

Dear Parents and Carers of Year 11,

**Subject:** Key Information

**Children's Mental Health Week:**

Please find attached a newsletter from Brilliant Parents provided by Hillingdon Council. It includes lots of key information regarding services and advice to help support your child.

**Place2Be:**

Please also find attached a letter regarding Place2Be and Place2Talk services, which is operated using **opt out** parental consent. If parents / carers prefer that their child does not use this service, they should email the school office. You can access this letter [[here](#)].

**Safeguarding Snapshot:**

Here is the link for this week's [safeguarding snapshot](#).

**Equality Week**

VLT Equality Week will take place the week beginning Monday 19th February 2024. The Vyners community will be taking part in a range of activities over the week that focus on equality and diversity. Students will engage with a number of activities to celebrate what makes us different. For more details please refer back to the Headteachers Update - 02.02.24.

**Dropping Off Items to School:**

Please find a reminder about the new changes [[here](#)].

**Apprenticeship Assembly:**

Our whole school assembly this week focuses on Apprenticeships. I have attached the PDF to this email for your perusal. It includes valuable links and information if this is something that your child is considering.

**Prom Confirmed Date:**

Year 11 Prom has been confirmed to take place on **Thursday 20th June** at Pinewood Hotel in Slough. More information will follow nearer the time.

**Yearbooks and Hoodies:**

Students have been asked to complete their yearbook entries for Friday 9th February. We have decided to give them the half-term break in addition, to ensure that they upload all their submissions and photos. Yearbooks and hoodies can be ordered through the students' individual accounts, or by using the guest link here: <https://bit.ly/47oG9kl>.

Finally, I look forward to spending the half-term break with those that have opted to come on the 2024 Vyners Ski Trip. To those not joining us, I hope you have a lovely half-term and a well deserved break.

Best wishes,  
Ms Hockley

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**Ms I Hockley**

Year 11 Leader / Teacher of English