



HIGHFIELDS SCHOOL

Headteacher: G Tate BA (Hons)

BOUNDARY WAY, PENN, WOLVERHAMPTON, WV4 4NT

Telephone: 01902 556530 Fax: 01902 556531 E-mail: enquiries@hswv.co.uk Website: www.hswv.co.uk

3 May 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

As we start the Summer term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support so far this year. Year 10 is flying by and your child will soon be making the transition from Middle School to Upper School as Year 11 complete their final GCSE examinations. With this brings the privilege and responsibility of being a role model for our younger students, one which I am sure they will embrace.

Year 10 have risen to the challenge of a rigorous and demanding curriculum and are making strides towards success in Year 11. They have worked hard and deserve to be commended. Although this is the last term of the school year, there are still challenges ahead which will require your child's full effort and commitment to their studies.

As you are aware, they will be sitting their formal external GCSE Citizenship examinations on Friday 15th June and Monday 18th June. Also, in the week beginning 25th June, Year 10 will begin their school examination fortnight where they will be assessed on their progress across all subjects. These are not formal external examinations, however, during this time your child need only be in school when they have an examination unless you would rather they revise in school.

Your support at home would be greatly appreciated as this is a time of stress and pressure for your child. Revision will be an important part of making them feel prepared and confident about their examinations, and lessons, homework and form time will be used in school to support and prepare your child.

Could I also remind you that your child will be completing a week of Work Experience in the week beginning 3rd September and it is imperative that they have a place organised and confirmed by May half term.

Once again, thank you for your support and please do not hesitate to contact the Year Team if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

R Oseland
Head of Year 10 – Assistant Headteacher