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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to outline the support available this year to help your child achieve academic success in Religious Studies.

Attached to this letter is the schedule for our Monday lunchtime drop-in revision sessions. Each session focuses on a specific exam question, allowing students to target key areas of the course and build confidence with exam technique. Students can use these sessions in a variety of ways. They may wish to drop in during lunchtime, complete the question in timed conditions and receive immediate feedback; they may prefer to create a model answer independently and have it marked by their teacher; or they may choose to work with the teacher to co-construct an answer and develop their understanding of how to meet the assessment criteria.

We strongly advise all students who did not achieve their target grade in the summer mock examination to attend these sessions regularly. However, all Year 11 students are very welcome, and we encourage students to make use of this support as part of their wider revision routine.

Another key resource available to students is the Classroom 42 platform, which proved invaluable to our last cohort. Classroom 42 includes topic quizzes, cheat sheets and class clips. Most valuable of all is the Examinator function, which allows students to receive immediate diagnostic feedback on any exam questions they practise independently.

In addition, the Religious Studies section of the student SharePoint contains a wide range of valuable revision resources, including teacher-completed versions of student workbooks, topic summaries and sources of authority sheets. These resources are designed to help students consolidate knowledge, improve exam responses and revise independently.

On the following pages, you will find the revision timetable, along with a one-page document containing QR links to the key resources available to support your child's academic success in Religious Studies this year.

If we can support your child further in any way, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,
Helen Stedman