



23 April 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 11 GCSE study dates

With the PPE assessments now complete and students starting to receive feedback, whether this is individual feedback on their papers or whole class feedback on skills needing to develop, it is now time for students to start thinking about the next stage in their GCSE assessment:

- Summer assessments will take place between 10-26 May;
- Timetables will be issued to students during the next week;
- No assessments will take place on 13 and 14 May;
- Students will only be expected to come into school when they have an assessment. If students have two or more assessments in one day, they will be welcome to stay in school but must be in supervised rooms preparing independently for their next assessment.

As mentioned previously, students will not receive feedback on the summer assessments.

If a student has to isolate during the assessment period, they will be able to take their assessment using online tools. Students may be called into school during periods when they do not have assessments if subjects require them to provide further evidence for the Centre Assessed Grades. We will provide as much notice of this as possible. Students may be asked to hand in assessment books for subjects once the summer assessments have finished.

Year 11 will have an opportunity to have a celebration with the rest of their year group on Thursday 27 May. After the half term break, students will not be required to return to school however we will be providing students with additional work and guidance to help them prepare for the next steps in their education. This will be made available to students via their Google Classroom.

Should you have any queries regarding this, please contact Mr Bandy, Head of Year or myself.

Yours sincerely

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