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Dear Parents/Carers

As we embark on this crucial academic year, we recognise the importance of the journey ahead for your child. With public examinations fast approaching, this year represents a pivotal moment in their educational pathway. We are committed to supporting each student to achieve every success possible, providing them with the guidance, resources, and encouragement they need to excel.

To keep students and parents well informed, progress reports will be issued shortly after the completion of the autumn and spring mock examination periods. This timing ensures that the grades and feedback reflect recent, meaningful assessments and provide the most accurate picture of your child's current progress. Reports will be sent home electronically and your child will also receive a paper copy to bring home. By receiving this information promptly, students will be able to identify strengths and areas for improvement as they continue their preparation for final public examinations.

Autumn and Spring Progress Reviews

In these terms, you will receive detailed reports that include:

- **Mock Examination Grade:** Reflecting your child's performance in recent practice exams to give a clear indicator of their current achievement level.
- **Teacher Forecast Grade:** This grade includes fine grading to indicate how secure your child is in their predicted grade, offering insight into their likely exam outcomes.
- **Attitude to Learning Grade:** A reflection of your child's engagement, effort, and approach to their studies, which is critical in these examination years.

This data is designed to give you a clear and realistic picture of your child's progress and help identify any areas where additional support might be beneficial.

We encourage you to engage in dialogue with your child's subject teachers to discuss the progress reports and any questions you may have. These conversations are invaluable in ensuring you have a full understanding of your child's achievements and the steps needed to support their success.

We value the strong partnership between school and home and are committed to maintaining clear and ongoing communication throughout the year. Please do not hesitate to contact us at any time if you have questions or would like to discuss your child's progress in more detail. Together, we can work to ensure the best possible outcomes for your child.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to working together for a successful year ahead.

Yours faithfully



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