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Dear Parent / Carer

As you will be aware Year 11 students are preparing for their final examinations which commence in the week beginning **5th May 2025**.

Study Leave

Thursday 8th May

Lessons and registration for all Year 11 students as usual.

Drama and Citizenship students to attend examinations and all other subject lessons this day.

Friday 9th May – Friday 23rd May

Study leave will commence.

All timetabled lessons will run as normal even if the examination(s) in that subject has/have been completed.

Where examinations in a subject have been completed, students may turn up to their normal timetabled room and revise for their other examinations.

Students will be encouraged to attend lessons but may leave site after their last examination of the day or between examinations if there are 2 on a day. Any student leaving site during the school day must sign out using the QR code displayed on the A frames in the main quad area. Any student who has an exam in the morning must attend the morning registration period, with their tutor, to be registered. During the school day, if students return to the school site, they must sign back in using the QR code.

From Monday 3rd June

Only lessons of subjects in which examinations have not yet taken place will continue to run in normal timetabled slots. Students are encouraged to attend as many of these as possible to continue with the revision process and preparation for their final examinations. Students are to sign in and out of school using the QR code on the A frames in the main quad area.

Please note that once a student has signed out of GMS, they will no longer be the responsibility of GMS but the responsibility of parents/carers. We strongly advise students to stay on the school site between examinations to maximise their revision and preparation for exams.

Exam Preparation and Revision

We have been so pleased with the cohort's commitment to their exam preparation and revision shown. A reminder to all that revision should be continuous throughout the exam period to prepare

best for the GCSE Exams. Students have been advised by their class teachers where to utilise suitable revision materials for each of their subjects.

Managing stress websites:

- [Calm Website \(App available\)](#)
- [Young Minds Website](#)
- [NHS Every Mind Matters](#)

I wish all year 11 students the very best in their revision and look forward to supporting them through the GCSE exams.

Yours faithfully

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