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## Principal Letter (13)

**5th December 2025**

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been another positive and purposeful week at Bassingbourn Village College. We continue to focus on maintaining high standards in every classroom, and I am grateful for your ongoing support in ensuring students arrive each day ready to learn, in the correct uniform and with the right equipment. This week we were pleased to welcome visitors from across Anglian Learning to look at the progress we have made this term. This provided us with a valuable opportunity to discuss the progress we feel has been made across the school this year. Staff and students represented the college exceptionally well, and the feedback we received was encouraging.

Our Year 11 students have now completed their practice exams, and I would like to acknowledge their effort and conduct throughout the assessment period. A more detailed letter from Mr Brock will be shared with Year 11 parents/carers on Monday with next steps and key information.

This week we also had our first Year 7 Parents' Evening. This is always an important opportunity for families to hear about the start students have made at secondary school. Thank you to those who have been in touch about this opportunity and we are careful considering what improvements we can make to this moving forward.

We are also reviewing our medical and allergen records for students. To ensure we maintain the highest level of safety for both pupils and staff, we would be grateful if parents/carers could update the school with any changes to allergen information, including confirmation or removal of allergens that are no longer applicable. Accurate, up-to-date information is essential, and your support in this is very much appreciated.

Finally, a reminder that the PFA quiz is taking place this evening. I look forward to seeing many of you there for what promises to be a fun community event.

I hope you have an enjoyable and restful weekend.

Kind regards,

**Ian Stoneham**

Principal

**Key dates this term:**

- 11th and 12th December: Christmas show
- 19th December (1pm): Term ends
- 5th January: Spring Term starts for all
- 8th January: Year 11 exam information evening