



DARWEN VALE HIGH SCHOOL

An Aldridge Community Academy 

6th September 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 11 is the most important year in your child's education and quite possibly the most important year of their lives. We understand year 11 can be daunting, without the added pressure of these uncertain times, and we wish to support both pupils and parents throughout the process. We want to ensure that we keep you informed about the progress of your child, and to enable you to support and motivate them to achieve a set of qualifications that reflect their ability and that they can be proud of.

On **Tuesday 14th September at 5:00pm till 7:00pm** will be holding a progress evening for you to attend with your child to meet their subject teachers and receive important information regarding Year 11. There will be a presentation delivered in the hall at 5:00pm and repeated at 6:00pm, please attend **one** of the presentations before meeting with your child's subject teachers.

The purpose of the evening will be to inform you of:

- Your child's progress and if they are achieving grades in line with their pathway (based on recent teacher assessments and year 10 mock examinations)
- The increased importance of year 11 mock examinations
- What would happen in the event of another lock down
- What you can do to aid your child if they are underachieving
- What will happen during year 11
- Generic revision techniques and exam preparation
- Specific revision strategies for English, Maths and Science

Parents and students will also have the opportunity on this evening to ask any questions and hopefully relieve any concerns that you may have.

Please can you complete the reply slip below and return it to your child's form tutor. We look forward to seeing you on the 14th September 2021.

Yours sincerely,

R. E. Cull

Mrs R. Cull
Vice Principal

Please return reply slip to your child's form tutor by Friday 10th September 2021

Child's Name _____ Form _____

I will be attending Progress Evening on Tuesday 14th September 2021

I will not be attending Progress Evening on Tuesday 14th September 2021



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