

SEC/MEW

28th March 2018

Dear Parent / Carer

Year 11 Prom – Friday 29th June 2018

At this time of year, I hope that your son/daughter has made revision and exam preparation their main concern. This will be essential for the coming weeks and particularly during the Easter holidays. The exams begin on the 8th May.

“Parent Tip”

From April onwards, around 2 hours of revision each evening should involve traditional study without the distractions of electronic devices. We recommend that mobile phones, tablets, computers and televisions are switched off during this time.

Although exam preparation is clearly the focus of the school at the moment, we need to make arrangements to celebrate the end of the exam period by marking this with the traditional Year 11 Prom. This year’s prom will be held at the Brangwyn Hall on Friday 29th June 2018.

Doors will open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. The cost of the Prom will be £30 per pupil. This includes a buffet, disco and other entertainment. During the evening, a bar will be open for pupils to purchase non-alcoholic beverages. Pupils should pay the balance from 16th April 2018.

Whilst the Prom has a formal dress code, we would encourage pupils to exercise restraint in terms of the cost of outfits worn to the event. For boys, a smart shirt and tie is perfectly acceptable. Many girls will choose to wear an outfit that is suitable for future special occasions or an off-the-peg dress. Every year, pupils wear a wide variety of outfits to the Prom, so we would hope that no pupil feels under pressure to wear something that they are not comfortable wearing or an outfit that is very expensive.

If you have ordered a leavers hoodie the final balance for this is also due from 16th April

The privilege of attending the prom is earned through regular attendance and hard work. I would respectfully remind you that we expect pupils to have an attendance rate of at least 95% in the period 16th April to 25th May 2018 in order to be eligible to attend the prom.

Yours sincerely

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