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Dear parent/carer

The Easter break is fast approaching, and so I am writing to inform you of our plans for intervention during the break, to support your child in their year 11 endeavours.

As always, we will be running intervention sessions over the Easter term holiday. Some are open to full classes, and others by invitation only. Whilst we appreciate that some students have set plans for the break, holiday revision sessions are an important part of year 11 and we find that there is strong link between successful GCSE results and those who embrace the additional sessions and support they are offered.

With GCSE exams beginning in just over 6 weeks, these sessions will also help in continuing to support your child's preparation for exams.

The timetable can be found below. Your child will be given an individual timetable of sessions, and you will receive a reminder through our app prior to each session.

	9.30-12	12.30-3	By invitation
Tuesday 2nd	English (ABY) Maths foundation RE	Maths grade 5-7 (DMS) Physics (BHY/ADS)	Art and 3D Design (9.30-12) Art (9.30-2.30) Drama (9.30-12) iMedia (10-1) Hospitality and catering (12-3) Travel and tourism (9.30-3) CMN
Wednesday 3rd	Geography paper 1 Maths (grade 7-9) Maths foundation grade 5 Maths foundation Health and social care	Geography paper 2 Biology (KLT/RHN)	Sports science (9.30-12) Sports science (12.20-3) 3D Design (9.30-2.30) Music (9.30-12)
Thursday 4th	Technology Health and social care History (Germany and Anglo saxons)	Business Spanish	GCSE PE (9.30-12) GCSE PE (12.30-3)
Friday 5th	History (Cold war)		GCSE PE (9.30-12) GCSE PE (12.30-3)

Drinks and snacks will be provided if your child attends an in-school session, however we are unable to provide lunch. In most cases, sessions have been designed to run either in the morning or afternoon, but we ask that your child brings lunch with them if they are due to attend an all-day session. There will not be the capacity to buy lunch in school.

Many students feel that they find it easier to revise in school, so we are also setting aside a space in school for students to revise independently from Tuesday to Friday during the first week, where they will be supervised by Miss Grice. Students are welcome to come in either before their session, or remain after a session to revise independently or with their peers.

Intervention sessions continue to run throughout the school week, with sessions running after school with selected students. There are a number of open revision sessions, including maths on a Monday, science on a Tuesday and revision club on a Wednesday.

We are also continuing to work in school on exam preparation, with a focus on maintaining wellbeing and managing stress during the exam season. Our website has a wealth of resources about how you can help to support your child, including establishing positive routines, limiting screen time and handling the pressures of external exams. These resources can be found <https://shuttleworthcollege.org/information/examinations/>

As always, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours sincerely



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