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Dear Parent/Carer(s)

## Re: Year 11 Core Pre-Public Exams

I am writing to inform you that your son/daughter will undertake in-class Pre-Public Exams, PPEs in English, maths and science during the two-week window beginning **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February**.

Following the PPEs that took place last term, staff have identified areas of need in these subjects and have delivered lessons that strengthen these areas. The purpose of the upcoming PPEs is to refine this further and provide the opportunity to practise again how to best answer exam questions.

These PPEs will take place in the classroom under exam conditions apart from English literature which will take place under exam conditions in the sports hall.

Homework and revision advice is continually supplied to support students as we approach these PPEs.

I am delighted to inform you that we have launched Prom Points with Year 11. This is when a student on completion of good work can be awarded a Prom Point, each worth 5 House points that can be spent in our online reward store on ClassCharts. Prom Points are also awarded to students who attend their tuition sessions.

Additionally, for each Prom Point, a student is entered into a weekly prize draw for the chance to win a free Prom ticket. This is one of the ways of recognising the hard work being undertaken by our students.

Yours sincerely,

**Mr J Southwood**  
Deputy Headteacher

