



15th February 2022

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Shortly after half-term the student's mock examination results will be made available to you and a full report will be issued by the end of the Trinity term. In the meantime, each student in the Sixth Form will have a one-to-one meeting with me or Mr Henderson on **Thursday 17th March 2022**. The purpose of these meetings is to encourage students to reflect on the progress they have made so far and consider any specific areas on which they need to focus as they move through their courses. It's also another opportunity for us simply to catch-up with them individually, which we value as part of our ongoing pastoral provision.

The full report is sent at the end of term as we feel it is most important that you receive detailed feedback about your child's progress before the Easter break. In addition to teacher comments and suggested targets, the reports will also include the marks and grades the students have achieved in their mock examinations. However, if at any time you have concerns about any aspect of your child's final months at College, please do not hesitate to contact me or their tutor.

Please continue to encourage and support your child, as we are doing; these last months will be crucial in determining final grades and, for most, entry into their first choice of Higher Education or employment. The vast majority continue to work very hard, and this group is being joined by an increasing number who realise that time is becoming short and study needs to be the priority over the coming months.

Finally, a notification that the first of this year's Principals' Lectures (*which all Sixth Formers are **required to attend***) takes place after half-term. We are delighted to announce that the speaker will be campaigner and writer Gina Martin, who is an advocate for equal rights, and who spearheaded the campaign which saw the UK government create legislation to make so-called up skirting a criminal offence. The lecture will be hosted on Teams by The Ladies' College on **Monday 28th March 16.15 – 17.15**. Students are to watch in the hall of their home college. Any student who thinks they may not be able to attend should see me well in advance.

May I take this opportunity to thank you all for your support whilst I was on sick leave and a huge thank you to Mr Bolt for taking on Acting Head of Sixth Form during my absence.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Emma Clements
Head of Sixth Form and Enrichment.