



Moorside High School

Enriching Lives, Inspiring Ambitions

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are well.

Following the half-term break, our Year 10 students will transition into Maths groups for their daily R Time sessions. This is something we implement each year to ensure students receive targeted support during this important stage of their GCSE journey. Grouping students by Maths ability allows us to support tailored interventions that will strengthen their knowledge and confidence in the subject and at the level they are working at.

As students move into Year 11, their form tutors will be teachers of Maths and English, enabling further subject-specific intervention in preparation for their GCSE examinations. Although students will be in Maths groups for R Time, they will still take part in their weekly assembly to receive essential PSHE content, and Fridays will remain our 'Review and Reflect' sessions, where the student bulletin is shared, and achievements and expectations are revisited.

From Half Term 4 onwards, our focus shifts further towards preparing students for their next steps. This includes Futures Week, which offers valuable insight into post-16 options, as well as their end-of-year exams, an important milestone in assessing progress ahead of Year 11.

The next 18 months are absolutely crucial for every student in Year 10. By Christmas this year, all students will have applied for their post-16 opportunities, including college courses, apprenticeships, and training pathways. Attendance, attitude, and consistent effort will make a significant difference in how well they are prepared for these important decisions.

As always, our Pastoral Team will continue to support all students throughout these changes. If your child requires any additional support, academic, emotional, or otherwise please do not hesitate to contact us via mhsinfo@consilium-at.com, and a member of the team will be in touch.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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