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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Revision Materials for GCSE Examinations

I am writing to you to introduce the revision materials that the geography department is offering year 11 students to help in their preparation for GCSE examinations. We have endeavoured to make the course as engaging and relevant to the students as possible by teaching them the content via the most appropriate case studies and examples, based on our location in the South East of the United Kingdom.

Therefore, to support the students in their revision we have written a bespoke set of revision guides that include the case studies and examples referred to in their lessons over the last three years. Students will be provided with a comprehensive revision guide for each paper, including advice on how to complete the examination, as well as detailed revision material for the content required to complete all questions in the exams.

Revising from a commercially available revision guide will set students up perfectly well for their examinations. However, it will require learning new unfamiliar content, whereas using the Sackville geography department revision materials will consolidate the knowledge gained during their studies during the course and therefore enable them to be as successful as possible in their summer examinations.

Unfortunately, the cost of printing these resources has become prohibitive on the department budget. Therefore, we are asking for a £5.00 voluntary contribution to these costs.

Additionally, students can purchase a CGP question workbook (including separate answer booklet) for £4.50, should they wish to apply their knowledge to exam style questions.

Payment for these items can be made via the school online system. Please make a payment before Friday 14th February 2020.

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 materials.

Aside from these resources, please can I take this opportunity to remind yourself and the students of the excellent online revision materials on the Seneca website (AQA geography) and the PiXL Geography app.

Please do get in touch if you have any further questions regarding the preparation for the summer examinations.

Yours sincerely

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