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Dear Respected Parent/Carer of Year 11

Assalaamu alaikum - Peace be with you

## **Ref: Getting Exam Ready**

It is finally here...the term where all your child's hard work culminates in external examinations! This letter outlines a few key notices to help guide you and your child as we work towards the exam weeks.

### Coursework

Teachers have given clear coursework deadlines to all pupils for the completion of all non-examined assessment work (NEA or coursework). All coursework should now be complete. It is unethical and against exam board regulations to let some of the cohort have extra time. Please check with your child that all work has now been completed for Creative iMedia, Sports Studies and Art.

#### **Exams**

The final round of French speaking exams start on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May and written examinations start from **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May** and continue until **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** (Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June is contingency day). Pupils have been given an individualised exam timetable showing the date and time of the exams they are completing. The exam timetable is also on our school website. Please do ensure you are familiar with when exams are taking place to support your daughter.

### **Exam Period Timetable**

Our teachers work tirelessly to deliver the curriculum and get pupils exam ready. This includes delivering masterclasses and exam preparation sessions throughout the exam period. From Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May until Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June our Year 11 pupils will receive an **adapted timetable** that allows them to have lessons with subject experts the day before and on the day of the exams. This bespoke Exam Ready Timetable will be given out to pupils on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May. It is our expectation that all pupils attend school like normal until Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June. Attendance at school is mandatory.

# **Celebration events**

On Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June we will host our celebration assembly and shirt signing event. Over the coming days you will receive information about our End of Year Celebration trip to Thorpe Park on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June. You will also receive information about our Leavers Celebration Evening on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July. Leaver's hoodies can be ordered via MS Teams until Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May.

## Date for your diary – GCSE Results Day

GCSE results day will be **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> August** and the school will be open for results collection from **8am.** Further guidance on this will come out closer to the date.

Thank you for the support you have given your daughter and the school throughout your child's time with us.

**Yours Sincerely** 

Lisa Kiely

**Deputy Principal** 

