



A-Level Politics – new Year 12

Dear Parent/Carer

A-Level Politics students are required to purchase their own textbooks. These can be quite expensive and even though I have negotiated some good discounts, the cost for this year's students will still come to £69.50. This figure will see them through the entire two-year course, and I promise not to come back to you for more money in Year 13. Your contribution will cover the following:

- A physical copy of Edexcel GCE Politics AS and A-level Student Book by Sara Jenkins – normal price £40.00.
- A physical copy of The Declaration of Independence & The Constitution of the United States by Pauline Maier – normal price £4.00
- An online version of UK Government and Politics for A-level Sixth Edition by Neil McNaughton - normal price £32.00.
- An online version of US Government and Politics for A-level Sixth Edition by Anthony J Bennett - normal price £32.00.
- Three Edexcel AS/A-Level Politics Workbooks 1 - normal price £24.
- Free online access, via *Dynamic Learning*, to an archive of over 100 previous issues of *Politics Review*.
- A two-year subscription for 12 issues of *Think Tank*, a magazine produced by ZigZag education specifically for A-Level Politics students.
- Free access, via *eRevision*, to a set of revision quizzes and activities covering the entire course, provided by Hodder Education.

In addition, there is the option to take out a two-year subscription for eight issues of *Politics Review*, a magazine produced by Hodder Education specifically for A-Level students – normal price £80. This will cost £30. (Note - It is not essential to do this as the magazines will also be available to our students online, so only do this if they would prefer a print copy.)

Please could you arrange for one of the following figures to be transferred to the school via WisePay at your earliest convenience or let me know if you intend to make your own arrangements to obtain some of the resources so that you can then pay the school a reduced amount.

£69.50 – no magazine subscription.

£99.50 – includes magazine subscription.

If you have any questions regarding this, please email me at spugsley@gms.bucks.sch.uk .

Yours faithfully

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