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Dear Parent/Carer

As an academy in the current climate we are constantly reviewing our curriculum offer and looking at any opportunities we might be able to use to enhance your child's experience at the academy. A key one of these has always been the enrichment activities on a Wednesday afternoon. In order to maintain the integrity of student bubbles and minimise contact within the academy we intend to run **homework/independent study opportunities** for Year 7-10 students who wish to sign up during the spring term.

**Signing up for Enrichment Activities (Years 7-10)**

**If you wish your child to attend the Homework club, which will start on Wednesday 17th March**, please indicate using the attached form and return this to reception by **Tuesday 16 March**. This will enrol your child until the end of the spring term and attendance to these sessions will be regarded as it would in any other lesson at the academy. The enrichment sessions will finish at **2:50 pm** and your child will not be able to leave the academy until that time. Your child's place in an enrichment activity will depend on demand, however we will contact you if an enrichment activity is full to discuss alternatives. If we do not receive a signed enrichment form, your child will not be entitled to attend an enrichment session and will leave at 1:50pm on Wednesdays.

In addition to the Wednesday enrichment sessions, the P.E. department have put together an exciting range of after school sporting activity clubs that will run on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. These will be delivered in year group bubbles and will consist of Football, Trampolining and Dodgeball. Students can opt in to these activities directly through the P.E. department and will not need parental consent.

We are continually monitoring government guidance and hope to get back to running our large and exciting range of enrichment activities after the Easter break, or as soon as it is safe to do so. You will receive a further letter allowing you to sign up to these in the near future. In the meantime if you have any questions about the above, please do not hesitate to contact the school and we look forward to seeing the students making the most of the enrichment and sports club opportunities on offer at the academy.

Yours sincerely

**Darren Gelder**  
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