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## Year 10 Introduction to GCSE Evening...goes online

Dear Year 10 Parent Guardian,

We normally hold our Year 10 Introduction to GCSE Evening in the School Hall in early October. The purpose of this event is to provide an introduction to the key features of GCSEs (e.g. grading, course content, assessment) as well as to hear presentations from the English, maths and science subject leaders. You would also normally receive a booklet outlining details for each of the GCSE courses. This event is aimed at both parents and students.

Owing to the current restrictions on social mixing, we are planning to do this event in a different way this year. We are going to create a page on the school website where you will be able to access my main presentation as a video. Further videos will also be available involving English, maths and science.

These videos will be available in early October - we will send you a link when they are ready. A link will also be provided to the GCSE booklet. We also plan to add further videos over the next few weeks from other subjects outside the 'core'.

Hopefully these will help to answer any questions you might have about the GCSE qualifications your child will be taking. However, if you have any questions in the meantime, please do contact your child's form tutor.

Best wishes,

*E. J. Newbold*

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Deputy Head