22nd September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

D&T MATERIALS

In KS3 D&T lessons, your child will produce a wide range of exciting work using a variety of 3D materials as well as specialist equipment. Practical work including the use of plastics, wood, textiles and other materials are all included in our current Scheme of Work.

The projects with practical outcomes are:

Year 7 - acrylic maze game, timber boats & fabric pencil cases

Year 8 - linkage toy, candle holder & mobile phone holder

Year 9 - Mobile phone prototype, nightlight & spinning top

Unfortunately, we need to ask you for £10 to help us cover some of the costs required to enable students to access such a high quality KS3 curriculum. In return your child will be able to keep the product they have made in **Year 7**, **8 and 9**.

In addition to this we are introducing a new system whereby students have their own apron for Food lessons. This will last them throughout KS3 & 4. The cost of the apron is £5.

The school cannot bear the cost of the materials needed without reducing its ability to provide other items which are essential for its curricular needs. If you are unable to contribute the full amount, please contact me in confidence, in writing, by the end of this month.

Please make payment through Parent Pay for £15. Should you require any assistance with the Parent Pay system please contact the Finance department at our school.

Yours sincerely,

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