

ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE





2nd March 2022

Dear Y10 Parents,

Required Purchase: Collins Classroom Classics: Macbeth

Thank you for your continued support of your son's study of GCSE English. I am writing to inform you that the below Collins Classroom Classics version of Macbeth is available to purchase on Parent Pay in time for its teaching in Term 5.



It is at a very low cost of £1.75 and will compliment the boys' study of Macbeth immeasurably. We have chosen a version that encourages comprehension and allows us to teach the essential skill of annotation. As such, boys will accrue a behaviour point if they do not have a copy of the text for the first lesson after the Easter holiday, in most cases Monday 18th April. Please keep in touch if there are any issues with this at all and we will sort it.

I am also writing to give you forward notice that some timetable changes will come into effect on Monday 18th April. As we say a temporary goodbye to much loved Ms Acheng who leaves to have her baby, we welcome Mr Griffiths to the department. 10SHK will be taken by Mr Griffiths, a highly experienced English teacher and writer. I will be taking 10MPO in order to provide consistency.

While we understand that class changes can be unsettling, these necessary changes will ensure that your son continues to be taught by

an experienced English subject specialist as we fastly approach the important final year of GCSE study.

Do contact me or Mrs Owen (KS4 English Lead) if you have any questions at all.

Yours sincerely,

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