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Dear Families

BTEC Music

Firstly, we would like to welcome back all students to our BTEC music course for their final year and just wanted to take the opportunity to discuss with you how the remainder of the year will look and what this means for your child.

We are pleased to announce we have a new music teacher, Miss Reid, who has joined us in the department as of September and who will alongside Mr Hornsby be guiding the year 11's through their component 2 (due for hand in at before Christmas break-5th December) and finally component 3 (due before Summer exam season).

In terms of coursework, we as teachers are very restricted by how much we are allowed to guide and scaffold as exam board set out their terms and conditions and the work must be 100% their own with minimal guidance from us. We hold various industry workshops throughout the year to aid their coursework alongside 1:1 tutorial in class time. This will also require home study.

As there is a lot to get through coursework wise, we appreciate every encouragement and support parents and carers can offer and year 11 are welcome in the department at break and lunchtime if they wish to attend extra coursework sessions and as the year progresses after school.

If you have any questions regarding the BTEC music course, please don't hesitate to speak with Mr Hornsby or Miss Reid regarding this.

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We will also distribute a copy of details for component 2/3 for home study purposes.

Thankyou kindly for your cooperation on this matter.

Yours faithfully

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