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16th October 2026

Dear Parent / Carer,

As we reach the end of our first half-term, I would like to thank you for your continued support. We have had a very positive start to the school year and greatly value the partnership we have with our parents and families.

Normally, at this time of year, we report on pupils' Attitude to Learning, along with assessment data for pupils at Key Stage 4 and Key Stage 5. However, due to the current action short of strike, schools will report to parents on two occasions only during this academic year, see table below.

Please be reassured that pupils have completed assessments in their subjects, and teachers continue to use this information to monitor progress and support learning. This assessment information will not be formally reported to parents at this point due to the circumstances.

Assessment, Reporting & Parents' Meetings 2026/27

Year Group	Assessment Cycle 1	Assessment Cycle 2	Parents' Meeting
8	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 26	Summative Report: June 2027	Parents' Meeting Friday 23 rd October 1-3pm
9	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 26	Summative written report June 2027	Parents' Meeting March – Date TBC
10	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 26	Summative written report June 2027	Parents' & GCSE Options Meeting – Tuesday 12 th January 1 – 3pm
11	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 2026 Summative written report – Jan 27	Grade & Attitude to Learning March 2027	Parents' Meeting March – Date TBC
12	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 2026 Summative written report – Jan 27	Grade & Attitude to Learning March 2027	Completed in Sept 2026
13 / 14	Grade & Attitude to Learning Report: December 2026 Summative written report – Jan 27	Grade & Attitude to Learning March 2027	Parents' Meeting Monday 2 nd November 2026 3.30 – 5.30pm



Principal: Mrs R Mullan BA (Hons) PQHNI
Vice Principals: Mrs L Loughery MEd BSc (Hons) PQHNI Mr S Young BA (Hons) PGDip



INVESTORS IN PUPILS

Half-Term Arrangements:

A reminder that on Friday 23 October 2026:

- Years 9–14: buses have been booked for 12.10pm.
- Year 8: Will have lunch at 12.10pm followed by their Parents' Meeting from 1 - 3pm.

I will be in touch with you week beginning the 2nd November to provide you with details of our Christmas Assessment Week which will run from Monday 30th - Friday 4th December for all year groups.

Thank you again for your continued support throughout this first half-term. We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Monday 2nd November. I hope all our pupils and families have a safe, restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rita Mullan'.

Mrs R Mullan
Principal
Lisneal College