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Dear Parent/Carer

We are sure that both you and your child have concerns with regard to missing over a term at school during their GCSE courses during the national lockdown. However, we are pleased to be able to communicate what we have in place at Llanwern to ensure that our Year 11 pupils are not academically disadvantaged because of the time they have missed at school:

- 1) All subject teachers have rewritten their Year 11 GCSE course outlines** in the light of the WJEC exam board streamlining the requirements for each course. These course outlines will be shared with Year 11 pupils in lessons this week to reassure them that they will still be able to succeed. The outlines will also be available on the Recovery Curriculum Google Classroom.
- 2) Our fantastic teaching staff** have also made it possible for us to **offer Year 11 a 'lesson 6' recovery timetable**. This will be a supervised session, for all Year 11s, to study and catch up on some of the skills and knowledge that they have missed during lockdown.

The sessions will run from Monday - Thursday inclusive, and will take place in the IT rooms on the second floor of the north building (unless otherwise specified). There is a two-week timetable to ensure that all subjects are covered.

Each session will be staffed by subject specialists who will be on hand for any questions during the structured study time.

We hope that you will encourage and arrange for your child to attend each one of these sessions - they will certainly be able to work to overcome gaps in their knowledge and skills due to lockdown by taking advantage of this opportunity.

Yours faithfully

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Deputy Headteacher

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Assistant Headteacher

Recovery Planning for Year 11 Period 6 Timetable - all sessions to take place in the second floor IT rooms unless otherwise specified

Week 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Period 6 (3PM-4PM)	Maths/Numeracy Maths Department classrooms	English	Science	Science Labs (some practical demos are needed) Welsh

Week 2

	Monday (Option A)	Specific rooms	Tuesday (Option B)	Specific rooms	Wednesday (Option C)	Specific rooms	Thursday	Specific rooms
Period 6 (3PM-4PM)	Geography		History	N119	Triple Science	Science Labs	RS/Equality and Diversity	N123
	Health and Social Care		Construction	Workshop	Media Studies			
	Music	N038/N045	Drama	N043	Business			
	Art	N204	Food and Nutrition		Photography			
	French	N102	IT		Product Design	Workshop		
	LIBF		Sport					
		Prince's Trust						