

16th May 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: English Revision Sessions

With the examinations for English Literature finishing in the last week before half term, the remaining examinations for GCSE English take place after the holiday. The last two papers are for English Language as outlined below:

- **Tuesday 4 June 2019 a.m.**
GCSE English Language Paper 1 Explorations in Creative Reading and Writing
(8700/1) 1hr 45
- **Friday 7 June 2019 a.m.**
GCSE English Language Paper 2 Writers' Viewpoints and Perspectives
(8700/2) 1hr 45

Students have the opportunity to attend 2 English Language revision sessions run during the half-term holiday on Wednesday 29th May from 10:00am until 12:00p.m and Thursday 30th May from 10:00am until 12:00p.m. The sessions will be run by 3 members of the department, Miss Tristram, Miss Shevlin and Mrs Preston. Your son/daughter does not have to be taught by the member of staff in order to attend the session. These sessions will involve revising key language techniques and a 'walk through' of a practice paper. Please note that these study sessions will be 'mobile phone free zones'; students will be asked to hand in mobile devices or to leave the session if mobile phones are out during learning time.

If you would like your son/daughter to attend please sign the reply slip below; students can return this before or on the day.

If you have any further queries about this or the English examinations as a whole, do not hesitate to contact me: j.preston@arnewood.hants.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs J. Preston
Head of English

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Reply slip re: English Revision Sessions

Student's name: **Tutor group:**

I give my permission for the above named to attend the revision sessions on:

1. Wednesday 29th May from 10:00am until 12:00pm
and/or
2. Thursday 30th May from 10:00am until 12:00pm. (Please delete as appropriate).

Signature: **Date:**
Parent/Carer