

10 January 2018

Dear Parent/Guardian

During January and March we will be introducing four Deep Learning days.

These days will run during normal school hours and students will wear uniform as normal. Break and lunchtime will also be unaffected.

On these days students will not have their usual lessons. Instead they will spend the whole day or half a day in one subject area taking the opportunity to experience Deep Learning in that subject.

These days will occur on 17 January, 24 January, 7 March and 14 March.

Year 11 will be in English for all four days.

Year 10 students will be in subjects that have coursework or a practical exam element, taking the opportunity to extend their skills and in some subjects complete elements of the coursework. Each student will have an individual timetable for three days depending on their particular options choices. These timetables will be shared with students later this week. Students will attend their work experience placement on the fourth day.

Year 9 will be in Science for all four days.

Years 7 and 8 will focus on one subject for half a day. On each of the four days they will spend half of their time in Maths and the other half will be focussed on a different subject area. On 17 January they will focus on Physical Education for half a day taking part in interhouse activities and they will need their PE Kit. On 24 January students will focus on History for the other half of the day. We will communicate more detail about the content of the days in March at a later date.

We hope these four days will provide invaluable support to our students and further enhance their learning in these subjects.

Yours faithfully



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