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Dear parent/carer

GCSE English

During Year 10 and Year 11, students will be studying three literary texts for their English Literature GCSE: Macbeth, An Inspector Calls and A Christmas Carol, as well as a poetry anthology.

During the two years of GCSE study, all of the set books required will be provided by the English department. We find that students being able to annotate the texts provides invaluable support for revision. Books will be given to students as we begin to study the topics, starting with Macbeth.

To purchase books for every student is obviously a significant cost to the school and is outside of our usual budgeting, as unlike with other texts in Years 7-9, students keep their own copies. We would therefore be grateful if parents could please contribute £8.00 in Year 10 and £8.00 in Year 11 to cover the cost of these books.

If you are happy to make a contribution towards the cost of these books, this can be paid via your child's Arbor account.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me via email at mdhillon@uhs.org.uk.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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