**29th June 2021**

Dear Parent and Carers of Y10

We have decided to prioritise Year 10 to provide summer provision for students in order to make up for any lost learning time due to the global pandemic. Below is the provision being offered by St Joseph’s for students in Year 10 as they transition into Year 11. The main priority of the days will be to further develop your child’s knowledge, understanding and skills in each of these subjects whilst also deepening the sense of community shared by students and staff at St Joseph’s. We understand that the pandemic has had a profound effect not only on the student’s learning but also on their mental wellbeing, a number of pupils have expressed concern about lost learning time and the impact on their exams next year. Our Year 10 into Year 11 summer provision is designed to ease these anxieties for the students. We realise that some students may have holidays booked for certain weeks so we have tried to spread the provision to reduce the chance of a student missing all the opportunities.

Students will be formally invited by their class teacher/head of department with further details about timings and any equipment needed. Although attendance is not compulsory, we would strongly urge you to encourage your child to attend any sessions offered to give them every opportunity to succeed as they move into Year 11.

For whole day sessions a lunch will be provided by the school however the school canteen will not be operating and therefore any snacks or drinks should be brought with the student. Uniform is not expected although we would ask that the students dress appropriately for the activities they will be undertaking.

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| 29/07/2021 | R.E | In school |
| 29/07/2021 | Art | In school |
| 30/7/2021 | Art | In school |
| 04/08/2021 | Mathematics | De Vere Whites Hotel |
| 23/08/2021 | Drama/Music | In school |
| 25/08/2021 | Construction | In school |
| 25/08/2021 | Health and Social care | In school |
| 26/08/2021 | Health and Social care | In school |
| 31/08/2021 | MFL | In school |
| 1/09/2021 | MFL | In school |
| 02/09/2021 | Science | Bolton Arena |
| 03/09/2021 | English | Bolton Arena |

The teachers at St Joseph’s are committed to offering the very best for the students in their care and would like to see as many of their students on the days as possible.

Yours Sincerely

Mr Armstrong Miss Ruston Mr Hodgson Mr Patel

***The Summer School Leadership Team***