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> Mr J Lamb Headteacher

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Dear Parents/Carers

We are very pleased with how our Year 11 students have completed their most recent mock exams, after returning from the Christmas break. They have conducted themselves superbly and are in an excellent position as we move into the final months of their time at The Castle School.

To ensure that we work collectively as home and school at this time, I would like to invite you to our Year 11 Study Evening on Monday 30 January, 6.00 – 7.30pm. It is a key night for all Year 11 students and families, where we will provide input from several Heads of Faculty who will explain the resources, software, revision and intervention sessions on offer. In addition, we will ensure that all students are clear about how to revise and how parents and carers can support students with this. A programme for the evening is attached.

Please also note the following key dates for information:

Year 11 Progress Evening – Thursday 30 March. Pre-Public Examinations start (Mocks) – Wednesday 22 February to Wednesday 8 March. Pre-Public Examination results day (Year 11 IA) – Wednesday 29 March. First summer examination starts – Monday 15 May.

Revision guides/workbooks can be purchased online via Scopay or from Student Reception during the school day.

I do hope you will find the time to attend and look forward to seeing you on 30 January at 6.00pm.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Wordsworth **Deputy Headteacher**