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Dear Parent

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Information for parents of children in Years 8-11

We wanted to inform you about a new initiative we are trialling with **Year 7** students this summer term. Park Vale Academy, along with other schools in the Redhill Academy Trust, will be providing Year 7 students with lockable mobile phone pouches. These pouches will help reduce distractions and improve focus by ensuring phones are not used during the school day.

Although this trial is currently only for Year 7, we thought you might be interested to know about it. If the trial is successful, we may consider expanding it to other year groups. Should this happen, we will write to you again with more details.

Thank you for your understanding and support as we strive to create the best learning environment for our students.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Bowhay
Headteacher