



12th February 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

YEAR 11 PRE-PUBLIC EXAMS

I am writing to you to let you know that our final round of pre-public exams takes place from Monday 22nd February to Monday March 7th 2016. These crucial exams are part of the preparation process leading up to of your child's GCSE exams. A copy of the Pre-public exams timetable is enclosed. In addition to this timetable, please see below details of the English examinations:

- AQA Controlled Assessment (Shakespeare and Literary Heritage): 8th-11th March 2016
- IGCSE Speaking and Listening for 11P and Sixth Form Groups: 21st-24th March 2016.
- All other Year 11 groups will take their Speaking and Listening Examinations: 11-15th April 2016.

There will be an average of three examinations each day and students are expected to arrive to school, every day, in time for registration at 8.35am. Where your child does not have an exam in a particular session, they are expected to attend their regular timetabled lesson.

Your child is expected to arrive at the Exams Hall fully equipped with at least two black pens, a pencil and a ruler. Subjects such as Maths, Business and Science will, additionally, require a calculator and a maths set.

Please note that most colleges and sixth form schools require a minimum of 5 grade A*-C passes including Maths and English for entry onto level 3 and A level courses.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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Assistant Headteacher