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Dear Parent/Carer

YEAR 10 ENGLISH LITERATURE - *MACBETH*

We would like to inform you that in January 2017, the year 10 English students will be studying Shakespeare's *Macbeth* as a set literature exam text. As with Stephen Kelman's *Pigeon English*, this is another text which we feel sure your son/daughter will enjoy.

In order for our students to be best prepared for their English Literature examination in 2017, we suggest that they should have their own copy of the text as soon as possible. This is so they can write their names in it, annotate it in class, and be able to study and revise from it as part of their home learning. The text will be the student's responsibility and can be taken home as required.

Students may purchase a copy of the text from the Academy at a cost of £2.00, payable via WisePay. These are available from their English teacher and will be handed out on proof of purchase. Students who are eligible for Pupil Premium will be given a text free of charge. If you wish to purchase your own copy of this text at your own choice of book shop then please feel free to do so.

If your child does not wish to purchase their own copy of the text, we will have some available for classwork, but these must be returned at the end of the lesson and annotation inside the text will not be permitted.

We look forward to teaching this popular play to your son/daughter this coming term and will do our very best to ensure that they make good progress in English.

If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Sale or your son/daughter's English teacher on 01903 767434.

Yours faithfully

Miss C Sale
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