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Dear Year 11 Parents/Carers,

As Easter approaches, we felt it would be helpful to share some important information regarding Year 11's final term at OBHS.

Exams and Revision

The summer exam timetable has now been released, and students received a copy today. After the Easter break, they will be issued with a personalised version. There is a clash between Geography and Health & Social Care exams. Students affected by this will be given more details about how this will be managed when we return after Easter.

We strongly encourage students to begin planning their revision using these timetables. Regular, shorter revision sessions tend to be most effective. For example, one hour of revision each evening, broken into three 20-minute sessions, can be highly productive. Active revision techniques - such as creating flashcards [OBHS Parent Guide to Flash Cards](#), completing exam practice questions, or self-quizzing - are far more effective than passive methods like simply reading revision guides.

Interventions and Additional Lessons

English, Maths and Science interventions during form time will continue into the summer term until the exams begin, families of students involved will be contacted directly. Additional Lessons in English (Tuesdays) and Maths (Thursdays) will also continue until the start of the exams. These are focussed on securing Grade 5s. Please make sure you sign up here: [Y11 Additional Maths and English Lessons Summer Term – Fill in form](#) so that we know who to expect at these sessions.

Leavers' Hoodies

An online shop has been set up, and we expect to receive the ordering link for Leavers' Hoodies shortly. We will share this with you as soon as it becomes available.

Prom

A reminder that the Year 11 Prom will take place at Barnham Broom Country Club on Friday 19th June, with arrivals from 6:30pm. Please encourage your child to check with their tutor or the pastoral team that they have sufficient Prom points to attend. Further details, including ticket information, will be shared next month.

Leavers' Day

Leavers' Day will also take place on Friday 19th June at school. The day will begin with an assembly

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at 11:30am, followed by celebrations on the school field in the afternoon. Students may leave from 2:00pm if they wish to prepare for Prom.

Support

We understand that this can be a stressful and overwhelming time for many Year 11 students. If you have any concerns about your child's wellbeing or feel they would benefit from additional support in school, please do not hesitate to contact us. We are here to support both students and families in any way we can.

Thank you for all your support this year and wishing you a very happy Easter.

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Head of KS4

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