



13th November 2017

Dear

Year 13 / A level Pre Public Exams – 1st December – 6th December 2017

As we enter the period running up to the Pre-Public exams, we are conscious of the need for students to get organised to ensure they are fully prepared for their forthcoming exams. Students will not be having study leave to avoid last minute cramming and a more structured approach to their revision.

We are encouraging students to start planning their revision now and create personalised timetables for each week to ensure that they get their 'to do' lists done without unnecessary stress and panic.

Students should be in lessons during the exam period. Staff are being advised that lessons will run as usual and that it is a good opportunity for students to revise in class with staff present. Therefore, support will be available should students need it. All students should bring with them revision material that can be undertaken in a classroom setting during this time or work that could be undertaken in their usual class environment. For many classes, lessons will be able to run as usual.

Alternative arrangements have been made for Art, Photography, Home Languages and Product Design outside of this exam timetable.

After Christmas students who are re-sitting AS modules will have a PPE for these exams. It is important that students continue to revise this work over the Christmas holidays.

Students taking a mix of Year 13 courses and Year 12 courses will undertake the exams for their Year 13 subjects. They will not be having exams for their Year 12 courses until February. Apart from attending their exams, they will be in lessons as usual and will need to catch up with any work missed during through sitting Year 13 exams.

Please remember if your child is struggling with any aspect of their work or life in the 6th Form, you can call one of the team, their tutor or teacher to ensure that they receive the support they need to succeed.

I wish all students taking their December exams the very best of luck mixed with lots of hard work!

Yours sincerely

Mrs A Davis
Head of Sixth Form

Year 13 Pre Public Exams Timetable December 2017

Date	Start	Examination	Place tbc	Length
Friday 1 st December	9.00	Mathematics Spanish PE 1		1 hour 30 mins 2 hours 30 mins 2 hours 30 mins
	13.00	Psychology French 1 English Literature 1		1 hour 30 mins 2 hours 30 mins 2 hours 30 mins
Monday 4 th Dec	9.00	Geography 1 Spanish 2		2 hours 30 mins 2 hours
	13.00	Business Chemistry Sociology Spanish 3		2 hours 2 hours 15 mins 1 hour 30 mins
Tuesday 5 th Dec	9.00	English Literature 2 ICT Physics Law Economics Dance		3 hours 1 hour 30 mins 2 hours 1 hour 30 mins 2 hours 2 hours
	13.00	Biology Media Politics French 2 HSC 1		2 hours 1 hour 1 hour 2 hours 1 hour 30 mins
Wednesday 6 th Dec	9.00	Further maths PE 2 Drama History French 3 GCSE Maths		1 hour 30 mins 2 hours 1 hour 45 mins 1 hour 45 mins 30 mins xxx
	13.00	Geography 2 HSC Unit 2		1 hour 15 mins 1 hour 30 mins