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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 10 updates

As we approach the final term of the academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to update you on our interventions around student attendance. As you are aware, Year 10 had a specific attendance focus between Christmas and February half term. This saw over half our year group showing an improved attendance or retaining their 100% attendance record which was pleasing. We are however, as a year group, still significantly below our school attendance goal of 92%.

As a year team, we are committed to fostering an environment that encourages every pupil to achieve his/her full potential. We have observed that, while attendance rates have improved in certain areas, there remains a need for continued efforts to ensure that every student attends school regularly. Therefore, we will be repeating our attendance intervention on the return from Easter, with students able to gain House Points and rewards for improvements or 100% weekly attendance.

In your child's planner you will find his/her yearly attendance percentage for each year at Ramsey Grammar School, including current percentages up until last week when the data was collected. We encourage you to review this information and reflect on the significance of consistent attendance in your child's academic journey.

In our ongoing effort to support families and improve attendance, we kindly ask you to complete the attached [survey](#). Your insights and feedback will be invaluable in helping us understand the barriers to attendance and how we can work collaboratively to overcome them. The survey will take only a few minutes to complete, and your contributions will directly influence our strategies moving forward.

Outside of this focus, we have some key dates coming up next term and I would like to draw your attention to these:-

UCM College Taster Day: Thursday 12th June 2025

Year 10 Mock Exams: Monday 16th to Friday 27th June 2025

Our PGE Sessions in the run up to these events will focus on exam preparation and also readiness for the world of work or further study following students' completion of their GCSEs in just over a year's time.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter and for your continued support of our school. Together we can make a positive impact on your child's education and future success. Should you have any questions or require further assistance, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

I hope you enjoy a restful Easter break with your families.

Yours sincerely

Emma Dyer
Head of Year 10