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Church of England School
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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 12 Physics Laboratory Notebook

Your child has chosen to study the A Level Physics course at Bishop Ramsey School. As such, can I take this opportunity to welcome you. We will be teaching the **AQA Physics A** specification (AQA 7407 / 7408).

As part of the A Level Physics course your child will be required to carry out practical experiments. These 'Required Practicals' form a separate part of the final assessment of the course called the 'Practical Endorsement', which will be awarded by the exam board in addition to their A Level grade on their results certificate. This requires careful records to be kept of the experiments that students have completed in a laboratory notebook, which must be purchased from the school at a cost of £11.10 before practical work can be undertaken.

Ordering and payment is made via ParentPay by selecting '**Year 12 Physics Laboratory Notebook – 2022**'. Should you have any queries with respect to payment, please contact Mrs Hagon at parentpay@bishopramsey.school. Your child should then show a copy of the ParentPay receipt (paper or screenshot) to the Science Faculty Technicians who will issue the lab book.

On a related matter, the school has not been able to secure a large enough discount on a bulk purchase of the course textbook and will therefore not be offering them for sale. If your child wants a paper copy (to supplement the online Kerboodle access purchased by the school) then you will need to source this through your favourite bookstore; ISBN 0198351860 for Year 12 only or ISBN 0198351879 for Years 12 and 13 (cheaper over the two years but quite bulky).

If you have any other questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me, tjackson@bishopramsey.school.

Yours faithfully,

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