



DARRICK WOOD SCHOOL

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9th February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

As we approach the final stages of GCSE preparation, we would like to inform you about the continued use of Period 6 (P6) lessons for Year 11 students.

P6 lessons are running across a range of subjects and are designed to provide targeted support in the lead-up to GCSE examinations. These sessions focus on consolidating key knowledge, developing examination skills, revisiting challenging topics, and giving students the opportunity to ask questions in a smaller, more focused setting.

Attendance at P6 lessons is strongly encouraged, as they form an important part of our support programme for Year 11. Subject teachers will communicate directly with students regarding which sessions they should attend.

We would be grateful if you could support us by encouraging your child to attend all allocated P6 sessions and to make the most of this additional learning time.

If you have any questions regarding P6 lessons or GCSE preparation more generally, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find the schedule attached which starts after Half Term and runs until the Summer Examinations begin.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Iddiols-Bunclark
Assistant Head Teacher