



Tuesday, 11 June 2024

Dear Parents/carers of Year 10 pupils

I hope this letter finds you well. As we approach the final term of this academic year, I am writing to inform you about the upcoming Pre-Public examinations for Year 10 pupils, as well as the intervention sessions that will be available to support our pupils in the lead-up to these exams.

Year 10 PPE exam timetable

The PPEs will take place from Monday, 24 June to Friday 5 July. These exams are a crucial part of our pupils' preparation for their final assessments, providing both the pupils and their teachers with valuable insights into their academic progress and areas that may need further improvement. A timetable of the PPEs can be found at the end of this letter.

Year 10 Parent Webinar

As we approach the exam period, we understand the importance of providing support and guidance to both pupils and parents alike. With this in mind, I am excited to invite you to an upcoming online webinar designed specifically to equip you with valuable insights on how to effectively support your child through this challenging time.

Title: **Supporting Your Child Through the PPE Period**

Date: **Monday 17 June**

Time: **5:00pm to 5:30pm**

Platform: **Microsoft Teams** - A link will be sent to all Year 10 parents and carers before the event

During this webinar, you will have the opportunity to:

- Gain a deeper understanding of the challenges pupils face during the PPE period.
- Learn practical strategies and techniques to support your child's academic and emotional well-being.
- Discover resources and tools to help your child manage stress and stay motivated.

If you would like a specific question to be answered, please email this to the below email address before the event: James.girling@ellisguilfordschool.org.uk

We believe that parental involvement plays a pivotal role in a pupil's academic success, and this webinar aims to empower you with the knowledge and tools necessary to make a positive impact on your child's educational journey.

Year 10 Intervention Sessions

To ensure that all pupils have the opportunity to achieve their full potential, we will be offering before and after-school intervention sessions starting from 10 June. A copy of the intervention sessions available to pupils can be found at the end of this letter.

We strongly encourage all pupils to attend these sessions as they provide a wonderful opportunity for personalised assistance and focused study time. The intervention sessions are designed to address individual learning needs and to help students develop effective revision strategies.

If you have any questions or need further information about the Year 10 examinations or the intervention sessions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office or your child's respective subject teacher.

Thank you for your continued support in ensuring the academic success of your child. Together, we can help our pupils achieve their best.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Girling
Assistant Principal



Year 10 PPE timetable

	Monday (24th June)	Tuesday (25th June)	Wednesday (26th June)	Thursday (27th June)	Friday (28th June)
Morning P1 & 2 (9am)	English Literature 1 hour 45 mins	Biology 1 hour 15 mins (Combined)	Maths Paper 1 1 hour 30 mins	Geography 1 hour 30 mins	Chemistry 1 hour 15 mins (Combined)
Afternoon P4 & 5 (1.30pm)	Health and Social Care 1 hour	History (Paper 1) 1 hour 20 mins	French listening and Reading 1 hour 20 mins (Foundation tier) 1 hour 45 mins (Higher tier)	Spanish listening and Reading 1 hour 20 mins (Foundation tier) 1 hour 45 mins (Higher tier)	Religious Studies 1 hour 15 mins Drama 40 mins

	Monday (1st July)	Tuesday (2nd July)	Wednesday (3rd July)	Thursday (4th July)	Friday (5th July)
Morning P1 & 2 (9am)	Maths Paper 2 1 hour 30 mins	English Language 1 hour 45 mins	Physics 1 hour 15 mins (Combined)	Business Studies 1 hour 30 mins	Catch-up
Afternoon P4 & 5 (1.30pm)	History Paper 2 55 mins	French and Spanish Writing 1 hour (Foundation tier) 1 hour 15 mins (Higher tier)	Computer Science 1 hour 30 mins Child Development 1 hour 15 mins	Music 1 hour 30 mins iMedia 1 hour 30 mins Hospitality and Catering 1 hour 30 mins	Catch-up



Year 10 Intervention timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast club (8.00 – 8.40)	Subject: Geography Classroom: G103	Subject: Physics Classroom: B2 Subject: English Classroom: G104	Subject: Physics Classroom: B2	Subject: Spanish Higher Classroom: A7 Subject: English Classroom: G104 Subject: Child Development Classroom: D5	
Break 1		Subject: Health and Social Care Classroom: D4	Subject: History Classroom: G202/3	Subject: Health and Social Care Classroom: D4	Subject: History Classroom: G202/3
Period 6 (15.10 – 16.10)	Subject: Art and Photography Classroom: C7 and C8 Subject: Biology Classroom: D3 Subject: Chemistry Classroom: A4 Subject: French foundation Classroom: B13	Subject: RS Classroom: D1 Subject: Business Studies Classroom: B6 Subject: Maths Classroom: G210 (Foundation) G206/G213 (Higher)	Subject: English Classroom: G112 Subject: Geography Classroom: G103	Subject: Art and Photography Classroom: C7 and C8 Subject: Spanish Foundation Classroom: A7 Subject: CNAT Sport coursework G224 Subject: Computer Science Classroom: B6	Subject: French higher Classroom: B10 Subject: Spanish Higher Classroom: A7 Subject: CNAT Sport coursework G224