



October 2019

Dear Parent / Carer,

Year 11 Prom – Thursday 2nd July

In Year 11 the main priority is to offer your child every possible opportunity to achieve the best results in their summer examinations. Research shows that the students who have good attendance achieve the best grades.

Our previous Year 11 (2019) results showed that 86% of students with over 95% attendance achieved their English and maths GCSE grade 4 – 9, compared to only 37% students achieving the grades with less than 95% attendance. The statistics demonstrate that if a student is at College regularly then they will gain good grades.

95% attendance is the equivalent of 9.5 days missed learning. This equals 60 individual lessons of lost learning. This is an incredible amount of time missed, particularly with the exam season being so close. Please support and encourage your child to succeed by ensuring they attend on time every day.

The Year 11 Prom has been booked for Thursday 2nd July. Students who will be eligible to attend prom will have above 94% attendance and a good behaviour record. If a student does not meet this criteria they will not be allowed to attend the Prom. Please check your child's attendance and behaviour record before you buy Prom outfits or book expensive cars as some students will not meet the criteria.

Thank you in advance for supporting the college and your child with attendance. I am looking forward to celebrating your child's time at Minsthorpe at the Prom and also their exam results in the summer.

Yours sincerely,

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