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ALL YEAR 10 PARENTS/CARERS

Dear Parents/Carers

RE: Year 10 Revision Cards

We are so proud of the excellent start that Year 10 have made to their GCSE studies during this first half term of Key Stage 4. Most of them are really living up to the challenge and applying themselves fully to their education. I would like to thank you for your support in doing this.

As always, we require maximum attendance, with 95% being lowest attendance that on average, a student can expect to achieve their target grades. It is vitally important they are in and learning.

Further to this, your child has been informed of a revision system that we are implementing by where every week, they are to create one revision card per subject. They study 6 GCSE subjects - Maths, English, Science and their 3 option subjects. Please can you support us by purchasing these cards. Students will be asked at various times to bring them into school so staff can check on progress. These are the best ones to purchase- https://amzn.eu/d/5k6avpp as they are a pack of 6 so one per subject.

Revision cards are a great way to revise, where a student writes a key term on the front and then an explanation or points on the back. They can use them alone for revision or perhaps you could help them revise by questioning them on the term and checking the back to see if they are correct. By starting this process now and spending just a few minutes each week on them, they are building their knowledge base and really preparing themselves for success in Year 11.

Thank you so much for your support and cooperation, any issues, please let me know atrdownie@dormston.dudley.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Mrs Downie

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