

Friday, 22 July 2022

## Strong start to learning for students moving from Year 9 to Year 10

## Dear parents and carers

I am writing to inform you of our arrangements for the start of the next academic year for students moving from Year 9 into Year 10.

## 1. Summer Work

We are keen to ensure that students can consolidate their understanding and knowledge over the summer break should they wish to do so; therefore, summer work for some of the students' GCSE subjects is provided for students moving into Year 10 at the <u>link here</u>.

The English team are also encouraging students to read as widely as possible over the summer.

Students should take the opportunity to complete this work if they would like:

- to do more practice in their GCSE subjects ready for the year ahead
- to read a wider range of texts or to improve their vocabulary ready for the year ahead
- to use their maths gap analysis to address any gaps ready for the year ahead

where subjects wish to set September Ready work, teachers will have flagged this up with students before the end of term and work will be found at the link above

## 2. Expectations Evening

Our Expectations Evenings are an important moment at the start of the academic year to outline our expectations for effective learning so that parents understand the teaching, assessment and support for students that they can expect, and the key opportunities and challenges for students moving into Year 10 and embarking on Key Stage 4 qualifications.

The Expectations Evening for Year 10 will be at 6.00pm on Tuesday 13 September. We look forward to seeing you at this event, further details will be sent out at the start of next term.

Thank you for your continuing support and our best wishes for a pleasant summer break.

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