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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 10 Revision Guides

In preparation for your son's examinations – starting with his end of year tests in May, then his trial papers taking place in January 2020, and his public examinations next summer – we are pleased to be able to offer a range of revision guides to support his studies.

This year students are able to purchase guides at reduced prices for: Mathematics, English Language, English Literature, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Double science, DT, Food, Geography, History, PE, RE, Spanish, French, German and Computing.

Please take some time to talk to your son about his revision plans. The recommended subject guides are listed on Parent Pay, with the offer price alongside. The ISBN number listed is offered in case of confusion as to which guide the title is for, as sometimes revision guides do have very similar titles. Also, please be aware that students' examination entries are sometimes tiered (Higher or Foundation). For subjects where this is appropriate, both Higher and Foundation tier guides have been listed and students should ask their class teachers which is more appropriate for them to work from.

We are now able to take orders for these guides through the Parent Pay system and will do so until midnight, Tuesday, 23rd April 2019. The Easter break dates mean that there will be a very short turn-around after orders are placed for me to purchase the guides and distribute them to students. However, we envisage that they will continue to use them throughout the rest of this school year and into Year 11. If you need help accessing your Parent Pay account, please contact the School Finance Office. Please also note that if your son is in receipt of Pupil Premium funding, then an order for his subject guides will be made through the School; you do not need to make a personal order.

Finally, it may be possible to purchase further guides in Term 2 of Year 11, but please understand that the prices quoted on Parent Pay during April could change, depending on what offers the publishers make available to the School.

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