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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you about the English intervention sessions being offered to Y10 students.

On Wednesday evenings, beginning on Wednesday 24th April and continuing for 5 weeks until May half term, Mrs Woodliffe, Miss Keith and Miss Phillips will be running intense, tailored sessions, covering English Language – Reading and Writing- skills.

The sessions will run for 45 minutes to 1 hour and your child should report to Room 14 at the end of the school day on Wednesday 24th April where they will be advised as to which group they will be in for this phase of intervention. Students have been assigned to a particular group based on teacher feedback and trial exam performance data.

The requirements of the exams are intense due to the varying nature of skills that the students need to have to access the demands of the papers. These sessions, during which we will revisit and revise the skills taught in lessons, will provide your child with an excellent opportunity to receive additional support before they begin their English study in Y11.

It is our belief that it will be hugely beneficial for your child to attend these sessions. Our tracking data has shown that students who regularly attend intervention are likely to achieve at least 1 grade higher in their final exams than those who choose not to attend.

These intervention sessions are obviously in addition to the 8/ 9 hours of excellent teaching your child receives, per fortnight, during their timetabled lessons.

Please could you discuss the above with your child, in the hope that we can secure the highest attainment possible for them in their GCSE English summer 2025 exams?

Please feel free to contact myself or their class teacher to discuss this further and thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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