

# TUESDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 5.45PM- 7.45PM

### **Open to all S4/S5 Parents**

We would like to invite all parents/carers of our S4 pupils to a Study Skills information session.

The aim of the evening is to:

- provide parents/carers with information and latest research about study skills and revision techniques that may assist your child.
- provide parents/carers with practical examples of how they can support learners at home.
- provide an opportunity for parents to listen to and discuss specific learning revision tools that are used in school .
- provide opportunities for parents to meet with and talk to each other.

## **Evening Outline**

5.45pm – 6.15pm Assembly Hall- Input 1

Study Support strategies that can support your learner at home

6.15- 7.30pm - Input 2 (Parents will rotate to both areas in this timeframe)

**Assembly Hall** 

3 presentations covering:

Altra\*

Scholar and Achieve\*

MS OneNote\*

#### Social Area

Information stalls giving information on the wider supports available to pupils in school including employability, health and wellbeing and subject specific areas.

7.30- 7.45pm-Assembly Hall Plenary and close

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## **Overview of Input 2**

#### Parents will be split into two groups and rotate between the Assembly hall and Social Area

#### \*Assembly Hall

#### 1. Altra- Using Past Papers effectively

Miss Dickson, Humanities PTC will showcase the past paper builder resource known as **Altra** and discuss how using past papers to create model answers and self-assess can be a helpful revision tool

#### 2. Scholar and Achieve

Scholar and Achieve are electronic supports offered to pupils in the Senior Phase. This can be utilised for self-evaluation, revision materials and full course notes. Mr Rodger, Science PTC will showcase the ways in which students can engage with these materials both in school and at home.

#### 3. MS OneNote

OneNote is a digital notebook that automatically saves and syncs your notes as you work. Mrs Boyd, PTC Maths and Computing will lead an overview of this resource which is used to support pupils in Maths with assessment preparation for learners undertaking National 5, Higher and Advanced Higher.

#### Social Area

- In the social area, there will be stalls set up from:
  - o Skills Development Scotland
  - My World of Work Ambassadors
  - Developing the Young Workforce
  - o Health and Wellbeing Champions
  - $\circ~$  S6 pupils will share their own study plans and tips for success.
  - The English and Languages PTC, Mrs Carney will be on hand to give a brief overview of both the N5/H English course and share useful strategies that can be employed at home to revise effectively for the English papers specifically.
  - Ms Wright, from Art, sharing some pupil portfolio work and sharing specific strategies on supporting pupils in this subject.
- Please bring some change as S6 pupils are selling tea/coffee to raise some funds for their S6 Prom.

