



# St Robert of Newminster Catholic School and Sixth Form College

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

## Report Cards

Thank you for your patience as we have transitioned to our new management information system, Arbor. May I apologise, again, for the delay in sharing report cards with you. I'm sure you understand, that as we navigate a new system, there will be unforeseen challenges along the way. Unfortunately, on this occasion, it has resulted in a delay in the report card generation and being unable to send the report cards via the Arbor app.

Whilst in future, we hope to send the report cards to you via the app, on this occasion we are sending the report cards to you by post. The report card refers to some supportive sources of information to be accessed via a weblink. As you are receiving a paper copy of a report card on this occasion, I wanted to follow up with an e-letter so that you could access this information more easily. Advice we are including for Y11 students is:

*'To prepare thoroughly for all controlled assessments and examinations utilising skills and strategies taught in our Preparing for Success Programme. To support parents/carers, please access an overview of this information on our website via [this link](#). Please also find revision materials including knowledge organisers via [this link](#).'*

Students are being prepared by their teachers for the next assessment window, which is the practice examinations. The generic timetable for which can be found via [this link](#).

May I take this opportunity to thank all parents/guardians for your continued support, and indeed the students themselves, for their perseverance and resilience in striving for the best. I hope that, together, we can continue to enable our students to 'let their lights shine' in their preparation for adulthood.

Should you wish to contact the school, please do so via your child's Head of House, in the first instance:

<b>St Cuthbert, Durham</b> Mr Hurst and Mrs Williams	<b>St Godric, Finchale</b> Mrs Mansueto and Mr Hall	<b>St Aidan, Lindisfarne</b> Mrs Duncan and Mr Watson	<b>St Hilda, Whitby</b> Mr Thompson and Miss Cairns
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Yours faithfully,

**Mrs M Salmon**  
Senior Assistant Headteacher





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