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14<sup>th</sup> May 2015

Dear Parent / Carer (s)

## Year 10 into 11 Transition Meeting Wednesday 17th June 2015

I am writing to you to outline some of the key initiatives that your son/daughter will be involved in during Year 11.

- ♦ 6 Lesson Day All Year 11 pupils will have an additional lesson most days (Lesson 6), outlined on their individual timetables. Lesson 6 will run from 3 4 pm. This lesson is key to pupil performance and focuses on practicing skills learned in lessons, revision techniques and preparation for GCSE exams. All pupils are expected to attend these lessons. Pupils will receive rewards for their efforts in their lessons and we offer support to individuals if there are transport issues.
- ◆ Intervention if required, your son/daughter may receive additional 'Intervention' lessons, especially in English & Maths, to ensure they achieve their target grade.
- Additional Revision there will be additional revision sessions held throughout the year, details of which will be given closer to the time. For example, during February half-term, Easter Holidays and May half-term, there will be revision sessions at school. We need your support in ensuring pupils attend these sessions.
- Assertive Mentoring some pupils will be included in the Assertive Mentoring programme, if we feel they require additional support. This is run by SLT and senior teachers.
- ◆ Learning Coaches we have Learning Coaches available during the school day, and after school hours, to assist your son/daughter if they have fallen behind in any subjects, or to help them complete homework etc.

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I would like to take this opportunity to invite you to a special 'Year 10 into 11 Transition Meeting' on **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2015** at **6pm** in the Upper School Hall. This is an important event that I would be grateful if you could attend. There will be information about key examinations and advice on how best to support your son/daughter through this very important year in their school life.

There will be a presentation for approx. 20 – 30 minutes and then an opportunity to stay and speak to individual staff i.e. Senior Leadership Team, Head of Year 11, ALENCo, Head of English and Head of Maths.

Refreshments will be available.

Yours sincerely

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any further enquiries relating to this letter.

Please return the slip below by Wednesday 10th June 2015.

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Mrs H Coulson HEADTEACHER		
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## Please return this slip to reception

## **Year 10 into 11 Transition Meeting**

I will / will not be attending the 'Year 10 into 11 Transition Meeting' at Fairwater High School from 6 pm on **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2015**, in the Upper School Hall.

Name of pupil:	
Current school:	
Signed:	(Parent/Carer)