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Dear Parent/Carer

English Literature Revision Packs

I wanted to make sure you are aware that your son/daughter has received a pack of revision materials on “An Inspector Calls,” “A Christmas Carol,” and “Romeo and Juliet.” The purpose of the materials is to aid pupils with their English Literature revision to ensure that pupils have a good understanding of the plotline, characters and themes of each of the texts.

Students must have an in depth knowledge of the texts as part of their component English Literature examinations which will take place on Wednesday 15th May and Thursday 23rd May 2019. Students will not have copies of the texts with them in the examinations.

In addition to this, after school English revision sessions, will continue to focus mainly on English Literature from Christmas onwards, and I strongly urge all year 11 students to attend. Enrichment will continue from Thursday 10th January, with a special “film night” extended session from 2.30-4.30pm, where students will be given the chance to watch the latest film version of “Romeo and Juliet.” This will aid with revision of both the plot and characters within the play, before work in core English Literature lessons will focus on exam style questions. Refreshments will be provided.

Further information on revision schedules for both English Language and English Literature, will be explained at the upcoming Revision Planning evening for year 11 students which will be held in the New Year. This will enable all students to feel highly confident for both the final English Language and English Literature exams.

Your support, as always, is greatly appreciated, and if you have any questions about either the GCSE English Language or English Literature course, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully

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