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Dear Parent/Carer

Improving Language

During the past three years we have worked relentlessly to improve many aspects including standards and behaviour. Speaking with colleagues across the school, an area where we still feel we have work to do is to improve students' use of language and offensive swear words.

A small minority of students use words and language in and around college which is unacceptable. We want to instil the right values and habits in our students. Poor language and offensive words are not acceptable in public settings, nor in future workplaces.

When we return after February half term we will deliver a week of whole school assemblies to address this issue. Staff are fully on board and wish to see an improvement. Students who are overheard swearing or using offensive words in and around school will automatically be given 2 Behaviour Points. As has always been the case, any student directly swearing at an adult in the college will receive a fixed term exclusion.

Please can we rely upon your full support as we seek to improve and maintain our high standards.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "L Mawby".

Mr L Mawby
Vice Principal

