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Dear Parent / Guardian

I am pleased to see so many students undertaking the EtonX 'CV Writing' course that we have sourced from Eton college, students will be equipped with additional skills preparing them for the future. We can also print individual certificates for students who have completed the course.

Miss Woodall is creating virtual school choir performances. Year 11 students, who were involved in choir at the start of the year have been invited to a Classroom where she is posting instructions.

In normal times the students would have been approaching the last few days of exams and then a well earned break before the restart of learning in the autumn.

We still have no clarity from Ofqual about when possible autumn exams will take place, how they will be arranged or even if all subjects will be offered. I will contact you as soon as we know more about this optional opportunity for students.

Understandably, many students have decided to step back from our online GCSE delivery that is being provided in preparation for a possible autumn exam opportunity, they are instead focusing on the [work](#) that relates to their future courses in the autumn provided by sixth forms and colleges.

We will still support students who want to stay on top of their subject, in order to give themselves the option to take a possible exam in the autumn, however I am mindful that teachers may be setting online lessons that are not being utilised.

We would like to accurately gauge the number of students who still want GCSE support. We will then tailor a programme for them depending on numbers.

This will also enable us to make efficient use of teaching time and have capacity to start supporting our year 6 students transitioning to us in September.

Please can I ask that you talk this through with your son / daughter, indicating on this [form](#) in which subjects you would like ongoing support through to the summer holiday. We have not included Art, Food or BTEC courses as they are largely examined through coursework.

I will clarify nearer the time the arrangements for the results day held on Thursday 20 August.

We are still planning to arrange a leavers prom, we are awaiting the hospitality sector restarting before we can commit to a new date.

Yours faithfully



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