



12 May 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

As we reach the end of our final week in the run up to GCSE examinations, the majority of our students are focused, motivated and well prepared for their first exam next week. We are extremely proud of the hard work they have put into their preparations over these last few weeks and the mature attitude they have demonstrated throughout. They must now ensure they continue this momentum throughout the exam period.

Today all Year 11 students have been given a revised timetable for the next week, our first full week of exams. This incorporates exams and changes to normal lessons, facilitating revision for the following day's exams. It also outlines our extensive after school revision programme, for which sessions are open to all students; we would encourage those students who struggle to revise independently at home, to attend. All students must continue to be in school full time until their final exam is completed.

It is essential throughout the exam period that students are onsite by 8.30am at the latest. Should this not be possible, or should your child be ill and unable to attend an exam, please telephone Mr Stone or myself by 8.00am at the very latest.

Our leavers' assembly will take place on Monday 26 June at 9.00am and all students will be expected to attend in full uniform. Please can we ask that students do not arrive onsite before 8.50am and they come directly to the hall via the side gate on the school drive.

We realise this will be a very anxious and sometimes stressful time for many of our students and, with this in mind, I ask that you ensure your child is getting plenty of sleep, is eating well, drinking plenty of water and managing their revision time effectively. Should you have any worries or concerns over the exam period, as always, please do not hesitate to contact us.

A reminder of the cut off dates to order the following:-

Yearbook - Monday 15 May

Leavers' hoody - Friday 26 May

Prom ticket - Monday 5 June

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Boyles

Achievement Leader - Year 11