

## THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

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Dear Parent/Carer

## Supporting your child through Year 11' Evening Thursday, 11 October 2018, 6.00pm – 7.30pm

Let me take this time to formally welcome you and your child to Year 11 at The Buckingham School. This is a very short and busy year, where your child is likely to encounter a number of additional pressures that neither they, nor you, have yet seen (unless you already had a child that went through Year 11!). We understand that this can be a tumultuous and trying time for you and your child both at home as well as at school. To that end, we are inviting you and your child to attend a *"Supporting your Child through Year 11'* evening on Thursday, 11 October 2018, from 6.00pm - 7:30pm.

During this evening, we will be offering you and your child the opportunity to find out how you can best support your child with their exam revision, stress management, school-life balance and achieving the best results possible. This will include, but not be limited to, gaining a better understanding on how approach examinations in English and Mathematics.

During this evening, we will be offering practical ideas and tips that will place you, as a parent, in a strong position to support your child during this very important time. There will be an informal presentation, guidance material to take away and a chance to put questions to Curriculum Leaders of English and Mathematics, as well as the Head of Year 11. We will also strive to outline the measures in place at school, both during the school day and out of regular hours that your child can take advantage of to support their progress and well-being.

We look forward to seeing you and your child on Thursday, 11 October 2018. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact either of us. We would appreciate if you could please reply via the link: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/hcnorCDMurBsLV973</u>.

Yours faithfully

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