

Year 11 - What's It All About?

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Who are we and who to contact?



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KS4 Pastoral Lead



Mr Cozens
Head of
Year 11



Miss Hudson
KS4 Pastoral
Manager

How can you support your child?

Attendance

In 2023, students with 95%+ attendance achieved and exceeded their target grades.

Students with 90% - 95% attendance achieved one grade lower than their target grades

Students with less than 90% attendance achieved two grades lower than their target grades

Your child's attendance is the key to success!

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The year ahead....

- October, November & December – BTEC Controlled Assessment Period
- 30 November – Into the Sixth Evening
- January - Year 11 Pre-Public Exams
- 14 February - 'Up the Ante' evening
- February & March - BTEC Controlled Assessment Period
- 6 March - Year 11 Parents' Evening
- Easter Break & May Half Term - Year 11 Grade Boosters
- April, May & June - Year 11 Public Exams (GCSEs)
- 22 August - GCSE Results Day
- **Avoid booking holidays until the end of June**



Prom Invitation & Criteria

Students to receive no more than 30 Points.

- *1 Point will be given for each Not School Ready or Concern issued in line with our Climate for Learning Policy.*
- *5 Points will be issued (per day) for an Internal Isolation.*
- *Behaviours resulting in a Fixed Term Suspension will have 10 points issued (per day).*

Students will need to have 95%+ attendance and no more than 6 broken weeks of attendance.

Coping with Year 11



Report a concern or need advice?

Please click on the picture to report a concern or ask for support. A member of staff will review the concern/request and take the appropriate action as soon as possible.

REPORT

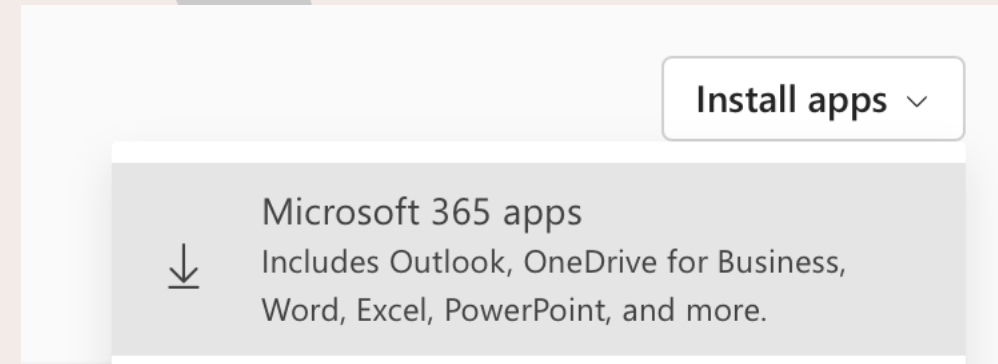
A CONCERN OR INCIDENT

HELP YOURSELF, HELP OTHERS

How can you support your child?



Make sure you are connected!



How can you support your child? Revision Skills

What type of revision should my child be doing?

<p>A – Reading through textbooks related to the subjects they are taking</p>	<p>B – Creating a revision poster for each subject they study</p>
<p>C – Creating flashcards for each of the subjects they study</p>	<p>D – Looking through their exercise books for each of the subjects they study</p>

What type of revision should my child be doing?

A – Even though rereading a textbook is a go-to method for many students, it won't help them remember anything!

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B – For some people, particularly **visually stimulated learners**, the answer is “yes!”. However, sometimes, it can be a bit of a time waster. Be mindful of how you're making your poster – go for content over aesthetic

C – Flashcards can be a brilliantly effective way to revise if done properly. The main tip for revising with flashcards would be not to overload the flashcard with too much information.

D – Reading them through will not help them stick in their minds. If they are insistent on using this method, then make sure they are at least rewriting or paraphrasing their notes.

How long should my child be revising for without a break?

A – 2 hours

B – 45 minutes

C – 1 hour

D – 30 minutes

What is the best way I can support my child with their revision?

A – Provide a suitable environment for study at home	B – Direct help – asking questions, testing, helping learning
C – Contact teachers for advice or information as needed	D – Monitor both quantity and quality of revision

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Parent Revision Skills – Monday 15th January

Period 7 and Intervention Sessions

"I use intervention lessons to complete my small bit of revision each day so I can relax when I go home"

"Period 7 Intervention is like small group private tuition and I can ask the questions I might not ask in lesson"

Post-16 Options Evening – 30 Nov

- **Start researching your options now - entry requirements and your predicted grades**
- **Support available**
 - **Independent careers adviser**
 - **Online resources**
 - **Barnwell Pride journey**

