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For the attention of Year 10 Parents or Carers

Dear Parent or Carer

**Y10 – Mock Exams: Term 1**

Over the course of this year, your child will take part in a number of mock examinations in order to prepare them for the real GCSE examinations they will sit this academic year. The GCSE subjects that will be examined in the summer of Year 10 are; English Literature and GCSE Business. The mock examinations will help us support your child in achieving the highest grades possible.

The mock examinations this term are as follows:

- *Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November – GCSE English Literature*
- *Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November – GCSE Business*

There will be further mock examinations for English and Business in January and March.

Your child's results and attitude during these mock examinations are very important, as they will allow teachers to see where students need to improve for the summer. As such, please ensure your child is taking these seriously and support them in having time and space to revise ahead of these examinations. Our current Year 11 students sat their English Literature exams in Year 10 and we were very pleased with their results with many students exceeding their target grades. We believe with your and our support, our current Year 10 students can go on to achieve even better results. Many now need to be pushing themselves towards grades 7, 8 and 9 and not settling for 4, 5 or 6's.

**Summer Exams**

Please ensure your child is available and **not** on holiday up to and including **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** as there will be English speaking and listening exams right up until this point.

**Year 10 Parents' Evenings**

This year, we are having two Year 10 Parents' Evenings. The first will be on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October (in person) and the second will be on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February (online). We will need to meet all our pupils' parents this year.

Finally, if your child studies BTEC subjects, you will be written to separately with more details regarding the assessments and examinations taking place this year.

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

Kind regards

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Associate Assistant Headteacher