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Dear Student and Parents

### **Chemistry Competition (National and RGS)**

Accompanying this letter is a document about a National Chemistry poster competition. The secondary school aspect of the competition is open to those doing GCSE (Year 10) and A level (Year 12). It invites students to design a poster on a single element, describing why the student's chosen element is the most important in the world we live in today. The maximum allowed size is A3.

I would like to encourage your son to enter this competition. Subject competitions are a great way to focus on a subject you enjoy studying, often doing something a bit different, and success in subject competitions greatly enhances later university applications in related subjects.

If your son does enter, please could I request that I get to see a copy of the poster before it is sent off? Any Year 10s who wish to enter the competition should also email me a copy or picture of their poster so that they are entered into an internal poster competition at RGS that will count towards the House point system. The deadline for entry into the RGS Y10 competition and the national competition is 12<sup>th</sup> June.

Regards

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