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To: Parents/Carers of Y11 GCSE Media Students

Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the Year 11 Media Studies exam the students will be studying television comedy. One of the programmes studied is "The Inbetweeners", which will be compared to another contemporary programme "Outnumbered". The purpose of looking briefly at these programmes is to analyse their scheduling and evaluate what enjoyment the audience gain from watching comedy.

To allow for the provision of this element, I will need to show the students several short clips from both programmes. These clips will include pre-watershed (shown before 9pm) adverts and other carefully selected extracts appropriate to a classroom context.

The exam board (OCR) states that '*In theory certification within an educational context does not apply, since it is not technically a public exhibition*'. However, as "The Inbetweeners" DVDs have an 18 certificate, I wanted to inform you that I will be showing these clips so that, should you have any concerns, I can address them immediately.

Should you wish to discuss this with me, please feel free to contact me via my College email: ewatkins@elycollege.co.uk or phone on 01353 667763.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Watkins", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Ms E Watkins
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