Year 11 Parent Bulletin 8.12.23





Christmas Break

We wish you all a Merry Christmas and we look forward to welcoming you back in the New Year to support you on your Year 11 Pathway to Success!

Results Day!

Well done to all our students for completing the first round of PPEs. Results will be issued on Monday 8th January during tutor time. Keyworkers will be on hand to support students in celebrating success and address any concerns they may have.

Students have now been issued with the next Learning Cycle booklet. This contains the knowledge organisers and Personal Learning Checklists for each subject to help them revise for the next round of PPEs which begin on Monday 29th Jan. This set of strategic PPEs will be sat in lesson and will be led by the teacher who will support the students in helping them approach and plan their responses as well as keep to timings.

Week 1 (A)	Monday 29 th Jan	Tuesday 30 th Jan	Wednesday 31st Jan	Thursday 1st Feb	Friday 2 nd Feb
Start 8.30am			Spanish Listening	Mathematics	Computer Science
Start 11.00am	Biology	English Language	Chemistry	Geography	

Week 2 (B)	Monday 5 th Feb	Tuesday 6 th Feb	Wednesday 7th Feb	Thursday 8 th Feb	Friday 9 th Feb
Start 8.30am	Mathematics		French Listening	Mathematics	French & Spanish Reading
Start 11.00am	History	English Literature	Physics	Hospitality & Catering	DT & Engineering

Masterclasses

Tuesday 12th December

Art - PPE Completion of Final Outcome

Combined Science Trilogy – Forces quiz

Computer Science - Security

Wednesday 13th December

Geography – Familiar fieldwork

Thursday 14th December

Maths (open) - How to improve exam technique.

Spring Term

Masterclasses will begin on Tuesday 23rd January and run until Easter. Students will be invited based on the results from the recent PPEs however, open sessions will be available for all to attend. Sessions will be focused on closing gaps and refining exam technique. All students will be issued with letters in the week beginning 15th January. Please encourage your child to attend these valuable sessions where they can work with a subject expert to help them prepare for the summer exams. More details of the Masterclasses that will be running will be shared with you after the Christmas break.

Save the date!

Year 11 Progress Evening

Thursday 18th January

This evening will be an opportunity for you to discuss your child's progress with their class teachers.

Appointments will be in school between 3:30pm – 6:30pm and can be booked here. SchoolCloud - Poltair School

Prom Launch 2024

The 2024 Prom celebration will be held at The Alverton Hotel, Truro on Friday 28th June 2024. Timings to be confirmed.

Currently all students are invited to attend this celebration, however, behaviour and attendance in school will be taken into consideration.

Keyworker Support Programme

Every Monday, students will be completing independent revision during tutor time. Keyworkers will be available to support however, students will need to bring their own revision resources with them.

There will be a different theme each week centered around our whole school revision/study strategy – SORT. These sessions are to encourage independent study and help students manage their own study habits away from school.



Further details of all the revision strategies can be found on our website via the following link. Poltair School - SORT