EATON BANK ACADEMY

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4th November 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 11: Success at GCSE Evening, Wednesday 11th November 2026

Firstly, I hope that you had a good half term. We continue to be very impressed with the commitment and work of our Year 11 students and know that we have an important half term ahead.

As covered in Mr Washington's letter prior to half term, Year 11 students will be completing a set of **Progress Examinations**. These will take place from **Monday 23rd November to Thursday 17th December**.

To support this process, we would like to invite you to attend our next **Success at GCSE Evening** on **Wednesday 11th November**. This event will take place in school, **starting at 5:45pm** and will be **finished by 7:20pm**. The evening is aimed at **both parents and students**. Arrival from 5:30pm.

We had a brilliant attendance at our two Success at GCSE Evening in Year 10. This is our third of four parental events that we will be hosting over the two-year GCSE journey, and please rest assured that each of these will have a different theme so parents are encouraged to attend all four.

The evening will start with a short talk about the Progress Exams and Year 11 more broadly from myself and Mr Washington starting at 5:45pm. This will then be followed by a series of workshop sessions that you can choose to attend. Each of these will be on a different theme, allowing you to select sessions which you feel are most pertinent to you. Please find attached a copy of the schedule for the evening.

To support us in understanding numbers for attendance, please can you complete and return the slip below to form tutors by Monday 9th November. If you have any questions, please email myself on **b.dytiche@eatonbank.ht.school** or Mr Washington at **d.washington@eatonbank.ht.school**

Yours Sincerely

B. Dytiche

Ben Dytiche

Head of Year 11

Student Name: _____ Form Group: _____

Please cross out and return to form tutors as appropriate by Monday 9th November:

I confirm that we **will** be attending on Wednesday 11th November.

I confirm that we **will not** be attending on Wednesday 11th November.

Time	Sessions Offered
17:30 – 17:45	Arrival & Refreshments
17:45 – 18:00	***Introductory Talk: The Year 11 Journey*** Delivered in the School Hall by Mr Washington & Mr Dytiche
18:05 – 18:20	***Workshop #1*** Supporting Success in GCSE Maths (DMO – Rm 7) Supporting Success in GCSE English (VLE – Rm 15) Supporting Success in GCSE Science (LCA – Rm 16) Managing Your Time (BCA – Rm 14) Effective Revision Techniques (MJA – Rm 8) The Role of a Parent (EON – Rm 10)
18:25 – 18:40	***Workshop #2*** Supporting Success in GCSE Maths (DMO – Rm 7) Supporting Success in GCSE English (VLE – Rm 15) Managing the Year 11 Process (BDY – Rm 12) Aspiration & Motivation: Post-16 Options (DWA – Rm 9) Effective Revision Techniques (MJA – Rm 8) The Role of a Parent (EON – Rm 10)

18:45 – 19:00	***Workshop #3*** Supporting Success in GCSE Maths (DMO – Rm 7) Supporting Success in GCSE English (VLE – Rm 15) Supporting Success in GCSE Science (LCA – Rm 16) Managing Your Time (BCA – Rm 14) Managing the Year 11 Process (BDY – Rm 12) Aspiration & Motivation: Post-16 Options (DWA – Rm 9)
19:05 – 19:20	***Workshop #4*** Supporting Success in GCSE Science (LCA – Rm 16) Managing the Year 11 Process (BDY – Rm 12) Aspiration & Motivation: Post-16 Options (DWA – Rm 9) Managing Your Time (BCA – Rm 14) Effective Revision Techniques (MJA – Rm 8) The Role of a Parent (EON – Rm 10)