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Dear Parent / Carer

RE: Triple Science Invitation

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As the Head of Science at South Dartmoor Community College, I am writing to share some exciting news regarding your child's academic journey in the field of science.

Our school is proud to offer the AQA Triple Science Trilogy programme, an enriching and comprehensive course designed to provide students with an in-depth understanding of the three core science disciplines: Biology, Chemistry, and Physics. This programme is a fantastic opportunity for students who are passionate about science and wish to explore these subjects at a more in depth level.

The AQA Triple Science Trilogy course covers a wide range of engaging and challenging topics that will not only deepen your child's scientific knowledge but also enhance their critical thinking and analytical skills. Some examples of the topics covered in each discipline include:

| Biology | Chemistry | Physics |
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| Cell Biology | Atomic Structure | Forces |
| Genetics | Chemical Bonding | Energy |
| Ecology | Organic Chemistry | Electricity |
| Human Biology | Chemical Analysis | Astrophysics |

We have been closely monitoring your child's academic progress, attitude towards learning, and response to home-learning, and it is with great pleasure that I extend an invitation for them to join the AQA Triple Science Trilogy programme. Their dedication to their studies and evident passion for science make them an ideal candidate for this course.

Participation in the Triple Science Trilogy will provide your child with a solid foundation in the sciences and open doors to many future academic and career opportunities in STEM-related fields. Triple science is not part of the options blocks and your child will still be able to select their 4 options and 2 reserves. The Triple science content will be taught during the core science curriculum hours with an additional 3 hours being utilised from the core RS/PSHE/PE hours.

I understand that this decision may require careful consideration, and I am more than happy to address any questions or concerns you may have. Please feel free to reach out to me at kmccarthy@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk.

Kind regards
Kerri McCarthy
Head of Science

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