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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 half term review

I am writing to update you on Year 9's half-term and remind you of the exciting opportunities that lay ahead.

Year 9 have been preparing for their next Options choices. Teachers showcased their subjects and presented to Year 9. The half-term culminated in Options evening where students and parents had the opportunity to ask questions before making their final important choices. This coincided with core subjects parents' evening where teachers of Maths, English, Science and RE fed back to parents in regard to students' progress.

As I am sure that you are aware, a group of Year 9 students were fortunate enough to visit New Delhi in India. On their return, students have been presenting and sharing their experiences to staff, students and parents.

The excitement continued with the JET project participants having both an in-school visit as well as visiting Portsmouth International Port. Alongside this, the Performing Arts and Sports Ambassadors, who are well represented by Year 9, were out in force putting their leadership skills to good use.

Year 9 are now look forward to participating in the Personal Development day on Friday, 4 April, including the Race at Our Place.

Below are key dates for Year 9 in the next half-term:

- Tuesday 22 April - Havant Borough Council – Long Term planning meeting
- Wednesday 23 April - Jet Project in-school event
- Wednesday 23 April – COPS project Summit 2
- Monday 28 April – Introduction to Fishing course
- Thursday 22 May - Jet Project external event

I would like to thank you for your continued support. If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate in contacting me on j.crowley@pcs.hants.sch.uk or via ClassCharts.

Yours faithfully



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