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Dear Parent/Carer

## Year 10 Sociology Revision Guide

As year 10 have now completed their final assessments for GCSE religious studies, I have arranged to withdraw the sociology students from one of their beliefs & values lessons in the weeks of 14<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> June (2 lessons in total), in order to complete some small-group revision with me.

The students will be working in groups of no more than 9, so we can focus in-depth on sociological research methods, an important part of the sociology syllabus. They were set a preparatory homework task over half term (on SMHW and the year 10 sociology Google Classroom), which is due in this week. They will be advised during their sociology lessons which beliefs & values lessons they will be missing. I hope that these sessions will help them to approach their year 10 exam with confidence.

Most of the students now have a copy of the Collins revision guide for AQA GCSE Sociology. If you have not yet ordered one for your child, they are still available via the school online payment system for £4.30, which is considerably cheaper than the recommended retail price of £10.99. This revision guide covers the whole GCSE specification and includes plenty of exam-style questions to practice.

Please remember that if your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium government grant we will use that to pay for the full cost of the revision guide. To order your child's revision guide please go to your Scopay account, open the Sociology Revision Guide option and click on the 'Give Consent' box. This will confirm that the school receive the Pupil Premium (PP) grant for your child and that you give consent for the grant to be used as payment for the full amount of the revision guide.

If you need any further information about the GCSE course, or how you can support your child's progress, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

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