8 March 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 11 Examination Support and Key Dates 2022

I am writing to inform you of some key dates and also to let you know about the revision support programmes which are available to all Year 11 students in the run up to the forthcoming external examinations.

YEAR 11 EXAMINATION SUPPORT PROGRAMME 2022

Year 11 Revision Surgeries

This half term has seen the launch of countless revision support sessions or revision surgeries initially aimed at supporting Year 11 students in their forthcoming PPEs and then targeted at supporting them all the way to their public examinations. These subject–specific sessions have been advertised to students through their tutors and are available to view outside my office and they have been posted in the Year 11 google classroom.

Pre-Public Examinations (PPEs)

There will be another period of PPEs taking place between Monday 28 March and Friday 8 April. They should be treated as examinations so that all the Year 11 students get the full benefit of such practice.

YEAR 11 NON CORE PPE 2 TIMETABLE - MARCH/APRIL 2022

Date	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3
	(9:00am)	(11:30am)	(2:00pm)
Monday 28 March	Geography	Business (90) &	History
	(90)*	Economics (90)	(90)
Tuesday 29 March	French (60/75)	German (90)	Spanish (60/80)
	ELC Biology (75)	ELC Chemistry (75)	ELC Physics (75)
Wednesday 30 March	Computer Science (90) & IMedia (90)	Technology (90)	Drama (60)
Thursday 31 March	Food & Nutrition (90)	Music (90)	Physical Education (75)

^{*}Duration in minutes

YEAR 11 CORE PPE 2 TIMETABLE - APRIL 2022

Date	AM	PM
Wednesday 6 April	Mathematics 1 (90)	Triple Science: Biology (105)
		Combined Science: Biology
		(75)
Thursday 7 April	English (125)	Triple Science: Chemistry (105)
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		(75)
Friday 8 April	Mathematics 3 (90)	Triple Science: Physics (105)
		Combined Science: Physics
		(75)

Please note that on Wednesday 6 April and Thursday 7 April, Combined Science Students will finish their examinations at 2:20pm, and on Friday 8 April at 1:50pm. These students will be dismissed to study at home for examinations the following morning. Should you wish your son/daughter to stay in school until 2:55pm (2:20pm on Friday) on these three days, please contact me to make this arrangement.

EXAMINATION STUDY SUPPORT PROGRAMME 2022

Monday 25 April to Friday 13 May	The timetable will carry on for all students as normal but it will be a revision timetable with teachers leading revision sessions, rather than teaching new content.
Monday 16 May to Wednesday 25 May	Students will have examinations during this period. The timetable will carry on for all students as normal but it will be a revision timetable with teachers leading revision sessions and supporting structured revision. During this two week period there will be some changes to the school day for Yr11: • Morning Break 10:50am – 11:10am • Extended Lunch 12:05pm – 12:45pm • Earlier finish at 1:55pm to enable students to use the remainder of the day for revision.
Thursday 26 May to Monday 23 June	The timetable will cease. Students will attend school for examinations and pre-examination boosters. Subject teachers will be available when lessons would ordinarily have been timetabled to offer guidance and support. There will also be revision centre available for those who would prefer to revise in school more details to follow.
Wednesday 29 June	Exams Contingency Day – all students should be available for examinations until this date, please do not book any holidays until after this date.

NB: Full details of the support programme sessions can be found below.

Students should ensure that they attend all of their timetabled lessons in the run up to the final examinations until 25 May, after which the timetable will be suspended.

Please use the following link to access the Year 11 public examination timetable:

Vocational Subjects

Please note that students are required in lessons for vocational subjects <u>until all their assignments</u> for that subject are complete.

Pre-examination boosters

In some cases, students will have a pre-examination booster. This is a session with teaching staff to go over examination technique and key ideas and concepts immediately before the examination. Our experience shows us that these sessions put students at a real advantage and we urge you to encourage your child to attend.

Year 11 Good Luck Day and Prom

On Friday 13 May we will be holding a good luck day for students. The details of the day will be confirmed closer to the time. Please note that students will be expected back in normal lessons on Monday 16 May.

The Year 11 Prom will be on Monday 4 July for all those who have already purchased a ticket. The deadline for this has passed

Finally, please can you complete the electronic request for information form, below. It is important that we hold up to date contact numbers for you and your son/daughter. Contact details for students will only be used in the event that they have not arrived on time for a public examination. When the public examinations are complete we then destroy all student mobile numbers.

Year 11 Contact Details

I hope that this information is helpful. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Bryant Head of Year 11

