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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Update

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Firstly, I would like to thank you for your continued support of us at Nuneaton Academy. Pupils are working well under the circumstances they have experienced over the last two years and we are now very much on a countdown to their GCSEs. With this in mind, we have some updates for you as a parent/carer of Year 11 as we approach their final weeks.

Countdown to GCSEs Evening

We would like to invite you to a "**Countdown to GCSEs**" evening on **Thursday 3rd February 2022** in the Nuneaton Academy Main Hall. Due to numbers this is a parent event only, and we will be inviting parents of pupils in each tutor group to attend at the following times:

5.30 – 6.15pm 11LPE 11ZJA 11CLA

6.30 – 7.15pm 11SAA 11TKA

During the evening, there will be a presentation from our Principal, Mrs Hall, and myself to go through the overview of support for pupils in the run-up to their exams. This will include how you can support your child, information on revision sessions, materials to use and where to access support as we approach May when the exams will begin. If you are a parent or carer of a child with SEND, then Miss Alexander will be available during the evening to discuss your child's support in the run up to the exams.

Changes to CORE PE Lessons

As we approach the end of your child's time at Nuneaton Academy, we need to ensure we give them every opportunity to achieve the very best examination grades. We have taken the decision to allocate one CORE PE lesson per week where your child will attend an additional Science lesson. This is a subject with a huge amount of content and we have therefore arranged for pupils to be able to access additional Science material during this time. At present, pupils will still have one CORE PE lesson per week. As a trained PE teacher myself, we do not take these decisions lightly, but realise the importance of maximising curriculum time for subjects where required.

Please could you complete the form on the link below to confirm attendance at this event. Face coverings will not be a requirement in line with government guidelines but they are recommended.

https://forms.office.com/r/3WQXSdGrzW

If you have any questions about anything in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me at <u>Joseph.Newton@Midlandat.co.uk</u>. I look forward to seeing you at the **Countdown to GCSEs Event** on **Thursday 3rd February.**

Yours sincerely

Mr Joseph Newton Vice Principal



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