



COLNE VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

17 September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

My name is Oliver Winterbottom, and I am the new Deputy Principal leading on Quality of Education at Colne Valley High School. I am writing to inform you that on **Wednesday 24th September**, from 6:00pm to 7:00pm, we will be hosting a **Year 11 Induction Evening**.

The purpose of this evening is to share key information with families at the start this crucial year for your child.

During this evening, we will:

- Outline the structure of key subjects such as English, Maths and Science, and share resources and information about revision guides.
- Share this year's assessment calendar, giving you advance notice of when mock exams will take place and when the GCSE exam series begins.
- Present this year's intervention programme and explain how we are supporting students who may be at risk of not reaching their full potential.
- Share the revision techniques that students have been given in form time and provide guidance on how to best support your child with their independent study.
- Finally, we will share with you some of the in-class changes we have made to promote student engagement in lessons.

There will also be a number of staff, including Senior and Curriculum Leaders, at the evening in case you have any questions or concerns about your child's progress.

Thank you in advance for attending the evening with your child to receive the very important information about year 11. Your support makes a real difference to their success, and we look forward to welcoming you.

Kind Regards,

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