

Letter to Parents

Dear Parent,

RE: AQA GCSE in Media Studies 2018 – Topic: Serial Television Drama

Your child is about to start studying a particular topic for their GCSE Media Studies exam this summer. The content of this topic is **serial TV drama**, and your child is encouraged to watch a variety of serial television dramas as homework topics and to provide wider study.

Topics of study will vary from TV scheduling practices and narrative structures, to marketing and representation of women and minorities.

This could involve watching a selection of different serial television dramas, and your child will be provided with a list of suitable, age-appropriate programmes to watch. As these types of programme are on during prime-time TV, between 6pm and 9pm and are most likely to be enjoyed as a family, we would welcome your engagement and interaction with your child to support their study.

If you require any further information as to how you can support your child, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs E Miller

Lead Teacher of Media Studies