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Headteacher: Miss  
Nicki Gregg

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to provide you with an update on recent developments within our school's English Department. I am pleased to inform you that we have a new permanent staff member who will be joining us in January. This experienced English teacher will be a valuable addition to our team, contributing to the stability and consistency we aim to provide across the department.

To facilitate a fresh start, and following a comprehensive review of all information gathered this school year (including attitude, attendance, and progress), we feel some changes to the timetable will enable students to have the best opportunity for progress in their learning. There are therefore some changes to the teaching timetable for years 7, 8 and 9, and to the class groups of certain students in Year 7 and 8.

Please be aware that each year group follows its own curriculum: this means that irrespective of their group, students will cover the same topics, but with the appropriate level of challenge and support for their individual needs.

Students will be informed of these changes during the current week and they will receive their new timetables in January. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation during this transition; we are confident that these adjustments will contribute to an enhanced educational experience for our students.

If you have any questions or concerns about these changes, please do not hesitate to contact me directly. Your feedback is important to us and we want to ensure that everyone feels informed and supported during this time.

Thank you for your continued support; we look forward to a successful start to the new year.

Best regards,

Beth Fiddes  
Curriculum Leader of English