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Dear Parents

YEAR 11 CHINESE AT BWS 2015-2016

We hope that your son will continue to learn Chinese with Mrs Tang next year. Year 11 classes will be on Tuesdays during the lunchtime, 12.15-12.50 and again after school 16.00-17.30. The increased teaching time is to compensate for the fact that there are no Chinese lessons during terms 5 and 6 due to GCSE examinations.

Regrettably the only way we can preserve the teaching of Chinese as an extra-curricular subject at BWS is for it to be a paid for activity. Therefore, there will be a charge of £205.00 to offset the costs of tuition and learning resources for 2015-16. The School reserves the right to withdraw the course if insufficient boys sign up to make it financially viable.

In order that we can plan for September we need to know as soon as possible if your son will <u>not</u> continue with Chinese next year. If this is the case, please would you send an email confirming this to Mrs L Burke at <u>leb@bws.wilts.sch.uk</u> **by Thursday 21 May 2015** at the latest.

Yours sincerely

Dr S D Smallwood Head Master