



Penryn
College

"Achieving through Challenge"

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Dear Parents/Carer(s)

Year 11 Countdown to GCSE: how to ensure success and reduce stress
An evening for Year 11 students and their parents
Tuesday 2nd Nov
6.00pm – 7.00pm

You are invited to attend our **Countdown to GCSE** information evening. In an hour we aim to offer you as much information as possible to help you and your child prepare for the important year ahead. This is a very important evening for all Year 11 parents and students.

We have prepared a personalised information pack for every student which you will have access to on the night. It contains:

- An explanation of your child's progress so far at GCSE
- A planner for the school year right up to the exams
- Exam timetables
- Revision techniques
- Revision resources
- Details of a parent/carer Showbie access code

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We really hope that we see you on 2nd November for this very important evening. We know that informed parents/carers can be really supportive parents/carers, helping us to do the best job we can for your child in this important year. We value you giving time to come and pick up the information we have put together for you.

Members of the Senior Leadership Team and Heads of House, Post 16 Colleges will be available before and after each of the evenings if you have any issues or questions you wish to discuss.

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact us on 01326 372379

Yours faithfully

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