



# ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

As you may be aware, students of Media Studies have recently been working on producing the planning and research stage of their NEA. The NEA is the coursework element of the GCSE, worth 30% of their final grade. All NEA documents are submitted digitally, via Teams.

The next stage - over the summer - is for them to obtain images or footage to use in the creation of their final product. This, and the planning document (a power point or word document), will be due when they return to school in September.

During lessons and with our support, students will then create their first draft. They are permitted by the exam board to submit a single draft on which they can receive feedback; this will be due in December. Students will then have until February half term to make changes before submitting their final drafts.

The purpose of this letter is to keep you informed of the progress of this important part of their work and to let you know about the schedules involved. We look forward to seeing what students will produce and appreciate your support with the process.

Please don't hesitate to get in contact if you have any questions about the coursework.

Yours sincerely

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