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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Revision

As your child is now approaching a crucial time in their education in the lead up to their GCSE exams, we believe it is important for all parents/carers to be aware of how they can best support their child with revision.

'From the Sidelines' is a useful website that provides free resources for parents in the form of short 'Study Hacks' videos, as well as longer podcasts and infographics. Please follow this link to access these: <https://www.fromthesidelines.uk/study-hacks>

All pupils have been provided with revision guides and materials purchased by the school and it is important that they are using these to complete independent revision for their summer examination series. It is proven that pupils who develop effective revision habits early have better GCSE outcomes and less exam stress.

Some good revision habits include:

- Revise in 30-45 minute focused chunks with short breaks in between
- Remove distractions – quiet place, no phone, no games console/computer
- Testing – the best revision requires pupils to use their memory to recall information
- Answer timed exam questions/past papers
- Focus on the weakest/most challenging topics first

Yours faithfully



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