

3 October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Subject Glia Learning – Dr Martin van der Spoel – Monday 7 October 2019

I am writing to inform you that on Monday 7 October Dr Martijn van der Spoel from Glia Learning will be coming into school to work with our Year 11 students. Dr van der Spoel is a chartered psychologist and director of Glia Learning Ltd. Each year he works with thousands of students, parents and teachers in various countries to focus on how information enters the brain and what techniques one can use to make it stick so that study becomes more rewarding and effective for personal progress.

The students will be supervised by myself and the Year 11 Tutor Team throughout their sessions with Dr van der Spoel and will be divided into two groups based upon their English classes:

- Session 1 will run from 8:50am to 10:55am for students in English classes 11L/En1, 11L/En2, 11L/En3, 11L/En4 (half of the group Surnames A-Kh)
- Session 2 will run from 11:20am to 1:25pm for students in English classes 11L/En5, 11L/En6, 11L/En7, 11L/En4 (other half of the group Surnames Kn-W)

As a school we have worked with Dr van der Spoel for many years and students have spoken very positively about the sessions that he has run and how they have helped our students prepare for both their Trial Exams and the GCSE exams in the summer.

If you are interested in finding out more about Dr van der Spoel and Glia Learning information is available on their website: www.glialearning.com

Yours sincerely,



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