



6<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

It is with great sadness that I have to inform you about the death of one of our Year 11 students. Following a long illness Danielle Ward died during the Christmas break, sadly it had been some time since she was well enough to attend school.

The students closest to Danielle have been spoken to in school and offered support. We know students across our community will be deeply affected by this tragic news. Trained staff from the Critical Incident Team are helping to support us through this difficult time. If you feel that your child needs extra support, please let us know.

Our thoughts are with the family, and the whole school community sends them our most sincere sympathy and support.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Mr N. K. Willingham  
Headteacher