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May 2026

Year 11 Examinations

Dear Parents and Carers,

Tomorrow marks the start of written exams for Year 11. Many of our students have sat their MFL orals and art exams and their attitude towards preparation for these has been excellent.

Exam seating plans

Please ensure your child checks the Bromcom app for exam seating plans. Seating plans will also be made available in the main corridor of the school.

Uniform and equipment

Students must attend exams in uniform. Equipment for exams must be in a clear pencil case, with a clear water bottle. The water bottle must not have a logo. Students cannot rely on invigilators providing equipment as this slows the exam start time and unfair on students waiting to start the exam.

Exam desks

The school has invested in new exam desks for this academic year. Student desks will be inspected prior to each exam. At the end of the exam any damage (scratches, indents, writing) will be noted, and the exam desk will need replacing at a cost to the student/parent/carer.

Punctuality

Students must be punctual to exams. Late entries to exam environments may disrupt the exam experience for others. Students must attend exam spaces 15 minutes prior to the exam start time. All students are expected to attend the exam briefings to ensure punctuality.

Student illness must be reported to the school before the start of exams.



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7 May – 22 May

During this time, the school day will look slightly different for our students. Please see the day outlined below.

Time	Activity
8.40am	<i>Students in AM exam to Main Hall for exam briefing and then moving to exam hall/room for 8.50am. Students not in AM exam to attend tutor time and morning lessons as usual.</i>
11.30am	<i>Any students who are not completing AM exam should attend Period 3</i>
12.00	<i>Students in PM exam to attend Main Hall for exam briefing. Students in PM exam begin lunch at 12.15pm Students not in PM exam stay in lesson until 12.30pm. Students in PM exam move to exam hall/room by 12.45pm.</i>
1.10pm	<i>Students not in PM exam attend Period 4 lesson as per timetable.</i>

1 June until the end of GCSE examinations

From this date students will only be expected in school for their exams. If a Year 11 student is unable to travel independently to and from the school, a study room will be available for them to use.

Students should let Mr Jukes know in advance if they intend on being in school on any given day. This must be done before 1 June.

Students not in an exam, who are studying on site, must register in the morning with student services who will have access to the list of students expected on site.

Morning exam briefings will be at 8.40am in the main hall. Morning exams will start at 8.50am. Afternoon exam briefings will be at 12noon in the hall and exams will start at 12.45pm.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr J Nash
Assistant Headteacher



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