



RE: Year 11 GCSE Examinations and Support

Dear parents/carers,

Congratulations to the many Year 11 students who have made a successful start to their GCSE examinations this week. We will continue both this week and next week with our bespoke Year 11 timetable, incorporating final revision booster sessions to maximise student confidence and success. We really cannot stress enough how important it is for students to ensure they continue to attend their timetabled lessons and booster sessions until **22nd May**. We do not want any students to be placing themselves at a disadvantage to their peers and missing out on final revision and examination top tips. Please see the schedule for next week below:

Date	Time	Exam	Final Revision Details
Monday 11th May	8.15am		English Literature Paper 1 exam 'Warm Up' in the Main Hall with Mrs Hartley
	8.45am	English Literature Paper 1	
	Period 3		Business Studies boosters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms McClymont in the Main Hall • Mr Hayes in S107 • Miss Kenyon in the Lower Hex
	1pm	Business Paper 1	
	Period 5		Religious Studies boosters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11A with Miss Barnes in A206 • 11B with Miss Taylor (usual lesson)
	Afterschool		Biology boosters, open invite (see Class Charts). Science staff have posted the rooms in use.
Tuesday 12th May	8.15am		Religious Studies exam 'Warm Up' in the Main Hall with Miss Barnes/Miss Taylor
	8.45am	Religious Studies	
	1pm	Biology	
	3.10–4pm		Geography Paper 1 drop in Main Hall
Wednesday 13th May	8.15am		Geography Paper 1 exam 'Warm Up' with Mr Elwood in the Main Hall.





	8.45am	Geography Paper 1	
	Period 1 and Period 2		All X band Maths groups in boosters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11X1A – Mr Mills (S102) • 11X1B – Mrs Monks (E102) • 11X2A – Miss Beck (S101) • 11X2B – Mr Ruddy (E103) • 11X2C – Mr Mullin (S201) • 11X3A – Miss Lorrains (E212) • 11X3B – Mr Ward (E214)
	Period 3		All Y band Maths groups in boosters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11Y1A – Mrs Doncaster (E101) • 11Y1B – Miss Bolland (E211) • 11Y2A – Mrs Harrison (E213) • 11Y2B – Mr Newns (E104) • 11Y2C – Mrs Monks (E102) • 11Y3A – Miss Beck (S101) • 11Y3B – Dr Parsons (N203)
	Period 3		Computer Science booster S202 with Mrs Peacock
	1pm	Computer Science Paper 1	
	Period 5		All Y band Maths groups in Maths lessons as normal
	8.15am		Maths Paper 1 Exam 'Warm Up' in the Main Hall with Mr Newns
Thursday 14th May	8.45am	Maths Paper 1	
	Period 3		German booster L206 with Mrs Freebairn
	Period 3		Psychology boosters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs Jennings (S108) • Mrs Wagstaff (A113)
	1pm	Psychology Paper 2 German Writing	





	Period 5		History boosters: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Wilde (Main Hall) • Miss Howard (A202) • Mrs McGahey (A203)
Friday 15th May	8.15am		History Exam 'Warm up' with Mrs McGahey
	8.45am	History Paper I	
	3.10–4pm		Chemistry Revision in the Main Hall with Dr Dodds and Ms Cormack

As a reminder, for all afternoon exams commencing at 1pm, students will be invited to go to the canteen for an early lunch at 12.15pm and must be at their exam venues for 12.45pm, 15 minutes before the scheduled start time. Please can you support your children in ensuring that they have all the essential equipment with them to be successful in their examinations. This includes:

- Multiple black pens (ball point, no gel or erasable pens please)
- A highlighter
- Multiple pencils
- Ruler, rubber
- Scientific calculator
- Maths kit (protractor, compass).

It is also advised that all students take a bottle of water with them into their exams. As in line with JCQ regulations, please ensure that any **labels are removed and bottles are transparent**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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