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Dear Parent/Guardian

Upcoming Dates in Term Two

I hope that you and your families have had an enjoyable and relaxing Christmas and I would like to wish you a Happy New Year. I am writing to you to make you aware of a number of events in the coming weeks.

Wednesday 14th January

Our Open Night takes place on Wednesday 14th January from 7.00pm onwards. We would strongly encourage any of our parents/guardians who have children in P6 or P7 to come and visit on this evening.

Normal classes will operate for all Year Groups throughout Wednesday 14th January. If your son/daughter is helping out on the Open Night, we would ask you to please ensure that they are in school in full uniform (or PE uniform if they are helping in PE) by 6.30pm, and to also ensure that they are collected again at the end of the evening by 9.30pm. We would like to thank in advance all of our pupils who are helping out on the Open Night and also thank their parents/guardians for facilitating this.

Thursday 15th January

This day will be a Statement of Results Day for Year 12 students, who – along with their parents/guardians – will receive the results of the mock GCSE exams taken between 28th November and 3rd December. This meeting will begin at 9.30am with a presentation on our Sixth Form courses for September 2026. This will be followed by the issuing of GCSE mock results and consultation with teachers. **The meeting will last until approximately midday and Year 12 students will arrive and leave with their parents/guardians. Other Year Groups – including Sixth Form – will not be in school on this day.**

Wednesday 28th January

Parent/Teacher meetings for Year 11 and Year 13 will take place on this day and all other Year Groups will remain at home. The Year 11 meeting will run from 9.00 to 11.00am, and the Year 13 meeting from 11.30am to 1.30pm. **Years 8, 9, 10, 12 and 14 will not be in school on this day.**

Half Term is from Monday 9th to Friday 13th February, and school will re-open on Monday 16th February.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our students every success over the rest of this school year, and I would encourage all students to do their very best to attend school every day, as this is the best way to ensure that they make good progress in their education.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P. Fitzpatrick'.

Paul Fitzpatrick
Principal