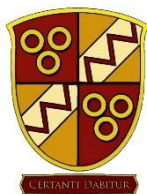


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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 11 School Examinations

Thursday 21st March – Thursday 28th March

Please be advised of the examinations which are scheduled to take place as detailed above. A copy of the timetable is attached and we would ask that you ensure it is prominently displayed at home and that it is used to plan a revision timetable.

These examinations will provide important information regarding your child's current progress. Attendance throughout this examination series must be one hundred percent. Please ensure your child is not absent for any reason whatsoever.

During this series pupils should only attend the Academy to take their exams. Prompt attendance for these exams is extremely important. All pupils have access to revision material from each Department. Pupils have been advised to visit our revision website – oldershawrevision.weebly.com – where revision resources for each subject can be found. In addition, pupils can also access other websites for revision including BBC Bitesize and Channel 4 Learning. You should also have received a copy of the Oldershaw Revision Guide at our recent Parents' Evening, which gives essential advice on preparing for exams.

We are confident our pupils will do their best and achieve good results. Please continue to encourage your child to revise every evening and structure the revision to the examination timetable. There is no substitute for hard work. If you do not have a copy of our Revision Guide, or if you require any further information about the examinations, please do not hesitate to contact Ms Young, Progress Leader, or Mr Jones, Exams Officer at the Academy.

Please note

The first exam of the day begins at 8:35 a.m. Morning registration will take place in the exam room and that pupils should attend at the place of examination rather than their form room.

On Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th pupils who take Art, but who are not involved in an exam should attend the Art rooms for additional tuition.

Some pupils will have periods of time in the day when they do not have an examination. If they do not have an examination they may return home to revise. Pupils must return promptly for their next scheduled examination. Should you wish your child to remain onsite a suitable revision space will be made available to them.

All access to and from the Academy site later than the start of the Academy day must be via the Attendance Office at the Burns Avenue entrance.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Liddell / Mr J Bush
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