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Dear Parent/Carer,

For parents, GCSEs can be complex, confusing and daunting. With higher grade boundaries and higher expectations causing increased stress, it can be particularly difficult to motivate and engage teenagers at home.

With this in mind, we will be running a guidance event. This event will focus on the most effective ways to support students through their revision period and exams.

Sessions will give advice on motivating students and on effective revision techniques, with a focus on parental support. Masterclass sessions for English and Maths will also give practical subject specific guidance for parents.

We hope this evening will give you a greater confidence in supporting home study. Research has shown that that the correct support from home is a significant factor in students' final results and life chances.

The event will take place on **Wednesday 15th of January starting at 6pm**. This is an invite only event.

Kind regards,

**Mr D Thacker Smith**

Assistant Head, Progress Year 11

