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Dear Parent / Carer

We have recently purchased an 'Up Learn' license for every student taking the following A Level courses; Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Maths, Economics and Psychology.

Up Learn is a revolutionary online independent learning and revision platform for A-Level students. From Thursday 11 January 2024, your child will have access to hundreds of online video lessons covering their A Level course, available any time on the computer. Up Learn is best used to complement what students are learning in the classroom to ensure your child gets the best grade possible.

The platform can support them with:

- Video lessons to help them understand new topics, break down complex material and ensure students are coming to class ready to stretch their knowledge beyond the basics.
- Quizzes and Summary content to make sure they are memorising course content and have mastered more tricky topics
- Exam 'how-to's', mark scheme breakdowns and practice papers (created exclusively for Up Learn by official examiners) ensure that students are comfortable with the jump in exam technique from GCSE to A Level

Up Learn builds their courses using cutting-edge technology and robust research from the field of cognitive science to make sure students are learning as effectively as possible. The platform uses artificial intelligence to track students' progress and personalise their learning schedule for maximum results. Students will be using Up Learn in their independent study periods but it would also be hugely beneficial for them to use it during weekends and holidays to maximise their potential. It is recommended that a student spends 3 hours per week, per Up Learn course, to fully utilise the platform's benefits. Your support in ensuring they make the most of the platform will be greatly beneficial in helping to encourage productive study habits.

We are excited to get started with this platform and are happy to answer any questions you may have about Up Learn.

Best wishes,

Mrs Abi Slater
Director of Sixth Form