

11th May 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 11 Final Day – Friday 28th May

I hope this letter finds you well and that your child is coping well with their final few weeks of GCSE study. We continue to be so impressed with the resilience shown by this cohort. As you know, Year 11s final day in school is Friday 28th May. I am writing to outline the arrangements that we have made for this day. Students will also be briefed on these arrangements in their tutor groups.

On Friday 28th May Year 11 students should arrive in school for the usual start time of 8:30am in full school uniform. They should attend an registration with their tutor and their normal period 1 lesson. They will have their usual morning break from 9:30-9:50am and a usual catering service will be available to them. After break, they will have a Leavers' Worship Service and a special Leavers' Assembly. These will be held under covid guidelines with due regard to the safety of everyone in our community. After these events, at around midday, Year 11 students will be able to gather on a designated area of the field for a picnic lunch. The school will provide hot food and a dessert for students free of charge. They may also bring their own refreshments if they wish but should take care to avoid bringing in any product containing nuts. Leavers' yearbooks and hoodies will be available for collection during their lunchtime and they will then be dismissed between 1:00 and 1:30pm. We do have a contingency plan in the event of poor weather. Staff will be on hand through the day to support Year 11 through their final day.

If students wish to have other students sign a shirt as a leaving memento they must bring in a spare shirt on Friday 28th May. They can ask their friends to sign this spare shirt at designated times during the day, but they will not be allowed to ask friends to sign a shirt which they are wearing. Please ensure that they bring a spare shirt to avoid any disappointment if they do wish to have a signed shirt to mark the occasion of their leaving King's.

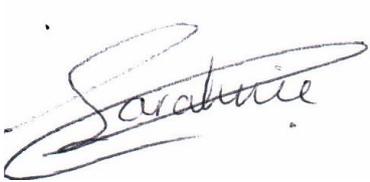
We strongly recommend that you speak to your child about where they will be going on leaving school on the 28th May. In previous years secondary students across the city have encountered issues when large groups of students have gathered to mark the end of their time in their

secondary schools. We would not want any of our students to have their final day sullied in any way.

I will be writing again later this month with details of bridging work for our Year 11 students for June and information about results' day in August.

We look forward to giving your child a memorable last day at King's.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah Price', written in a cursive style. The signature is enclosed within a faint, light-colored rectangular border.

Mrs S Price
Headteacher