

# The Gilbert School

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Dear Parents/Carers

## Re: Year 11 Celebration Assembly

As the GCSE exams approach, we are beginning to look forward to the events celebrating the end of the students' time at The Gilbert. We are now starting to plan the Leavers Assembly for our Year 11's – an opportunity for us to bid them farewell and celebrate their memories from the past five years. This year, the assembly will be taking place on **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June** in the Performing Arts Block and students will be able to gather in the North Hall from **10:50am** to sign shirts and say their goodbyes.

To ensure the assembly is fun and entertaining for the students, we would like to request contributions from you, their parents and carers. If you have any photos of your child from around the time they started in Year 7 that you would like to share with us, and are happy for them to be displayed during the Leavers Assembly, please send them to [Gilberdleavers@gilberd.com](mailto:Gilberdleavers@gilberd.com). If you'd like the photo to be a surprise, we will keep it confidential and not share with your child that you've submitted anything. We often find that this adds to the impact on the day!

We are looking forward to celebrating five years of hard work and the completion of the 2025 GCSE exam series with this wonderful group of young people who we've had the privilege of getting to know so well.

Yours faithfully

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