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Dear Parents / Carers

MyTutor tuition for selected year 10 and 11 students

To support <StudentName> with their GCSEs and reinforce their learning, we are delighted to offer them additional weekly tuition in <English/maths/science>, lasting 15 weeks. These sessions will be personalised to suit their needs and support them in preparing for exams.

Tutoring sessions will be delivered virtually by an external organisation via their online tuition platform: <https://www.mytutor.co.uk/>. Please visit their website to find out more. The experienced tutors have been carefully selected by MyTutor to ensure that they help with raising your child's grades and confidence. Tutoring sessions are organised in groups of three students, of similar needs, to one tutor. Tutoring sessions are recorded for the school to safeguard and monitor. We expect regular feedback between the tutor and <StudentName>'s teacher to ensure the sessions are as personalised as possible.

Tutoring sessions will be held at 2:45pm and last for 55 minutes, allowing plenty of time for students to utilise the late bus if they need to. Year 11 students are scheduled to attend every Monday starting from 17th January and Year 10 students every Wednesday from 19th January. This will continue until June.

Should your child be self-isolating, they will be able to access the sessions from home. However, it is our expectation that those in school will remain on-site and participate as a group in a computer room in either, M07/8/9i depending on the subject they are being taught. Each student will be provided with their own webcam and headset if required, although students are encouraged to use their own if they have one.

MyTutor have evidence that attendance can increase a child's attainment by a whole grade. Therefore, it is imperative that your child proactively attends tutoring sessions every week. If they miss a week unauthorised, you will be informed but due to the cost of this provision, if they miss a second session without authorisation, they will be withdrawn from the programme and offered to another student. There is no charge for parents, however for your information, the total tuition bill per child is nearly £300. Therefore, it is important this investment is not wasted. If your child agrees to take part they **must** complete the full programme or we may look to recuperate costs from you.

I hope that you can appreciate the benefits this additional support will bring to your child and ask that you complete the [MyTutor permission form](#) to inform us either that you are happy for your child to be on this programme or that you would like to withdraw them and the place be offered to another student. Please complete this form by **Friday 14 January**.

If you have any queries about this programme, please contact me via email sac@henrycort.org or by calling the college office.

Yours sincerely

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Transition Manager

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