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Church of England School  
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16th January 2014

Dear Parent /Carer

**Year 11 Information Letter**

This letter is being sent out in the email drop this week, so when you read it you will either just be about to attend the Year 11 Parents' Consultation Evening, or will have just attended it. I hope that this evening proves to be very helpful in finding out how your son/daughter is progressing in their studies, and gives advice about what they need to do now. The report issued on Friday 28th February will give an update on further progress.

There are other relevant issues that I want to bring to your attention via this letter.

All students will be having a 'Post-16 Interview' during the two weeks from Monday 27th January. These are 15 minute interviews that take place with senior members of staff, and option choices are discussed, or other plans where students are not intending to remain at Bishop Ramsey. Form Tutors will inform students of the times of these.

Following the successful meeting in November, I wanted also to remind you of the Parents' Room that has been set up on Fronter. Please do look at the information there to support your son or daughter in their learning. This can be accessed via the Parents' section on the website.

Various after-school revision sessions will be taking place and individual subject staff or departments will inform students of what is being put on.

Finally, in Assembly on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January, students have been reminded that the Year 11 Prom, which takes place on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May, is a privilege not a right. As in previous years, this means that we will be monitoring student behaviour very carefully in the coming months. From now on any student who receives a Fixed Term Exclusion will automatically have the privilege of attending the Prom removed. If a student receives a Full Day Internal Exclusion or a large number of detentions, a Prom Warning will be issued. A further incident warranting an Internal Exclusion, or continued detentions, would then again result in the privilege of attending the Prom being removed. We do not take these decisions lightly, but it is important that you are aware of our expectations and of what we have said to the students.

Thank you for your continued support of the school.

Yours faithfully

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