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Dear Parents/Guardians

Re: Geology Help Sessions

The Geology Department are organising a sequence of intervention sessions which will be open for your son/daughter to attend in the half-term following the February break. These sessions have been designed to reinforce particularly important or difficult subject areas and lead on directly from their performance in the mock exams. Your son/daughter should be aware of their achievement in each of the subject areas and will therefore be able to know which sessions are most critical for them to attend.

We would like to draw your attention to both the preparatory reading, evidence of which must be brought to the session, and the consolidation tasks available on the BWS school website. In order for your son/ daughter to make the maximum possible progress, this work will need to be completed in good time.

The sessions are open to all students but it is highly recommended that any individual who performed below their target by 2 or more grades in their mock should be in attendance. A register of attendance will be kept by the lead teacher of each session.

We attach a timetable of the sessions, please pay careful attention to the locations and times as it has not been possible to keep them uniform each week. We have ensured there is adequate travel time between sites. Please feel free to contact myself, <u>mxt@bws.wilts.sch.uk</u> should you have any further questions.

Finally, if you have taken a copy of the timetable from Parents Evening please note the date of the first two sessions has been adjusted.

Yours faithfully

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Geology Help Sessions (Spring Term Part II)

- All sessions will be approximately 30 minutes long and the preparatory work is compulsory for attendance.
- Following each session there are questions which should be completed, all resources are available on the BWS school website (follow the links for the revision session). (link: http://www.bws-school.org.uk/Curriculum-Exams/Science/Files/Y12Files/)

Date & Time	Topic of Study	Preparatory Work / Reading	Staff
21.02.17 4.10pm W3 BWS	1.4 Geological Structures I	Read pages 46 – 53 in OCR textbook and answer questions.	SDS
23.02.17 4.10pm W3 BWS	1.4 Geological Structures II	Read pages 54 – 61 in OCR textbook and answer questions.	SDS
08.03.17 12.15pm N10 SWGS	1.3 Earth Structure	Read pages 2 – 13 in OCR textbook and answer questions. Geol Twitter Page: #F792 Date. 27/1/14	LAL
15.03.17 12.15pm N10 SWGS	2.3 Forming Sedimentary Rocks	Read pages 104 – 115 in OCR textbook and answer questions. Geol Twitter Page: #F792 16/12/14	LAL
20.03.17 4.10pm W3 BWS	2.3 Classifying Sediments	Read pages 110 – 115 in OCR textbook and answer questions. Geol Twitter Page: #F792 11/11/16 Geol Twitter Page: #F792 25/11/14 Geol Twitter Page: #F792 20/12/13	МХТ
27.03.17 4.10pm W3 BWS	2.2 Igneous Rocks	Read pages 72 – 81 in OCR textbook and answer questions.	МХТ
03.04.17 4.10pm W3 BWS	2.1 Rock Cycle	Read pages 61 – 65 in OCR textbook and answer questions. Geol Twitter Page: #F792 3/12/14	MXT