



Cleeve
Park
School

Dear Parents & Carers of Year 11,

I am sure you are, like me, disappointed that we were unable to have the planned farewell for year 11 tomorrow. This has been a very difficult year for the students and the pressure that they have been under to complete evidence folders has been immense. They have, with the support and guidance of the staff, for the most part been able to do this and we are confident that most students have a complete portfolio of evidence for their GCSE courses. Some students will be required to attend sessions during half term and when we return in June, but this will be by direct invitation only.

Sadly, throughout this past week, we have seen a rise in the number of negative behaviours from some of the year 11 students and this has caused concern for us. We have been made aware of plans by some year 11 to jeopardise the final day and so I have taken the difficult decision to bring forward their close.

I fully appreciate that this will have been a small number of students but I must consider the safety and well being of all students and staff. All students have experienced a difficult year and it is imperative that all year groups are able to continue their school day without disruption from a group of over-exuberant year 11 students.

I appreciate how disappointing this is and apologise to those students for whom tomorrow should have been a celebration of their time at Cleeve Park School.

Kind regards

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