

12th December 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

As I am sure your child has already discussed with you, we are introducing a 'Period 7' for all year 11 students to start as soon as we return in January. This means that all year 11 students will be given an **extra lesson** in all core subjects as well as their option subjects at the end of the normal school day (Monday - Thursday). The sessions will run from 2.30 - 3.30pm (Monday - Thursday) as follows and are compulsory for all year 11 students:

Monday - Maths  
Tuesday - Science  
Wednesday - English  
Thursday - Humanities/MFL and other foundation subjects

Friday - intervention on an invitation only basis (these sessions will be an opportunity to offer small group work, intervention and support on a bespoke basis).

Students will be taught in their usual subject classrooms, with their usual class and, where possible, their usual teacher in order to minimise any disruption. Some students may deviate from the above IF necessary but this will be in consultation with your child and you.

We genuinely believe that this will benefit your child as it will allow us to further extend their knowledge and understanding of the content of each subject whilst also allowing us more opportunity to prepare crucial exam skills. It also provides your child with more specialist learning time as all teaching staff will be on hand to teach and support where necessary.

We will be providing extra buses in order for your child to return home safely. So that we can organise this effectively, please can you complete the slip if your child will require the late bus or alternatively email Mrs Kernick: [h.kernick@belmontschool.org.uk](mailto:h.kernick@belmontschool.org.uk)

At this very important time, we thank you for your continued support. If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Nesbitt, Head of Year 11.

Yours faithfully

Mr P Marsden  
(Head Teacher)

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**Late bus seat request – please return to Mrs Kernick/Mr Nesbitt**

Student name:

Transport drop off village eg Sherburn, West Rainton, Bowburn etc:

Parent/Carer signature:

Date:

