## Haydock High School



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Dear year 11 Parent/ Carer,

As we come to the end of our first term in year 11, may I take this opportunity to convey how much we have been impressed with the conscientious and mature manner in which the pupils have conducted themselves this term. We are particularly pleased at how well they have tackled their mock examinations through which they showed both focus and resilience. Results from these examinations will be released at the Parents' evening on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January. It is vital that all parents attend this evening.

During the final weeks of this term, the pupils will focus on their non-core subjects and will have a change of timetable from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> December to complete options work. This will mean that they have less course work to do when they return after Christmas. Pupils are welcome to stay until 5pm each evening to complete this work to further support them with their workload and deadlines during this period.

Please note it is also Christmas jumper day on 14<sup>th</sup> December and mock interviews will take place on 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> December. Pupils will finish for Christmas at 12.30pm on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December. We will return to school on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January after the Christmas break.

Finally, I hope that all students and their families have a very peaceful and restful Christmas and return ready for the challenge ahead in 2019.

Best wishes for Christmas and the new year.

P. Abram

Mr P Abram Head of School

Mrs J Wright Deputy Headteacher – Head of Upper School