

## Bishop Wordsworth's School

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Dear Parents/Guardians

## **Boys in Year 11**

I hope your son has settled well into his Year 11 routine and that his preparations for the Preliminary Examinations are well under way. Year 11 is a busy time so I have detailed below the important dates and key information you will need to be aware of as he progresses through the year:

Wednesday 15 November 2017 5.00pm	Sixth Form open evening
Monday 27 November – Friday 1 December 2017	GCSE Prelim examinations
Friday 19 January 2018	Full Prelim reports issued
Thursday 25 January 2018 5.00 – 7.30pm	Parents' consultation evening
Friday 2 February 2018	BWS Sixth form application deadline
Friday 23 March 2018 1.00pm	Year 11 photographs
Monday 14 May 2018	Study Leave begins
Friday 22 June 2018 8.45am	Book Collection

- Exams will begin at the start of May for those studying IGCSE subjects. The remainder of the GCSE exams commence during mid-May and continue into June.
- It is <u>essential</u> that all boys attend the book collection, in full uniform, to return all their text books and other department educational material. They will also need to remove their locks from their school lockers. They will be free to leave at approximately 10.20am. All boys are officially on roll with BWS until <u>the end of June</u>, so no absences will be sanctioned prior to book collection on 22 June.
- On Thursday 23 August 2018, from 10.00 11.00am, GCSE examination results will be issued and BWS Sixth form places will be confirmed. On Friday 24 August 2018 boys must come into school for confirmation of their options for BWS Sixth form.

If your son intends to study at BWS post - 16 it is essential that he attends <u>in person</u> on these two days.

I hope you will find the above information useful. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I wish your son all the best for this important year.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M J Jenner

Head of Middle School

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