

13<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Dear Parent or Carer,

Following the letter sent out on the 26<sup>th</sup> March, we wanted to thank you for registering your interest in the offer of the tutoring programme. I am pleased to say that we can now update you with further details.

We have partnered with Mannings Tutors to provide the tutoring service. Mannings have over 12 years experience in working with secondary schools and will work alongside the school to provide a bespoke tutoring programme. They have a well-established reputation for providing high quality tutoring, providing expert support from experienced tutors with a track record of improving the grades of the students they work with.

From week commencing **7<sup>th</sup> June** the tutoring will be delivered online on a **one tutor to three student ratio for the remaining 5 weeks of term**. The tutors at Mannings will liaise with your child's maths teacher and will have access to curriculum information as well as a clear understanding of where your child needs support. The work they do with their tutor will support the existing classwork and provide additional help and revision.

Each student involved will access **2 tutoring session per week that will last for 1 ½ hours at a time**. These 2 sessions will be delivered outside of the normal school day so as not to impact on other lessons. We are waiting for the final confirmation of dates and timings of the sessions but this information is expected imminently and will be sent out as soon as possible.

The tutoring is accessed online via a laptop. If you would like our help in providing a suitable device, please let me know either via email or telephone. It would also be beneficial that during the tutoring sessions your child can access a quiet space free from distractions to help the sessions run smoothly. In addition to this all tutoring sessions are recorded which also allows students to watch sessions back for reference.

This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to access high quality tutoring that directly supports the work they are doing in lessons and I thank you in advance for your support in helping your child access this at home.

Kind Regards

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