



Whitburn Church of England Academy

An Academy with Specialist Status in Maths and Computing

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'Excellence for All'

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Year 11 Activity Day – Thursday 26th February 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

Thursday 26th February is our Tutor Review Day and we have planned a very special day for Year 11 pupils.

The day will begin at 8:55am as usual, but will finish at 2:30pm. Please note that the scholars' bus service will run as normal for the journey to school in the morning but will **not** be available when the children are dismissed. Please make alternative transport arrangements to ensure your child can get home safely.

Pupils do not need to wear Academy uniform but **must** dress in smart business wear, as they would for an interview (please note no jeans, tracksuits or trainers are permitted). Pupils will be provided with a free lunch on the day so will not be allowed to leave the site during lunchtime.

The following activities have been planned for the day:

- Progress interviews with senior members of staff
- Careers advice; each tutor group will have a 30 minute drop-in slot allocated
- ICT Activity; using ICT to support revision
- Time Management Activity; create a revision timetable and flash cards to aid subject specific revision
- Exam Success workshops; 'Laugh in the face of exams' and 'Mind, set and match' delivered by 'Tree of Knowledge'

I am confident that the day will prove to be very helpful for examination preparation and in supporting our pupils to make informed decisions about their post-16 options; as well as being enjoyable. If you have any queries regarding the day, please do not hesitate to contact me via the Main Academy Office.

Yours faithfully

V Lascelles
Head of Learning Year 11

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