



31st March, 2021

Dear Parents & Carers,

Re: Year 11 GCSE Summer Examinations 2021

As you are aware, students will not be sitting formal GCSE exams this year. Instead, schools across England have been asked to provide grades based on student performance in school. We are running a series of internal examinations during the summer term to give students the opportunity to provide us with evidence to go towards their grades.

The first window of exams is due to start on Monday 19th April and will continue until Wednesday 28th April. The full schedule of exams has been given to students and is available on the school website and also on the Year 11 Google Classroom. The second window of exams is scheduled to start on Thursday 20th May and will run until Friday 28th May.

Other assessments that are being carried out during normal lessons are also shown on the Google Classroom.

During the exams, students must:

- Only attend school for scheduled exams
- Wear full school uniform
- Arrive on time for all of their examinations and go to the correct exam venue
- Bring the correct equipment for that exam
- Continue to follow COVID 19 rules by wearing a mask and regularly washing their hands

Students will receive a complimentary lunch if they have to stay for a second exam in a day.

Whilst at home students should:

- Use a revision timetable to prepare for their exams
- Check the student portal of the school website and the Y11 Google Classroom for updates and information

If there are any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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