouraged and demonstrated through the promotion, organisation and involvement in our annual Eisteddfod and Sports Day.

Attendance is compulsory throughout all the above.

We will also be introducing our students to the UCAS process. Application through UCAS is a demanding task and their success will bring significant benefits as they strive to develop a career. It is important that parents are aware of the process. Consequently, we will soon be sharing UCAS documents to inform and advise parents in supporting their sons/daughters. We will guide students through the process and are here to answer any questions that you, as parents, may have.

Thank you for your continued support throughout this busy year and we look forward to working with you throughout this and the next academic year.

Yours sincerely

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