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Dear Parent(s) / Carer(s),

Year 11 "Revision Skills" Evening - Thursday 28th November 6-7pm

As you will be aware, your child is in the process of beginning their mock examinations for English, Maths and Science this week. These examinations will reflect your child's current performance in these GCSE subjects and will assist in determining their progress towards their target grades. Whilst the regular monitoring reports are useful in identifying areas of strength and weakness, the mock examinations are a rigorous checkpoint in measuring students' progress in preparation for their GCSEs.

There will also be a further full series of mock examinations that will take place during the weeks commencing 3rd and 10th February 2025 that will be the final chance to test your child's knowledge before the actual GCSE examinations begin on 6th May 2025.

To assist students in their revision and preparation, we will be holding a revision skills evening on Thursday 28th November between 6-7pm. The evening is for students as well as parents/carers and we will be giving guidance on revision techniques, as well as information and advice on how you can best support your child in their revision. You will be able to speak to senior members of staff regarding any aspect of GCSE study; it is our intention to ensure that you and your child are well informed regarding how to prepare themselves for these exams.

The presentation will last approximately one hour (6-7pm) and will take place in the Main Hall. We will be providing complimentary refreshments: soft drinks and food (chips and either beans/peas/curry sauce) on the evening from 5.30pm. If you intend to join us on the evening, could you please confirm your attendance by completing the short form via this <u>link</u> by 9am on Tuesday 26th November.

I very much look forward to seeing you there.

Yours sincerely,

Miss J Scattergood

Headteacher







