

September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 11 Expectations Evening**

We are pleased to invite you to a very important evening for Year 11 parents on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October from 6:00pm – 7:15pm**. At the evening we will be giving out essential advice on Key dates and expectations for this important year.

There will be a short talk by myself and Mr Higginson (Senior Assistant Head teacher) from 6.00pm-6.15pm in the senior hall. You will then have a talk by Maths and English leads in the main hall. They will stay in the main hall after if you have any further questions.

After this we would like to offer three voluntary workshops that you can attend on the following: -

	Main School Hall	B3	B4	B5
6.15pm-6.25pm	English- how to be successful in their English			
6.25pm-6.35pm	Maths- how to maximise potential			
6.40pm-6.55pm	Science- how to be successful in their Science	Higher Education- next steps	Study Skills/Revision	HOY/Form tutors/Mental Health
7.00pm-7.15pm	Science- how to be successful in their Science	Higher Education – next steps	Study Skills/Revision	HOY/Form tutors/Mental Health

**6.45pm-7.15pm**

Please have an idea of which workshops you would like to attend. All presentations will be available on the Newquay Tretherras website after the evening

In view of the significance of this year and the amount of work each student will be expected to undertake, it is really important that all parents encourage their sons and daughters to foster good study habits and plan and organise their time effectively. We would also be grateful if parents would refrain from booking holidays during school term time – as a school we are not permitted to authorise holiday absence except in exceptional circumstances. Good attendance is vital to examination success.

Please also be aware of other information on the school website – in terms of expectations in regards to behaviour, uniform, anti-bullying and safeguarding.

Julie Cartwright will be in attendance in B5 with the pastoral team to answer any questions concerning mental health and anxiety and will offer to have one to one sessions with parents/carers at a later date.

We look forward very much to seeing you on 3<sup>rd</sup> October and would be grateful if you could return the reply slip below to your son/daughter's Form Tutor, as soon as possible.

Key dates:

- Year 11 PPE's January 9<sup>th</sup> – January 18<sup>th</sup> 2019
- Year 11 Parents Evening Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019
- End day for exams June 26<sup>th</sup> – please do not book any holidays before this date
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Yours sincerely



Miss J Hurley  
Head of Year 11



Mr R Higginson  
Senior Assistant Headteacher – KS4