



**Year 11 Newsletter**  
**Christmas 2022**

**Themes of the Month**

**January** - Positive relationships.

**February** – Different types of relationship.



**Year 11 Key Events upcoming in 2023**

Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> – Start of Spring term 1

Jan 27<sup>th</sup> – INSET Day

Feb 6<sup>th</sup> – Start of Mock exams

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> – Last day of Spring term 1

Feb 20<sup>th</sup> – Start of Spring term 2

**Message From HOY (Mr Shaul)**

Firstly, I would like to take the opportunity to wish you all a safe and enjoyable Christmas break.

It has undoubtedly been a very busy couple of terms for Year 11 and I am sure the relentless pace towards the summer assessments will continue after this break.

Post-16 plans have very much been a focus for Year 11 this term. All Year 11 students should have an adult mentor in place at school now with the opportunity to meet them on at least a fortnightly basis to support with Post 16 choices and preparation for assessments. Additionally, every year 11 student was given a £15 voucher to choose some revision resources from the school bank. We hope these will be supportive and used thoroughly!

**Year 11 visit to North Harbour Multi trades for Post 16 courses**

On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November, a group of Year 11 students travelled to North Harbour College in Portsmouth to taste the Multi-trades course for Post 16.

We were supervised by James, our lecturer for the day and students practised their carpentry skills in one of their workshops.



It was a very worthwhile experience and gave some students an insight into life on a practical post 16 course. Thank you to City of Portsmouth Colleges for accommodating us.

**Year 11 Merits in Autumn terms 1 and 2**

- 6<sup>th</sup> Place – 11JSL 62.50 merits per student (1250)
- 5<sup>th</sup> Place – 11CL 66 merits per student (1518)
- 4<sup>th</sup> Place – 11LKO 66.18 merits per student (1125)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – 11GLS 68.54 merits per student (1782)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – 11BLL 74.04 merits per student (1703)
- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – 11NLS 81.39 merits per student (1872)

*These are calculated on how many merits are earned in total divide by the number of students in a tutor group to make it fair!  
Well done to 11NLS who win the free breakfast for the end of term!*



**Year 11 Attendance up to 9<sup>th</sup> December 2022**

Tutor Group	Attendance AUT1 and AUT2
11JSL	85%
11CL	90.75%
11BLL	92.58%
11NLS	90.48%
11GLS	91.66%
11LKO	89.59%



*Overall attendance for the year so far = 90.17%*