



RE: Year 11 GCSE Exams

Dear parents/carers,

We have been incredibly proud of all Year 11 students as they have made such a positive start to their GCSE exams. They have conducted themselves incredibly well, attending each exam on time and with the necessary equipment. A huge well done to them!

Further to this, attendance to the exam warm-up sessions has been superb and students have reported how helpful they have found this and the additional final revision sessions which are scheduled the hour before their exam takes place. We will be continuing to offer these sessions next week and as such, I have placed the timetable as a reminder at the end of this letter.

I would like to remind you that we do expect all Year 11 students to be in school every day. Staff are continuing to support students with final revision and recapping key knowledge to help them, and by not attending each lesson, I am afraid that some students will be putting themselves at a disadvantage.

As mentioned in my last letter, from Monday 5th June, we will be giving Year 11 students the option of only attending school for their scheduled exams and pre-arranged revision sessions as per the support timetable. In providing more bespoke and structured support for our students throughout the entirety of the exam period, we will continue to deliver additional 'final top tips' sessions and pre-exam briefings both in the mornings and afternoons to best prepare Year 11, helping them to feel more confident and motivated. Should students have an afternoon exam, but no transport other than the morning school bus, they are welcome to complete silent study in the library provided they are respectful of the behaviour expectations for this space.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with Mr Scott, Mr Horne or myself should you have any general queries with regards to the exam period.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'E Feast'.

Mrs E Feast
Deputy Headteacher

Date	GCSE Exams AM 8.45am	Support Session		GCSE Exams PM 1pm	Final Revision Session
Monday 22nd May	Chemistry Paper 1	8.15am 'Exam Warm-Up' in the Main Hall.		Geography	Period 3 – Geography, Main Hall Mr Iddon, Mr Barnett, Mr Harman Period 5 – French, Mrs Keeping, HIGHER, L204 Miss Leigh, FOUNDATION, L206
Tuesday 23rd May	French Reading/Listening	8.15am 'Exam Warm-Up' in the Main Hall.		Religious Studies Paper 2	Period 3 – RS, A206, Miss Basset-Mahon Period 5 – English Literature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I1Y classes: go to English as normal • I1X classes: Main Hall
Wednesday 24th May	English Literature Paper 2	8.15am 'Exam Warm-Up' in the Main Hall.		Media Studies	Period 3 – Media, Miss Lorenzelli, A201 Afterschool – Physics drop-in, E315
Thursday 25th May	Physics	8.15am 'Exam Warm-Up' in the Main Hall.		Computer Science	Period 3 – Computer Science, B210, Mrs McCormick Period 5 – German students attend German lesson as normal
Friday 26 th May	German Writing	8.15am 'Exam Warm-Up' in the Library.		Psychology Chinese Writing	Period 3 – Psychology, Main Hall Mrs Wagstaff, Mrs Jennings