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## WELCOME TO YEAR 11

## YEAR 11 STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY 29TH JANUARY 2021



e would like to take the opportunity to inform you about the 2021 academic year.

- Years 7, 11 and 12 start on Friday 29th January
- Years 8, 9 and 10 start on Monday 1st February

In 2021 the behaviour code continues to emphasise the SHARE and LEARN principles,



In class on time on task in correct uniform doing the very best I can



As senior students you will be representatives of the school and role models for younger students. It is imperative that you follow the schools SHARE policy to the best of your ability, not just in the classroom but outside it as well. This includes having impeccable uniform standards. The preliminary HSC course takes three terms and continuous assessment forms the basis of the preliminary results. Grades 'A to E' will be awarded for preliminary courses & submitted to the Board of Studies for the preliminary RoSA (Record of Student Achievement). All students must meet necessary requirements in all subjects if they hope to continue onto Year 12.

In my teaching experience, I have found many students find Year 11 just as, if not more stressful than their HSC year. This is because they must juggle numerous assessments due at the same time and greater home study including exam preparation and homework. A diary is a good organisational tool for keeping on top of your responsibilities, and to assist you in establishing good senior study habits. The school will supply all students with a diary. Most Year 11 students will prefer to work out of A4 folders with A4 size lecture pads for each subject.

Remember ladies, don't wait till Year 12 to put your best foot forward in order to achieve a great HSC result. Success will come through discipline, perseverance and aiming for your personal best. BGHS has great teachers and the support network you will need on your journey over the next two years but only you can earn yourself those marks needed to continue down the road you have chosen for yourself after the HSC.





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