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Dear Mr and Mrs Frodsham.

I regret that I have to inform you of an incident involving Ryan in school today. He wrote on the back of a fellow student's leavers shirt "I fuck kids". This particular student has endured persistent bullying from other students in his year group and so the message was clearly designed to distress him. The timing of it also meant that the student was feeling upset just before a GCSE exam.

When spoken to about this Ryan showed no remorse and claimed it was merely a joke. In fact his attitude was somewhat arrogant. Unfortunately, this is not the first time that Ryan has been involved in activities which appear designed to hurt or upset others. His exclusion earlier in the year was a result of one such incident, an incident that he still appears to take no responsibility for.

In addition, earlier in the week he approached a student minutes before a GCSE exam to ask her a question which he knew would upset her. When questioned about this he feigned innocence and again could see nothing wrong in what he had done.

Ryan did appear to think he could act with impunity today as he was his last day and it is disappointing that he shows no reflection or remorse for his actions.

We were very close to making the decision that Ryan would not be allowed to attend the Year 11 prom. However, he has assured Mr. Armstrong that his behaviour will be beyond reproach. If there are any issues you will be required to come and collect him from the venue. If you would like to discuss this further please contact Mr Armstrong.

Yours sincerely,

Rebecca Curran



