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Dear Parents and Carers

To ensure a positive behaviour culture is maintained at St Martin's, on occasions detentions are issued for repeated behaviours. In line with our school [Behaviour Policy](#), following on from a reminder of expectations and a warning if a student continues to misbehave, a detention can be issued as a sanction. This will be logged so that all parents and carers are notified via Satchel One.

**All students are expected to attend the detention and only in rare, exceptional circumstances (e.g. a medical appointment) we will consider deferring a student's detention to the next available after-school slot. The detention will not be cancelled, and deferrals will not be accepted routinely.**

Unfortunately, failure to attend a detention will be escalated in line with the school Behaviour Policy.

On rare occasions where a deferral may be appropriate, please contact your child's Head of Year to make this request.

I would like to take this as an opportunity to thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Tatman  
**Deputy Headteacher ic Student Wellbeing**

