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Tuesday, 6th February 2024

February Half-Term Study Sessions & PPEs

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our package of support for Year 11 pupils this year, I am pleased to inform you that we are offering a significant number of additional study sessions over the half-term holiday. These are particularly important as on the week beginning 19th February, the final set of Pre-Public Examinations will start. All pupils must take these exams as seriously as they would the real exams, as should the worst happen and exams are cancelled, the exam boards will potentially use this data to help them calculate grades.

We are endeavouring to offer as much help and support to pupils as possible, and the study sessions over the holiday are another way we can offer additional learning time. It is therefore highly recommended that pupils attend the study session(s) where it has been offered.

Each study session will run for two and a half hours. If pupils are attending a session, they will need to be registered onsite at the beginning of each session. Pupils must enter school through main reception and sign in, then make their way to the correct venue. Unfortunately, there will be no lunch facilities available, so if pupils are attending both morning and afternoon sessions, they must provide their own lunch. Pupils are not expected to wear school uniform when they are in school over half-term.

A Microsoft Teams form has been created for pupils to sign up to the sessions they will be attending. Pupils must have signed up via the form by **Friday, 9th February** to help us plan for who we will be expecting. The link to the form can be found here <https://forms.office.com/e/y7UPpcg5Bp>.

A copy of both the half term timetable and the PPE timetable is attached to this letter.

Your sincerely,

Mr Fugill

Vice Principal



Year 11 PPE Timetable

Year 11 Pre-public Examinations – February 2024		
Date	Period 1 & 2	Period 4 & 5
Tuesday 20 th February	<u>Computer Science P1</u> 1 hour 30 minutes <u>RE</u> 50 minutes	<u>French & Spanish Writing</u> 1 hour/1 hour 15 minutes (4 RE clash Students)
Wednesday 21 st February	<u>English Language P1</u> 1 hour 45 minutes	<u>History P2</u> 55 minutes (2 Spanish clash students)
Thursday 22 nd February	<u>Biology</u> <u>Combined science</u> 1 hour 15 minutes <u>Triple Science</u> 1 hour 45 minutes	<u>Geography P1</u> 1 hour 30 minutes
Friday 23 rd February	<u>Maths P1</u> 1 hour 30 minutes	<u>Spanish Listening & Reading</u> 1 hour 20 minutes /1 hour 45 minutes
Date	Period 1 & 2	Period 4 & 5
Monday 26 th February	<u>English Literature P2</u> 1 hour 45 minutes	<u>Geography P2</u> 1 hour
Tuesday 27 th February	<u>Chemistry</u> <u>Combined science</u> 1 hour 15 minutes <u>Triple Science</u> 1 hour 45 minutes	<u>Computer Science P2</u> 1 hour 30 minutes <u>Health & Social Care</u> 2 hours
Wednesday 28 th February	<u>Maths P2</u> 1 hour 30 minutes	<u>History P3</u> 1 hour 20 minutes (1 Comp Sc clash student)
Thursday 29 th February	<u>Physics</u> <u>Combined science</u> 1 hour 15 minutes <u>Triple Science</u> 1 hour 45 minutes	<u>French Listening & Reading</u> 1 hour 20 minutes /1 hour 45 minutes <u>Hospitality & Catering Unit 1</u> 1 hour 20 minutes
Friday 1 st March	<u>Business Studies</u> 1 hour 30 minutes	<u>Catch-up</u> (2 Hosp & Cat clash student)

Pupils will have an earlier lunch from 12:30-1pm if they have an afternoon exam.



Year 11 Half Term Study Sessions timetable

	Monday 12 th	Tuesday 13 th	Wednesday 14 th	Thursday 15 th	Friday 16 th
Morning session (10:00 - 12:30)	Subject: Biology Session staff: JOF/KDU Room: A2 Subject: Business Session staff: JGI Room: A7	Subject: History Session staff: AMA Room: B1 Subject: Spanish Speaking (<i>Foundation</i>) Session staff: ETE Room: B13	Subject: Chemistry Session staff: JPL Room: A2 Subject: Music Session staff: LHU Room: G220	Subject: RS Session staff: EEV Room: D1 Subject: Spanish Speaking (<i>Higher</i>) Session staff: ETE Room: B13	Subject: Child Development Session staff: CWO Room: D5 Subject: Physics Session staff: GGO Room: A2
Lunch (12:30 - 13:00)	<i>Lunch provision will not be available on site so a packed lunch or alternative arrangements will need to be made. Pupils will be allowed to leave site at lunch but must sign out when leaving site and back in for afternoon sessions.</i>				
Afternoon session (13:00 - 15:30)	Subject: Art Session staff: MBR Room: C7 Subject: Dance Session Staff: SWA Room: G226/ G220 Subject: Maths (<i>Higher only</i>) Session Staff: YUD Room: G205	Subject: Spanish Reading/Listening (<i>Foundation</i>) Session staff: ETE Room: B13	/	Subject: Spanish Reading/Listening (<i>Higher</i>) Session staff: ETE Room: B13	/

External provider sessions – Impress the Examiner (Invite only)

Maths: Wednesday 14th February, 10:00 – 15:30 (Lunch provided)

English: Thursday 15th February, 10:00 – 15:30 (Lunch provided)