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Dear Parent/Guardian

AQA Mathematics GCSE 9 – 1 Practice Exam Papers and Algebra Revision Book

Your son will be only the second cohort to sit the new AQA GCSE 9-1 in Mathematics which is of a very different style to the old GCSE. Unfortunately, this means that there are limited past papers available to use for revision, and only a handful of sample papers which we will use for mock exams.

We have therefore purchased a pack of **10 sets of the 3 GCSE Maths exam papers** from a company called ZigZag Education. These have been written in the style of the new GCSE and will be an excellent resource for the boys to use as revision material after we have completed teaching the course.

One exam paper will be copied and distributed to boys to be completed on a weekly basis during their revision period between February and April, and a folder will be provided in which these revision materials can be stored.

We will also purchase a copy of a “**Snap Revision Algebra for AQA GCSE Maths Higher**” booklet for each of the boys. This A5 sized booklet contains excellent notes, examples, questions and answers for all of the GCSE Algebra content, so again will be an excellent resource for your son’s revision.

I would therefore like to request a voluntary contribution of £5 to cover the cost of providing these resources for your son.

Please pay online: Via www.scopay.com. If you need a link code please email amh@bws.wilts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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