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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Purchasing GCSE English Literature Texts

In previous years boys in Years 10 and 11 have been asked to provide their own texts for the GCSE Literature course, so that as they study the text in class they are able to annotate their copy of the book with notes for their GCSE revision.

This year we have organised for you to be able to purchase all your son's GCSE Literature texts as a bundle through ParentPay. This means that we can ensure that every boy in Year 10 buys the recommended editions of the texts he will be studying, and the books you purchase through us will also have a hardwearing plastic cover.

If your son is eligible for Pupil Premium funding, the School will purchase his texts on your behalf, and there is nothing you need to do at this point.

Please note that the bundle includes J.B. Priestley's 'An Inspector Calls', Shakespeare's 'Macbeth', and Stevenson's 'The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde'. We will not, however, be sourcing revision/study guides. As a department we will ensure that your son has plenty of notes and resources, so there is no need to buy extra revision guides.

Please log on to ParentPay and pay £15.50 for your son's GCSE Literature texts as soon as possible, and by **Friday** 9^{th} October at the latest.

Many thanks for your support.

Yours sincerely,

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