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Dear Parents,

**Year 10 French Class - Student Conference, Birmingham – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2012**

On Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> February the Modern Foreign Languages Department has arranged to take all Year 10 pupils taking French to a Student Conference in Birmingham on ‘How to get a top grade in GCSE French’. This should give our students a clearer view of how the four language skills will be assessed over the coming fifteen months and will enable them to pick up some valuable tips on how to provide exactly what the examiners are looking for.

We have attended similar conferences in the past and have found them to be a valuable way of attuning pupils to the requirements of the different modules and focussing minds on the task ahead. Material is presented in a lively fashion and the day also provides an opportunity to visit one of the more attractive University campuses in the Midlands.

The trip will depart at 8.30am, we will travel by minibus and we will back in time for the buses. Packed lunches will be arranged, and the cost of the day will be £27.50.

With all this in mind, I would appreciate it if you could fill in and return the slip below no later than Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February, enclosing a cheque made payable to “Ellesmere College”.

Yours sincerely,

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To: Mr T F Bongers, Ellesmere College

I would like my son/daughter, name: .....  
to attend the French student conference on 22<sup>nd</sup> February and enclose a cheque for £27.50.

Signed: ..... Date: .....

(Parent)

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