



Year 11 Newsletter: March 2023



Welcome to the spring half term newsletter, Year 11 have had an extremely productive term. Students successfully sat trial exams in February and are working hard to prepare for the summer exams. It was great to see so many parents and carers come into school for the in-person progress evening following the students' mock exam results afternoon. This term has also seen the launch of our revision timetable with a number of revision sessions open to students at both lunchtime and after school. We have been impressed with the number of students attending these and showing real commitment to their studies. The students have also been taking part in a revision relay gaining rewards for the amount of revision clubs they have attended, with the winning tutor group winning a breakfast and 4 individuals receiving prizes every three weeks

We are really looking forward to the prom being held at the Village hotel on the 29 June to celebrate the end of their exams. We have opened bookings for the prom early, so you can pay for these tickets via ParentPay.

We hope that you and your family have a wonderful Easter break and thank you for all the support you continue to give our staff and students.

Mr Lazell – Year Lead

REVIEW OF THIS TERM

- In January some Year 11 students had the great opportunity to visit Edinburgh University, having a tour of the campus, and taking in the sights of city.
- Students have had the opportunity to attend a number of career events offsite, as well as some businesses coming in to speak to students

PREVIEW OF NEXT TERM

- We return to school on Monday 17 April 2023
- Half term dates are 27 May and return on 05 June
- Civic Cup presentation 18 April 2023
- First GCSE exam 15 May
- Ongoing revision clubs see revision timetable
- Prom - Village Hotel 29 June

- Year 11 Geographers went out for their final fieldtrip of the year. We are studying social inequality in our local area of Whitley Bay and walked around two streets near to school to assess the quality of the environment in these areas. On the first trip we had to tackle challenging conditions – the first snow in March! However, our Geographers didn't let this faze them and a good trip was had by all.
- There are two Bank Holidays this half term. The usual May Bank Holiday on Monday 01 May, and the additional one for King Charles III's Coronation

Year 11 GCSE Revision, Support and Intervention Timetable 22-23

	Lunch	After School
Monday	History ICT	Maths Science Engineering
Tuesday	Computer Science Geography Art & Photography	
Wednesday	Spanish Art & Photography	Maths Spanish History Science
Thursday	French Engineering	English
Friday	Art & Photography	Maths

STARS OF THE TERM

Emily Marshall
 Ruby Young
 Nusrath Mohammed
 Storm Mathison
 Moth Reith

IN LESSONS NEXT TERM

To read more about what your child will be studying in lessons next term, visit the [Curriculum Overview](#) pages on our website and look at the Term Two column.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

Encourage your child to take part in a club. See the timetable here.

HOMEWORK

Remind your child about their homework. See the timetable [here](#).

BREAKFAST CLUB

All students welcome 08:00-08:30 every day. Bagels, cereal, hot drinks and more.