FOXFORD
Community School

12 September 2025

Dear Parent / Carer

Welcome to Year 11

We are committed to supporting every student to achieve their full potential, both academically and personally, and we look forward to working in partnership with you throughout this important chapter. Here's to a successful and rewarding year ahead!

As we move through the school year, there are mock exams, as well as coursework deadlines. Please, as ever, support your child in this, as it may be a challenging time for them. Foxford School has recently achieved record breaking GCSE results, and we have every faith that the current year 11 will perform just as well.

The Team that will be supporting Year 11:



Mrs FitzGerald
Year 11 Leader



Mr Kemp
Associate Assistant Headteacher
Year 11



Mrs Green
Senior Assistant Headteacher



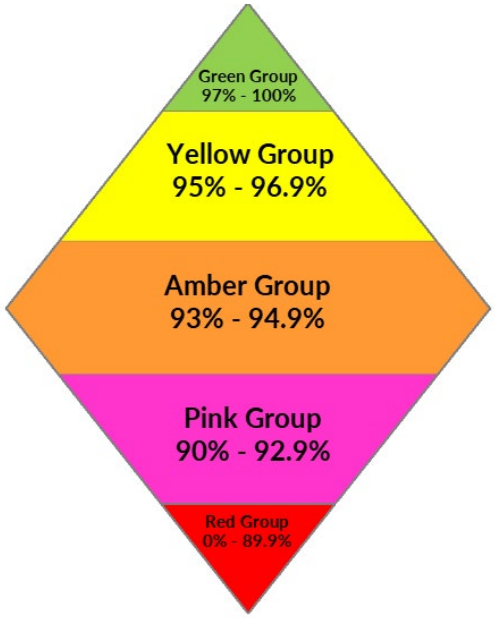
Mr Czepukojc
Deputy Headteacher

Tutor group	Name of tutor	Tutor group	Name of tutor
11ERE	Miss Rees	11WJO	Mr Johnson
11GKO	Miss Konstantinidou	11JKR	Mr Kragulj
11AHO	Miss Holmes	11DCO	Mrs Coke
11JKH	Miss Khan	11AMY	Miss Myers

Attendance

At Foxford School we seek to ensure that all students receive a full education which maximises opportunities for each student to realise their true potential. In order to do this, all students need to be in school, on time, every day. We strive to provide a welcoming, caring environment, whereby each member of the school community feels wanted and secure. To this end, school staff work with and support students and their families to ensure that any potential barriers to excellent attendance are dealt with quickly and effectively. We work hard to maintain an effective system of incentives and rewards, acknowledging the efforts of students to improve their attendance and timekeeping.

Green	No additional risk
Yellow	Risk of under achieving
Amber	Serious risk of underachieving
Pink	Serious risk of underachieving
Red	Extreme risk - Court action



Uniform

It is very important to us that all students are wearing the correct uniform everyday. Please find the uniform requirement below. Please do contact the Year Team if there are any difficulties in purchasing the uniform.



- Black blazer with school badge (COMPULSORY)
- Black school trousers / skirt - at least knee length Black (COMPULSARY)
- White shirt (COMPULSORY)
- School tie (COMPULSORY)
- Plain black shoes / trainers (COMPULSORY) No boots or heels are permitted
- Black v neck jumper (OPTIONAL)
- No hats are to be worn on site, however, Sikh students may wish to wear a black turban or head covering. Muslim girls may wear a black hijab and boys may wear a cufi
- Only minimal make up and jewellery plus a watch may be worn. Piercings should only be 1 small stud or sleeper in each ear lobe, no other piercings are permitted. Acrylic nails and nail polish must NOT be worn. Sikh bangles may be worn but no others. The school accepts no responsibility for damage or theft to jewellery, which students may wear
- **PE KIT:** The Foxford School kit must be worn along with pumps or trainers and white socks. (It is advised that students wear different trainers for PE, than those worn for school)

PSHCE

For Year 11 students, tutor time will be a bit different. Tutor groups are based on attainment in Maths and English. Intervention is carried out during tutor time. Students will still have assemblies and PSHCE once a week, but the rest of their sessions will be based around improving their chances of exam success in English and maths.

Rewards
Year 11 students will soon be informed of the rewards that they can work towards. These will involve prom-related rewards. An invitation to the prom is dependant on good behaviour and attendance.

After School Intervention
Starting the week beginning 8 September, there will be weekly intervention sessions for Maths (Monday), Science Wednesday and English (Thursday). These are incredibly useful for students working towards their exams and attendance to these sessions is strongly advised.

Learning Plans
Learning Plans are designed so that students and parents/careers can understand the learning intention for each unit of work. These plans give you a summary of the key skills, knowledge and subject specific vocabulary which will be learnt in each topic. You can view all Foxford's learning plans on our website https://www.foxfordschool.co.uk/curriculum-introduction/learning-plans/

Key dates – Autumn Term 2025

Thursday 18 September	Year 11 Welcome Evening 5-6pm
w/c Monday 22 September	Student Leadership Election Week
Thursday 9 October	Awards Evening
w/c Monday 13 October	Year 11 Mock Week (1)
w/c Monday 20 October	Year 11 Mock Week (2)
Friday 24 October	Training Day
Monday 27 to Friday 31 October	Half Term
Monday 17 November	Year 11 Mock Results
Thursday 4 December	Year 11 Parents' Evening and Sixth Form Open Evening
Friday 5 December	Training Day
Monday 15 December	Sixth Form Taster Day
Friday 19 December	Christmas Jumper Day
Monday 22 December to Friday 2 January	Christmas Holidays

Year 11 Prom Reward Event
Our Year 11 Prom evening is a special reward that Foxford students really enjoy. It is held to celebrate the end of GCSEs, and while every student has the opportunity to attend, this will be carefully reviewed.

To be eligible, students must maintain more than 95% attendance, show consistently positive behaviour and attitudes to learning, and demonstrate good punctuality to all lessons. They are also expected to uphold the school's RESPECT values at all times. We would love to see as many students as possible attending our prom, so please keep reminding them that if they wish to attend, they need to uphold high standards from day one.

Final decisions regarding prom invitations will rest with the Mrs FitzGerald, Mr Kemp and the Headteacher, whose approval is required to ensure that this celebration reflects the achievements and conduct of those attending.

We wish your child every success in the academic year ahead. If you have any queries or concerns, please contact foxfordyear10enquiries@castlephoenixtrust.org.uk in the first instance.

Yours faithfully

FitzGerald

J Kemp

Mrs Fitzgerald
Year 11 Leader

Mr Kemp
Associate Assistant Headteacher