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Dear Parents

I am contacting you because your son / daughter has been selected to benefit from some extra Geography support over the coming weeks.

Alice Sutcliffe*, an ex-student, will be running some small online teaching groups for Year 9 Geographers on a Thursday at 3.30pm – 4.30pm. Since Alice is not a contracted staff member we would ask that you (or another responsible adult) is in the room during these remote lessons.

Although school and I know Alice very well, and she has a 'DBS' (to ensure no criminal record etc) issued in January 2020, she is not a member of our teaching staff. For this reason I'm asking that you confirm acceptance of this supportive measure via an email to myself (cbramwell@urmstongrammar.org.uk) and copy in Sarah Weems (sweems@urmstongrammar.org.uk) please.

Lessons will be delivered via the Teams app (or web page) just like timetabled school lessons have been since remote learning began. These will start on Thursday 4th March (and in all probability ending at the Easter holidays) and they are a hugely important method of ensuring a smooth return to classroom learning. Invites will be sent to your son/ daughter to join the Teams lesson, just as they would for their other timetabled lessons.

These invites will come from the email: 14ASUTCL@urmstongrammar.org.uk

Lessons will focus on any missed learning or misconceptions from prior learning, with the aim of ensuring all students are in as strong a position as possible as schools return to face to face teaching.

Yours sincerely

Ms C Bramwell (Head of Geography)

* Alice was one of our highest achieving A Level Geographers a few years ago and while studying for her A Levels she ran the Key Stage 3 extra-curricular Geography Club, she is now intending to train as a Geography teacher.



