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Principal: Mr I Patel

Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: Year 11 lockdown leavers celebrations 2021

Your child and their peers have not had a conventional year 11 experience. It has been an exceptional year and our year 11 students have shown resilience to all the changes that have taken place. We are incredibly proud of them all. Due to Covid restrictions, we cannot say goodbye to our year 11 students as we traditionally would. However, we are keen to mark this occasion for them and celebrate their time with us.

Students will be expected to return to school on Monday 7th June to complete tasks, check through their final evidence folders and complete their student declaration forms. If they do not complete the declarations forms for all their subjects, we cannot enter them for a GCSE grade.

During this week we have arranged a few celebration events where we will celebrate your child's time with us at Orchard Mead Academy. Monday through to Thursday will be normal school timings 8.40am – 2.30pm.

Thursday 10th June – Leavers Assembly.

Leavers assembly to celebrate achievements and have glimpses of their journeys here at Orchard Mead Academy.

Friday 11th June 2 from 12.00pm-2.30pm– Celebration afternoon

Students will need to arrive to school at 12.00pm through the sports hall gates.

Students are being asked to wear smart wear and dress to impress. We have organised a celebrations afternoon which will include music, photos, food and drinks. Students will have the opportunity to say farewell to their peers and teachers.

If you have any questions regarding these celebration events, please do not hesitate to get in contact with the school. We are really looking forward to celebrating their exceptional journeys with them all.

Yours faithfully,

Ms Bailey
Head of year 11



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