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Head of School

Mr M. Davies

Dear parents and carers,

We have been massively impressed with the maturity and commitment shown by all our year 11 students on their return to school this last half term as they maximise their time left at Rayner Stephens. This final year is the most crucial year for your child and their education, and we will continue to ensure that we are providing all the support necessary to guarantee their success in their GCSEs next summer.

All year 11 will sit a full suite of mock exams in December which will provide invaluable information to your child's teachers about their current progress and also give students the opportunity to experience the process of sitting a number of exams over a short space of time in preparation for their final exams. In order to support students and their parents/carers in their preparations for their mock exams we will be holding our **Year 11 Study Success Evening on Wednesday 9th November.**

During this event we will be providing vital information and study resources to support the final and most important year of your child's education with us at Rayner. The evening will be filled with examination information, revision tips and preparation information for you to be able to help your child maximise their potential. More details about this evening will follow after half term, but do please save the date for this event.

I am also writing today to inform you about the additional intervention programme that is being provided by all departments to every student.

Intervention Timetable

Monday	Maths	3pm – 4pm
Tuesday	Science	3pm – 4pm
Wednesday	English	3pm – 4pm
Thursday	No Session	
Friday	Geography/History	3pm – 4pm

We cannot stress enough the importance of these interventions. The support offered by our staff planning and preparing these after school sessions is testament to their dedication as we all strive to achieve the best results for your child. However, we appreciate that staying after school requires that extra incentive.

With this in mind, we will be offering an extra reward to all students that attend a minimum of 10 out of 12 sessions across a three-week period. This will be rewarded every third week, after the Friday session with varying treats throughout the year. As an additional reward, all students who attend 12 out of 12 of the after-school intervention sessions over a three week period, will be entered into a prize draw for a range of prizes including free prom ticket, free leavers hoodie, cinema vouchers, food vouchers, shopping vouchers etc. This programme of incentives will start from the first Monday back after half term. Please do encourage your child to attend these sessions with their teachers.

We thank you in anticipation of your support for these additional sessions, and look forward to welcoming you on November 9th to our Year 11 evening.

In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Your sincerely,

Mr Munro
Deputy Headteacher

