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Dear Year 10 Parent/Carer

I am delighted to announce that we have invested in Seneca Premium to support your child's education. It is possible that your child has already had some experience of this learning platform via the free material that is available online. The Premium package which is now available is far more extensive and will be a of great benefit to Year 10 students moving into Year 11. The package is not intended to replace homework or personal revision, but is viewed as 'Blended Learning', aiming to support and reinforce the curriculum within school. It maps the learning that takes place, coupled with analysing gaps in knowledge and assessing students and creates a tailor-made route for the needs of the individual learner, using such methods as Retrieval, Interleaving, Spacing and Visual Cues. Engagement with Seneca has proven more secure Learning and Understanding across the Curriculum, as well as improved Attainment and Progress.

What is Seneca?

[Seneca Learning](#) is an online learning platform that has high-quality courses for all subjects at Key Stage 2, Key Stage 3, GCSE and A Level.

Your son/ daughter will be able to log into Seneca on phone, tablet or computer and study any of their school subjects. Seneca's Premium pass offers them access to:

- Over **800 online courses** such as Hardest Questions, Predicted Papers, and HyperLearning.
- **Smart Learning Mode** which uses data and neuroscience to tell your child exactly what to learn and when to learn it.
- **Wrong Answer Mode** helps students learn as quickly as possible.

How should your son / daughter use Seneca Premium?

To make the most of this fantastic resource, we recommend:

- Students should use all the different course types available on Seneca.
- Students should use Seneca little and often throughout the year rather than using it to cram.

All student accounts have been set up with their school email addresses. To access the site students should:

- Login to Seneca by visiting app.senecalearning.com
- Students who have used the free Seneca material before should use their school email and existing password. They will be automatically upgraded to the Premium package.
- Students who don't have a Seneca account should sign in with their school email address and the password **seneca2020**

Seneca also provides free parent accounts. Their free parent accounts allow you to track your child's learning or learn alongside your child. This can help make conversations about school and learning easier.

You can sign up for a free Seneca parent account here: app.senecalearning.com/parent

Seneca have made a useful [2 minute video](#) to help you get started. For any questions about how Seneca works, please contact them using the live chat on their website or email them at learnmore@seneca.io.

Yours faithfully

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