

Dear Parent/Carer and Students

**Year 12 Test Weeks, June 2022**

Students will be starting their Year 12 test weeks on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2022. A copy of the timetable for these exams is attached. These exams are a chance for the students to sit assessments in formal circumstances so that they can get a chance to experience what the real things will be like next year. This is all the more important this year as students did not sit GCSE examinations last Summer. Students should take the exams very seriously and begin to prepare now for them. We expect them to be able to demonstrate that they have made significant progress in all of their subject areas.

Year 12 students will be on study leave during these exams and so do not need to attend their normal lessons. Study leave commences on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June and they should return to school on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June for Futures Week (more details about Futures Week to follow).

The morning exams will start at 8.55 am and afternoon exams will start at 12.30 pm. If students find they have an exam clash within the timetable they must see Michèle or Sam in the Exams Office as a matter of urgency to reschedule one of their exams.

Students must not wear watches (including Apple watches, fitbits etc) during this assessment period. Therefore, please ensure that they are not brought to school during this time as we cannot be responsible for any loss or damage whilst exams are taking place.

A reminder that students should not have phones on them in the tests and they must only bring see-through pencil cases/drink bottles into the tests.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

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