



July 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

**RE: Year 11 Key to GCSE Success Evening**

It is increasingly important in today’s results-driven world that students who leave Moulsham High School do so with the best possible GCSE outcomes. This not only will give them the opportunity to study the courses of their choice at Sixth Form, college and, ultimately, university, but also to have the greatest opportunity of pursuing the career they strive for. It is particularly important this year that we work together in supporting the students through the new GCSE’s and that you have as much help and information as possible to do this. This year’s incoming Year 11 is one of the most able cohorts to come through the school and we will be dedicating time and expertise into ensuring that the potential for all is realised with appropriate positive outcomes next August.

To this end, we would like to invite both parents and students to a “Year 11 Key to GCSE Success Evening” on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017 at 6.30pm in the West Hall. It is anticipated that the evening will last no longer than an hour and will cover the following topics:

- Revision strategies.
- Brief ‘case studies’ of success from our year 11 who are now at sixth form / college.
- Work ethic and ethos.
- Key dates for your diary.
- Curriculum changes and their impact upon the incoming Year 11.
- What the school is going to do for your son/daughter throughout Year 11.
- How to best support your son/daughter during Year 11.

The evening will also provide an opportunity for you to ask Mr Farmer, Miss Mead and me any questions you may have regarding Year 11 but, perhaps more importantly, it is our opportunity to share with you what we believe to be aspects of good practice. I am confident that the evening will serve as an excellent start to the Year 11’s last formal year in the school.

I look forward to seeing you all on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> September. Please confirm your attendance by completing the reply slip below and returning it to Student Services by Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> September. This letter will also be posted on the school website, but should you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours sincerely,

**Mrs C. Wadsworth**  
Standards & Progress Leader Year 11

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**TO: Mrs Wadsworth, Standards & Progress Leader Year 11**



**MOULSHAM HIGH SCHOOL**

Specialising in English and Humanities

Headteacher – Mr. M. Farmer

I confirm that I will\* / will not\* be attending the 'Preparation for GCSE Evening' on 14<sup>th</sup> September.  
(\* Please delete as appropriate)

Students name: .....

Signed (parent/carer): ..... Date: .....

