



King's Norton Boys' School

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September 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are incredibly proud of last years' English GCSE results:

83% of our 2019 leavers achieved a grade 4 or above.

73% of our 2019 leavers achieved a grade 5 or above.

In our results review it is clear that a number of success strategies were particularly successful. Therefore, our additional study support sessions will begin each Wednesday from 24th September running from 3.05pm – 3.45pm. These sessions will take place with the boys' usual English teacher and the boys are expected to attend.

It is also crucial that regular revision is being completed out of lessons and that copies of the text are being re-read: Jekyll and Hyde, Macbeth, Power and Conflict Poetry and Pigeon English.

This is incredibly important as the GCSE English examinations are closed text; this means that no texts are allowed in the examinations.

To support our students with their examinations, study support will begin from **Wednesday 24th September from 3:05pm - 3:45pm**. The sessions will take place with the English class teacher. Attendance is compulsory. We expect all of our students to be in attendance, engaged and working hard, in line with our code of conduct here at King's Norton Boys' School. An hour of specialist tutoring is approximately £30 pounds and our students will be receiving specialist support as a goodwill gesture from our teachers therefore we expect that this opportunity is taken.

I look forward to seeing your son in our study support sessions and more information on how we can work together will be coming soon.

Yours faithfully,

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