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Dear Parents/Carers,

As your child works towards their GCSE examinations, we are placing a strong emphasis on target setting. This encourages students to take ownership of their learning, reflect on their progress, and set achievable goals in order to maximise their potential.

Targets have been set in English, maths, science, and the option subjects your child has chosen. These targets are based on the performance data we receive from your child's primary school and teacher judgments. They have been shared with your child during a structured 1:1 conversation. For a small number of students, we do not hold their primary school performance data. In these cases, students' targets have been set based on teacher judgements.

We kindly ask for your support in discussing these targets with your child. Encouraging a positive attitude towards learning, regular revision, and good study habits will make a real difference to your child's learning. We will continue to keep you informed of any key assessments and progress updates.

If you would like to review your child's targets or discuss their progress further, please contact me on 0151 477 8710 or by emailing [admin@kirkbyhighschool.net](mailto:admin@kirkbyhighschool.net).

Regular, daily attendance is strongly linked to improved educational outcomes. Those students who attend school every day learn more and achieve higher GCSE grades.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Scott Durrant  
Deputy Headteacher

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*Respect*

*Aspiration*

*Confidence*



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