

## **Atlantic** Academy Portland

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Dear Parents/Carers

## Year 11 Raising Achievement Evening - Tuesday 20th September 2022: 5:30-7.00pm

I am writing to let you know that our Year 11 Raising Achievement Information Evening is on Tuesday 20th of September at 5:30pm. This is an important evening in the Year 11 calendar as it is an opportunity for you to hear about the plans that are in place to support your child's progress in the final year of their GCSE and Vocational subjects.

We expect all parents/carers to attend the evening as it will provide you with a clear understanding of how your child will be supported throughout Year 11. Research shows that parents/carers engagement is key in being able to assist their child's progress and achieve excellent academic results.

## The evening will involve

- A personalised 10 minute meeting with a member of the extended leadership (ESLT) or support team either before or after the Raising Achievement Presentation; to discuss the best possible support package for your child as they move through Year 11.
- Demonstrations by students of the online resources that are available to support revision at home
- Presentation:
  - > The Year 11 GCSE and Vocational programmes, and how your child's progress will be assessed, and supported, throughout the year
  - > Mocks
  - > Wellbeing
  - > SEND provision and Exam Support
  - > The importance of homework and the use of knowledge organisers
  - > The value of good routines at home and at school
  - > The impact that practising exam questions and revision can make
  - > The Raising Achievement sessions in Year 11
  - > Attendance
  - > Prom Points and the Prom
  - Careers and next steps

Please confirm that you are attending this evening and your preferred meeting slot, so we can allocate a time, by clicking on the following link and completing this google form:

Yours sincerely

Mrs Lown Head of Year 11













