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Dear Parent/Carer

Firstly I would like to congratulate our students on their hard work and commitment to challenging A level study and BTEC assignments so far this year. We hope students had a well-deserved break over the Christmas holidays and are ready to start a challenging but rewarding year.

This year taking into account student voice and staff feedback we have created two exam weeks. The first being on 10th February 2020 and the second on 18th May 2020.

During these two weeks students will be sitting exams in the main hall with formal external exam invigilators. Each day the exam will be started by a member of the senior leadership team. To enable students to get a real feel for the exam period they will be granted study leave for these five days, only coming in for their timetabled exams. These exams will be marked by our subject staff and the grades will be communicated in a formal results afternoon on Wednesday 11th March at 12:30pm. As there are no exams in BTEC subjects, students studying BTEC's **must** continue to attend lessons. **If an exam clashes with a BTEC lesson, the exam should take priority.** Please find attached the full exam timetable. Exams will not be able to be sat at different times. If students have a clash, they will need to sit exams consecutively.

We want to prepare students with the best chance of success in their final exams and to help equip them with the skills they need to persevere through an intense exam period. We also want students to understand exactly how they are progressing towards their individual targets. These exams should be taken seriously and revision is essential.

Any student who performs lower than a D will meet their Head of Year and a support programme will be put into place. There is an expectation that improvements will be made before the May exams. If grades do not improve there will be a discussion around the continuation on these subjects.

You can help during this period by discussing with your son/daughter their recent monitoring and look to reflect on any comments from staff.

We enclose some information about positive revision techniques.

Yours faithfully

Miss R McCairns
Director of Sixth Form

Enc. Timetable, Revision Guide



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