



Tadcaster Grammar School

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Dear Parents,

Staffing arrangements and additional support

With such an important two years ahead for your child I want to ensure that you are aware of the staffing arrangements within the Geography Department should there be any problems and you need to contact either me or a student's class teacher. The list below shows the class teacher and their contact information.

10CGg1 and 10AGg1 Mrs Ireland: l.ireland@tgs.starmat.uk

10AGg2 and 10BGg1 Mrs Walker: j.walker@tgs.starmat.uk

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Year 10 students will be studying the AQA specification for their Geography GCSE. The details of this GCSE specification can be found at the following website:

<http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035>.

There are a number of revision guides that can be purchased to support revision for end of unit assessments and examinations. The '[New Grade 9-1 GCSE Geography AQA Complete Revision & Practice](#)' provides excellent revision support and materials for Year 10 students. This revision guide has a retail price of £10.99 however the school is able to buy these at a reduced price of £5.50. If you would like to purchase this book please pay £5.50 via parentpay by Monday 22nd October 2018.

For parents/carers of students who have been advised they are eligible for Pupil Premium, the cost of these resources will automatically be taken from their Pupil Premium funding. There is no need to purchase these items.

There will be an opportunity for all GCSE students to attend drop in sessions during a Thursday lunchtime in room M24 from September onwards. These lunchtimes are designed for any students who are falling behind with work, struggling to revise or need any additional help or support with their Geography GCSE.

I hope the above information is useful. If there is anything that I can help you with please don't hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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