

19<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

We are incredibly proud of how our Year 11 students have begun this academic year and would like to share some information with you regarding the additional support and intervention available for students to help them make progress with their revision and preparation for their upcoming GCSE Examinations.

**Tutor Time Sessions**

The Year 11 Tutor Team is conducting bespoke sessions twice a week during Personal Development. Students have been placed into groups based on their Year 10 Assessment Data and performance in lessons. In these sessions, they will be taught key exam skills for the subject, have opportunities to check their knowledge, and address any misconceptions. These groups will be reviewed regularly throughout the year after Assessment Series 1 and 2, and adjustments will be made as necessary. In Personal Development time next week students will also be creating a Revision Timetable. Please do ask your child to share this with you, and display it somewhere at home.

**Revision Corner**

The Revision Corner is now available to students in the library. This fantastic resource offers a vast array of past papers for each subject area, which students can take away and complete. We strongly encourage students to complete past papers as part of their revision. You can support this at home by helping students to find a quiet space, removing distracting devices, and setting a regular study schedule.

**Afterschool Intervention**

Afterschool intervention sessions will commence on Monday, 23rd September. All sessions will start immediately after school and last for an hour. Some subjects will invite students to attend, while others will offer drop-in services. Some sessions will be compulsory. We kindly ask for your support if your child is invited to attend these sessions. If a student has a clash, please ask them to speak to their Progress Leader who will advise them which intervention to attend.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Science	Modern Foreign Languages	Art	English
	Food Preparation	Maths	IBEC
	Design Technology	Performing Arts	Business
	Textiles		
	History		
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Science	Food Preparation	Art	English
	History	Geography	IBEC
	Textiles	Design Technology	Computer Science
		Performing Arts	

**Revision Guidance**

Please take the time to view the revision guidance on our website. You may find it beneficial to sit with your child one evening and look through the examples together. [How to revise effectively](#)

## **Wellbeing**

Exam preparation can become challenging for some of our students. Please use the resources available online to support your child with their wellbeing and mental health. Encourage them to speak to their Tutor or Progress Leader if they require additional support in school. [Wellbeing – The Arthur Terry School](#)

## **Information Evening**

Year 11 Information Evening is on the **3<sup>rd</sup> October from 5-6pm**. Please prioritise your attendance as key information will be shared on how you can support your child at home throughout the year.

We would advise you to speak to your child about communicating with their subject teachers, and Year 11 team if they have any questions, or are unsure how to access additional support.

Thank you for your steadfast support, it is greatly appreciated.

**Yours sincerely**

**Year 11 Team**