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Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 10 English Literature Exam Text and GCP Study Guide: *A Christmas Carol*

Students will shortly be studying a set literature text: *A Christmas Carol*.

The examination is 'closed book' which means that students will not be allowed to have a copy of the text in the examination. However, it would be beneficial for them to have their own copies of the text, for annotating during study in class and for revision. For this reason, we would like your son/daughter to have a copy of the recommended version which allows sufficient space for annotation (ISBN 978 1407 143644). We have chosen this edition because it is very good value for money for the quality of the edition and it comes with a free protection jacket to prolong the life of the book.

We would like your son/daughter to buy the recommended version from the English Department. We have ordered sufficient for all students. Should your son/daughter wish to purchase one of these texts, they will be available to buy from the school, at a cost of £2.65. Students will need to have a copy of the text as soon as possible.

In addition, we have also purchased a CGP study guide (on the text). We have been able to purchase a guide which is usually £5.95 for the reduced sum of £2.99.

If you would like your daughter to have the book and in addition, the guide, please make a payment through **ParentPay online Shop**, using the following link: <https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Uniform/Default.aspx?shopid=1047> and via the school website.

If your child is in receipt of pupil premium funding and you wish to request financial assistance towards the cost of the book/(s), please contact meroffice@maidenerleghtrust.org.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely

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