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Dear Parent/Guardian

I write to you outlining the arrangements for next week, week commencing November 28th. As you are already aware, we will be holding mock exams for Yr. 13 pupils. No lessons will be held in the subjects where there are exams next week and we will allow those pupils to attend school in order to sit their exams and to go home after their exam if they wish. The arrangements for next week only, will not affect their EMA payment.

However, no exams will be held in the practical and vocational subjects. Therefore, lessons will continue as normal in the following subjects: Health & Social Care, Business, Public Services, Art & Design, Music, Photography, Engineering and Agriculture. We expect pupils to attend these lessons next week - apart from those pupils of course, who might have an exam in one of their other subjects, at the same time as a timetabled practical/vocational subject.

Additionally, extra Welsh Bacallaureate lessons have been timetabled for next week. I would like to emphasise the importance of this qualification to your child, indeed we take great pride in the excellent results achieved in the Welsh Bacallaureate this summer. These extra lessons will take place on Wednesday afternoon, November 30th and Thursday afternoon, December 1st. I kindly ask you to ensure that your child attends the Welsh Bacallaureate lessons on both these dates please.

I hope that the arrangements outlined above are clear to you but please don't hesitate in contacting me with any further enquiries regarding next week.

I wish your son/daughter every success in their mock exams.

Yours sincerely,

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