



# MAIDEN ERLEGH

## SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian

### Year 12 – End of Term Letter

As the year draws to a close, we would like to share with you that it has been an absolute pleasure teaching and supporting Year 12 students this term. The resilience and determination that they have shown has been very impressive. We have also enjoyed working with so many of you. We greatly appreciate the support that you have given us, while we strive to help your child to fulfil their potential.

An impressive 77% of students have now received at least one piece of formal praise and 36% have received two or more. This is a testament to the hard work they continue to put into their studies. We have also been overwhelmed with the generosity that they have shown in their donations to the Reverse Advent Calendar campaign.

The student voice has been very active this half term, and together we have been successful in implementing a number of changes, both big and small. We look forward to working closely with the Tutor Ambassadors in the New Year, to better understand how we may support students and improve their Sixth Form experience further.

We would like to thank all the Year 12 students who have fully embraced Sixth Form life with their:

- excellent engagement in lessons
- desire to explore post Maiden Erlegh options, through the Start careers programme
- willingness to share their views
- team effort in implementing routines to help reduce the potential spread of COVID.

This year has been like no other and while some have enjoyed the opportunity to reflect and embrace changes others have faced incredible sadness and hardship. Some adults and students alike, may find Talking Therapies-Adult Support of use. Talking Therapies is a free NHS service which supports residents of Berkshire aged 17+ who may be struggling with difficulties including: low mood, anxiety and stress at this unprecedented time. If you are in need of support you can call the Talking Therapies admin team on 0300 365 2000, alternatively you can [Sign Up](#) via their website referral form. To find out more about Talking Therapies and the services they offer please visit their website:

<https://talkingtherapies.berkshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/our-therapies/>

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a safe and restful Christmas holiday.

Yours sincerely

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Co-Head of Year 12

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