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Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Mathematics Question Level Analysis Sheet (QLA)

On Thursday 12 December, all Year 11 students received their November PPE results. As a mathematics department, we are really pleased with the results and will now be working with the students to ensure they maximise the progress that they are making, as we head into the final and crucial months of Year 11.

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On Friday 13 December, all Year 11 students will be handed three question level analysis (QLA) sheets for each of the papers they undertook. Each QLA will include a list of all the topics and the marks they achieved for each question. This document is significantly important, as it shows the areas of strengths and development for each student, which is colour coded red, amber and green.

The QLA sheet also guides students to the Sparx Maths code for each topic. To supplement their homework, which is set each week on a Wednesday, Year 11 students should be undertaking at least 30 minutes of independent practice in mathematics each week. The students should be referring to their areas for development, and completing the relevant Introduce, Strengthen and Deepen sections on Sparx Maths. Your support with encouraging your child to complete this would be greatly appreciated.

The combination of in-class work, homework on Sparx, and independent practice will ensure that all students are thoroughly prepared for their GCSE exams.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support in your child's mathematics progress at home and we look forward to celebrating some fantastic results this summer. Please feel free to contact myself or your child's teacher should you require any further information.

Your sincerely

Mr Riddle

Faculty Director for Mathematics.