



# Parkside Academy

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Dear Parent

**Re: GCSE Graphic Products Extra Lessons**

Your child is due to complete their GCSE Graphic Products coursework this academic year.

Due to time constraints on this course the Design Technology department are offering an extra Graphic Products lesson on a Friday after school from 3.00pm until 4.00pm. The extra lesson will allow pupils to complete extra coursework and develop stronger skills in product design, production and testing which will allow them to achieve a higher final grade. This is a great opportunity for your child to really embrace the subject and complete independent creative designs.

We intend to start the extra lesson from Friday 30 September 2016 and it will run until Friday 16 December 2016. If it proves successful and we have a good attendance, then there will be chance for it to run again in the new year.

Although these sessions are not mandatory we really would appreciate your encouragement and hope to see your child achieve their targeted grade.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Yours sincerely,

**Mrs K Jones**

Deputy Subject Leader Art & Design

