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Dear Parent/Guardian

As we approach the end of the school year, I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the exceptional efforts and achievements of Year 10.

One of the highlights of this year was undoubtedly the work experience placements undertaken by our Year 10 students. I am so proud of the year group as they conducted themselves with professionalism, maturity, and enthusiasm during this valuable opportunity. Employers provided glowing feedback; praising their exceptional work ethic, adaptability, and willingness to learn. I hope that they use this opportunity as a springboard for other endeavours in the near future.

Additionally, I am immensely proud of their diligent preparation for the RP exams. I am confident that their hard work and dedication will yield outstanding results, and I look forward to celebrating with them on results day. Furthermore, their achievements in other areas have been equally impressive. The participation of our students in the Physics Olympiad showcased their passion and aptitude for scientific inquiry. The art exhibitions, featuring their creative talents and expressions, were nothing short of awe-inspiring. The numerous geographers, historians and philosophers of the half term displayed their curiosity and commitment to understanding the world around them. Of course, we cannot forget the wonderful Shrek performance, which demonstrated their amazing talent and showcased their remarkable teamwork and artistic abilities.

Throughout the year students have represented the school with pride, and their participation in PE extra-curricular has been exceptional. The girls' netball team finished an impressive 3rd place in the RSFA League, demonstrating their skill, teamwork, and dedication. Likewise, the boys' football team's qualification for the RSFA semi-final is a testament to their sportsmanship, hard work, and passion for the game. The geography trip to Iceland provided them with a unique and immersive learning experience, allowing them to witness the awe-inspiring natural wonders of the country while deepening their understanding of the subject. I would also like to congratulate the 30 students who were awarded either bronze or silver for their Duke of Edinburgh award. Each achievement is a testament to their resilience, creativity, and the breadth of their talents.

As we prepare for the students' return from work experience, I am pleased to share the new tutor room locations for the upcoming term. Please could I kindly ask you to share these with your son/daughter ahead of their return to school next week.

<b>Tutor group</b>	<b>Room</b>
10M1	G7
10M2	G2
10M3	G9
10M4	G6
10M5	G8
10E1	G5
10E2	G3
10E3	G10
10E4	G4

I am greatly looking forward to starting Year 11 with this year group, as their achievements and the supportive community they have fostered this year will undoubtedly contribute to their success next year. I would like to wish you and your families a rejuvenating and enjoyable summer break and I very much look forward to working with you next year.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'E. Kelly'.

Miss E Kelly  
Head of Year 10