



14 November 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

I start with huge gratitude and appreciation for all students who took part in Remembrance services across the area on Sunday and for the respect shown on Tuesday during our 2-minute silence at 11 o'clock. Students showed exemplary understanding and compassion for the event and its meaning.

ATTENDANCE: Thank you to all for your support ensuring students continue to maintain strong attendance through this autumn term. As mornings and evenings are darker, and the weather is colder it takes a little more resilience for all of us, but consistent attendance and a commitment to study is vital at this time of year. The hours of learning in the autumn term make a significant difference to the final outcomes for all year groups, particularly exam year groups.

As a recent visitor noted, College is a happy environment where support can be found if needed - it is the consistency of attendance and engagement now that is important. Encouragement and rewards will follow soon for those strong and improving in this area.

SCHOOL UNIFORM: Thank you to all who have completed the short survey on changes to branded items of uniform. We are also talking to students and staff and will be reviewing responses received so far early next week. If you have not done so please do add your thoughts here: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfQDp8LR5Vnyv7OSkfVgos9FGiix-jPP9Pn8hJKRqOjXdT67Q/viewform?usp=dialog>

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to email office@heathfieldcc.co.uk.

DIGITAL HEALTH: we all know it is important to protect young people on line and ensure their use of technology is positive and healthy. A reminder of some helpful strategies:

- Monitoring social media using block and mute: https://www.heathfieldcc.co.uk/?page_id=2377545
- Filtering internet use using parental controls: <https://www.heathfieldcc.co.uk/wp/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Parental-Controls-booklet-2022.pdf>.
- Checking and limiting screen time: <https://support.apple.com/en-gb/108806>.

Thank you for your continued support

Yours sincerely

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DIARY DATES:

w/c 17 November	Year 10 Mock Exams continue	
Tuesday 18 November	Year 11 receive Mock Exam Results	Please see letter: Year-11-Mock-Exam-Results-and-Subject-Feedback-Evening-Arbor-Booking.pdf
Thursday 20 November	Year 11 Subject Feedback Evening	
Friday 28 November and Monday 1 December	INSET Days	
Thursday 4 December	Year 11 Experience of Higher Education Day	Please see letter: Year-11-Experience-of-Higher-Education-Day.pdf