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## Dear Parent/Carer

The History department would like to inform you that they have created a Sackville A level History twitter account with the name @SackvilleHist.

Twitter is being used successfully by a large number of schools and leading universities across the country as a way of communicating with the students and therefore it has been decided to trial this approach with the A level students at Sackville.

## The main uses will be:

- Sharing revision tips.
- Sharing documentaries and articles related to the course to enrich the student's learning.
- Enabling students to post critical responses to these resources.
- · Posting feedback from school trips.
- Weekly history quotes.
- Sharing tweets by historians and other history/news accounts.

The account will be open exclusively to Sackville History A level students, with no other students having access to the posts unless approved by the department. Feedback from parents and students in schools currently using twitter has been extremely positive and we hope to replicate this success at Sackville.

If you have any questions regarding the above then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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