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Dear Parents and Carers,  
**Year 11 – the final stretch!**

From Bank Holiday Monday (6<sup>th</sup> May) onwards, Y11 must be in normal school uniform (no PE kit). There will be no practical PE lessons after this date, revision rooms will be set up during this time.

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May – Father Wilson is saying a final Mass for Y11 in St Marys Carlton at 10am. This is always a lovely event and each form are having an input into this Mass.

Up to half term (24<sup>th</sup> May), when students are not in exams, they will be in normal lessons or revision sessions. It is vital that they attend every day.

After half term – from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. There will be a 'study room' for lessons when they are not in exams. They can revise in school or go home if they have no further exams on each day. We will ask students to stay for specific revision sessions in between these exams. We will send a group call nearer the time for you to give permission for them to leave site after exams.

On Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June we will celebrate their time at Holy Family with a special liturgy, leavers assembly, shirt signing and farewells. They need to arrive in school uniform at the normal time of 8.45am. This event will finish at 10.30am. If any student needs to stay in school to wait for buses or lifts home, a supervised room will be made available. Students need to bring in a spare white school shirt to have signed.

The following Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> June is the Y11 Prom at Carlton Towers. We will send an individual letter next week with the detailed timings and arrangements for those attending the celebration. As mentioned in previous correspondence - student behaviour, attitude and attendance is taken into consideration all the way to their final day in school. It is our decision if they can attend the event at Carlton Towers.

There are some lovely memories and photographs that we are preparing for their leavers assembly and we will ensure they have a very special end to their five years at Holy Family.

Thank you, as always, for your support and guidance for our students. We know that as we approach the exams there will be some anxiety and it can be a very stressful time for everyone in your family! If you need any further support to help your child please get in touch.

Stay strong!

Mrs D. Mitchell  
Headteacher