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Dear Parent/Carer

As we approach the pivotal time of year for our pupils, we would like to take this opportunity to provide you with some guidance on how best to support your child in their GCSE revision. This can often be a stressful period for students, and your involvement can make a significant difference in their preparation and confidence.

Firstly, establishing a structured revision timetable can help your child manage their time effectively. Encourage them to dedicate specific blocks of time each week to each subject, incorporating regular breaks to enhance focus and retention. It is vital that these breaks are used for relaxation or light physical activity, allowing your child to recharge. Additionally, promoting wellbeing is crucial; remind your child to remain hydrated, eat nutritious meals, and get adequate sleep to maintain their energy levels and concentration.

We also recommend that your child complete past exam papers under timed conditions. This practice will not only reinforce their learning but also familiarise them with the exam format and help them develop effective time management skills. Encourage them to review their answers afterwards to identify areas for improvement. Pupils will be issued with subject specific revision resources and past exam papers to support their Easter revision schedule.

Moreover, we recommend utilising a variety of resources to aid in the revision process. Several websites offer high-quality educational materials and practice exercises that can greatly benefit your child's study routine:

- [Seneca Learning](https://www.senecalearning.com) (https://www.senecalearning.com)
- [BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize) (https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)
- [Quizlet](https://quizlet.com) (https://quizlet.com)
- [Kayscience](https://www.kayscience.com) (https://www.kayscience.com)
- [MathsWatch](https://www.mathswatch.co.uk) (https://www.mathswatch.co.uk)
- [Hannah Kettle Maths](#)
- [onmaths | Mock Exams](#)
- [Maths Genie • Learn GCSE Maths for Free](#)
- [Mr Morley Maths - Student Zone](#)
- [Edexcel GCSE Maths Revision | Past Papers | Tests | Worksheets](#)
- [Cognito](https://cognitoedu.org/home) (https://cognitoedu.org/home)
- [Educake](https://www.educake.co.uk) (https://www.educake.co.uk)

These platforms offer interactive and engaging content that can make revision more enjoyable and effective.

We are pleased to offer a series of Easter Exam Booster Sessions to support Year 11 Students in achieving their best possible results. These sessions are designed to reinforce key topics, develop exam techniques and boost confidence ahead of the summer exams. The session will run for 2 hours from 10am to 12pm each day.



Monday 14 th April	Tuesday 15 th April	Wednesday 16 th April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Boylan - IT • E Morris - Art • B Bradley - Maths • M Plant - Computer Science • J Miller - English 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T Oram - IT • S Thomson - Geography • H Tanner - History • C Austin - History 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C Halse - Science • S Marrison - Geography

We strongly encourage all students to take advantage of these valuable revision opportunities. The sessions will be delivered by their teachers and tailored to address common challenges students face in their exams.

Encourage your child to seek help when needed. Should they require further support or resources, please do not hesitate to contact the school. Our staff are more than willing to provide additional guidance and ensure that each student has access to the tools they need for success.

Together, we can support our pupils in achieving their academic goals. Thank you for your continued involvement in your child's education.

Yours sincerely



J Till
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