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Dear Parents/Guardians

Year 7 should now have finished their first algebra unit and will be taking a test in the week beginning 3rd February. The date should be confirmed this week.

Students should be revising the following topics:

- Expressions, equations, formulae and identities (Hegarty clip 154)
- Writing algebraic expressions (Hegarty clips 151 - 153)
- Collecting like terms (Hegarty clips 156 - 157)
- Simplifying expressions involving multiplication (Hegarty clip 158)
- Simplifying expressions involving division (Hegarty clip 159)
- Expanding single brackets (Hegarty clips 160-162)
- Factorising (Hegarty clips 168 - 169)
- Substitution (Hegarty clips 780 - 786)

Your child's class teacher should be able to give more detailed advice on suitable topics for revision.

Students will be allowed to use a calculator in the test and will benefit from doing so. Please remind your child that they must have their calculator for all lessons. Please note that Maths teachers will not lend out calculators for assessments.

If you have any questions, please contact your child's main Maths teacher.

Yours faithfully
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