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Dear Parent,

## **LENT TERM 2017 – ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAMME**

At Ellesmere College we know that education is about a lot more than what happens in the classroom. It is about developing the whole child and discovering what their talents are.

We run an Academic Enrichment programme for all our students on a termly basis, a copy of this I have enclosed for you to look at and discuss with your child. All students will have received a paper copy of this programme at the end of the last term via their Houses.

The activities listed are open for all students to take part in and, for those with a particular interest in a certain subject, these offer the potential for stretch and challenge by participation. The EDGE Lectures are targeted towards our students in Year 11 upwards and again, if a student has a particular interest in having a future career in a sector in which the speaker works, it would offer an opportunity to learn more about the subject and ask specific questions in a forum afterwards.

We hope you find this helpful and self-explanatory, but if your child is still unsure who to speak to in order to get involved in a particular activity or event, please contact me directly and I will endeavour to answer any questions or to put them to the relevant subject teacher overseeing the event in question.

Yours sincerely,

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