

26<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

I would like to thank you for the support you have given your son/daughter during term 1 in ensuring their attendance is high and they are working hard. We have seen a real shift in the progress that Post 16 are making which is a really positive indicator for the Year 13 students as they prepare for their mock exams in November.

Attendance for the full Post 16 cohort is 94.6 % for term 1, which is very good. Those students who have been placed on the work policy for their attendance have been supported by you, which is having a positive impact.

We want to make the students experience with Post 16 positive and engaging, so I would like to celebrate some great things that the Post 16 student body has accomplished this half term:

- We raised £85.53 during the combined Macmillan coffee morning which was a great success.
- We have developed the clubs and societies programme with some real success.
- Recruited a significant number of students for the Student Council with representatives from the academic mentor groups.
- A number of the Year 13 students have successfully applied for their University places next year and sat entrance exams required for some of these courses.
- 22 students in Year 12 were successful in being accepted onto the Access to Bristol programme. Well done!

Next term begins with an exam season; all students involved have received their exam timetable, including specific exam access arrangements where required.

Key Dates:

Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Post 16 GCSE external resit exams for Maths & English
W/C 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 13 mock week (all subjects) and mock exams for any yr 12 Vocational courses sitting a January exam
5 <sup>th</sup> November – 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Term 2
12 <sup>th</sup> December	1.30pm at John Cabot Academy – Christmas lunch and performance hosted for the Elderly Community
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Subject Parents Evening at Bristol Brunel Academy – 4.30-7.30

We would like to wish all of the Post 16 students a restful break and hope their preparations over the half term goes well.

Kind regards



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