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Dear Parent or Carer,

RE: GCSE English Exam Booster Sessions

As you will be aware the English exams for all Year 11 students are on the following dates:

- Thursday 11 May: English Literature Paper 1
- Tuesday 19 May: English Literature Paper 2
- Thursday 21 May: English Language Paper 1
- Friday 5 June: English Language Paper 2

The English department is running Saturday revision booster sessions to support students with their GCSEs. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to receive additional expert guidance to support their independent revision over the exam period.

Saturday 16 May – English Literature Paper 2 and English Language Paper 1

The English department will be running a revision booster session on the morning of Saturday 16 May. The purpose of the booster is to revise key quotations and practise key exam skills in preparation for the English exams on Tuesday 19 and Thursday 21 May.

The session will run from 9 am to 11 am.

Saturday 30 May – English Language Paper 2

At the end of half term, we will be offering another revision booster session on the morning of Saturday 30 May. This has been planned to be delivered just before the final English paper (Language Paper 2) and will give us an opportunity to specifically target the reading and writing skills needed to perform well in this exam.

The session will run from 9.30 am to 11.30 am.

Please note, the canteen will not be open on either of these days, so your child should bring a drink and snack with them if they want to. Revision resources will be provided, but it would be helpful for the students to bring writing materials with them.

We strongly recommend that your child attends this session to give them the best opportunity to be fully prepared for their exams and to support them in achieving their potential in their English GCSEs. These boosters are open to all students, but booking is essential. Please use the link below to register your child for these sessions by



Wednesday 29 April: [GCSE English Revision Sessions, Saturday 16 May 9 - 11am, Saturday 30 May 9.30 - 11.30am – Fill in form.](#)

Where parental consent has been provided for your child to attend, the expectation is that they will remain for the full duration in order to gain maximum benefit. If there is a genuine reason why your child needs to leave early, please ensure they bring a written note to show the teacher. Please also be aware that, where consent has been given, an absence notification will be automatically generated and sent to you if your child does not attend the session. This message is for information purposes only, to keep you informed of their attendance.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "K. Compton".

Dr K Compton
Director of English