

20th March 2017

For the attention of Year 10 Parents or Carers

Dear Parent or Carer

Year 10 – GCSE English Literature Exams – May 2017

The GCSE English Literature examinations are fast approaching for all our Year 10 students. We would like them to be focusing their homework and revision on this subject. Therefore, from today until their examinations in May, homework will be predominantly English Literature revision. They will also receive a small amount of Maths and Science each week but no homework for other subjects.

In order to support you child over the next few months, please ensure they have somewhere they can revise for these key exams. All students have been given a revision timetable for English from their teacher. I have listed the key dates for Year 10 students regarding their English Literature exams as well as the other real exams happening this summer. Attendance is vital at this time and students need to aim for 100% to give themselves the best chance of success.

- Thursday 4th May – Year 10 English Literature booster day
- Wednesday 10th May – Year 10 English Literature booster day
- Thursday 18th May – Year 10 English Literature booster day
- Monday 22nd May – **English Literature Exam Paper 1**
- Thursday 25th May – Year 10 English Literature booster morning
- Friday 26th May – **English Literature Exam Paper 1**

Other examinations

- Monday 15th May – **Music and Travel BTEC exams** (Boosters on Friday 12th)
- Wednesday 17th May – **Construction Exam** (Boosters on Tuesday 16th)
- Wednesday 7th June – **Imedia** Exam (Boosters on Tuesday 6th)
- Thursday 13th and Friday 14th July – **Drama Exam**

We are all very pleased with the way our Year 10 pupils have conducted themselves this year. They have worked very hard and we are very confident they can be very successful in

these examinations, which will help ease some of the pressure next year as they prepare for their remaining GCSE's. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents and carers of Year 10 for their support, encouragement and patience. Only by working together do we ensure our pupils can be the best they can be.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate in contacting me at the school.

Kind regards

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