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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Years 9 & 10 English - Study of Films

Students in Year 9 and 10 English are required to respond to and critically assess a wide range of texts. They focus on details of texts to analyse meaning, perspective, cultural assumptions, ideologies and language (BOSTES NSW Syllabus for the Australian Curriculum).

Over the course of the year, students will be viewing various films as part of their studies in English. These films either have a rating of M or MA15+.

For example, students in Year 9 will view Baz Luhrmann’s film Romeo and Juliet which is rated M. Students in Year 10 will view Samson and Delilah by Warwick Thornton which is rated MA15+ and Beneath Clouds by Ivan Sen which is rated M.

In addition to these films, over the course of the year teachers may show other films with similar ratings to compliment the students’ studies.

If you have any concern about your son/daughter viewing films rated M or MA15+ please contact me at the College.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Rhea Barber
Leader of English