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Dear Year 11 Parents

I hope this letter finds you and your families safe and well. I am writing to share with you the arrangements for the final few weeks of school for our Year 11 students.

I would like to begin by thanking you for working with us since school re-opening to support Year 11 students back into school. It was a delight to welcome them back and return to some sense of normality after such a disrupted final year of school.

Through no fault of their own, this year has been more challenging than we could ever have imagined and we are all so proud of the resilience and commitment that students have shown since returning to school.

You will be aware that Year 11 students are currently undertaking a series of assessments and the evidence from these will be used to inform the Teacher Assessed Grades that we will submit in June. Following these assessments, teaching for Year 11 students will continue until the week commencing Monday 24th May, which is the final week of this half term. Year 11 students should therefore continue to attend school for the rest of this half term. This will enable them to study additional subject content prior to starting college courses in September. Precise arrangements for Year 11 students in this final week of school will be shared with you in the coming weeks.

From Monday 7th June, Year 11 students will not be required to attend school. However, I am pleased to share that there will be a daily programme of remote learning offered to Year 11 students from Monday 7th June until Friday 18th June. This will include a daily pastoral session with Ms Galer during Period 1, followed by 3 lessons each day, running from Period 2 to Period 4, which will enable further additional content to be taught. The precise timetable for these remote lessons will be shared with you nearer the time.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch with Ms Galer in the first instance.

May I take this opportunity to thank you once again for your support during your child's time here at BPS. I wish our wonderful Year 11 students every success and happiness in the future.

With very best wishes.

Mrs Johnson Headteacher





