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Dear Parent/Guardian

While Years 8 to 11 will have Christmas Examinations from Monday 29th November to Wednesday 1st December, Year 12 will continue with normal classes during this time. We will be arranging Mock GCSE exams for Year 12 in January 2022, during the week beginning Monday 17th January. A timetable for these examinations will be issued nearer the time.

It is important that Year 12 students work effectively from now, to be well prepared for their Mock GCSE examinations in January. **Wednesday 8th December will be a Staff Development Day and all pupils will remain at home on this day. In addition, Thursday 9th December has been set aside for marking and reporting and all pupils will remain at home on this day also. Pupils in Years 11 to 14 will also remain at home on Tuesday 14th December to facilitate the completion of reports.**

Term finishes for all students on Tuesday 21st December, which will be a half day, finishing at 12.00 midday.

I hope you all have a very Happy Christmas and best wishes for the New Year. School re-opens for Year 12 students from Wednesday 5th January 2022.

Yours faithfully

Dr M Knox
PRINCIPAL