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Dear Year 11 Parents,

I would like to remind you about our **Sixth Form Information Evening** to be held on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March**, commencing at 7pm in the Main Hall.

The purpose of the evening is to inform both parents and pupils about life in the Sixth Form and it is very important that pupils enter Year 12 with their eyes open and are fully aware of what lies ahead of them.

I believe any school is preparing its pupils for the day they leave and for life beyond school. For the huge majority of our pupils the next stage of their lives is university and we should be preparing them, both academically and socially, to ensure they get to their university of choice and that they are ready for university life.

The Information Evening will, I hope, inform you as to how we will go about this preparation. The process begins with choosing the correct subjects and fully understanding the examination framework that exists at AS and A2. Mr Andrew Holman, Deputy Head (Management) will address these issues. Mr Bell has a wealth of experience in the field of university applications and he will give a presentation explaining this process whilst Mr Gaynor-Smith (Director of the Sixth Form) will talk about life in the Sixth Form including responsibilities and privileges.

A selection of our current Year 12 and Year 13 pupils will also present their views on life in the Sixth Form and the programme will close with a question and answer session.

I am sure you will find this a most informative evening and I look forward to seeing you there.

Yours sincerely,

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