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Dear Parent / Carer

Re: GCSE EXAMINATIONS – SUMMER 2019

As you are aware the GCSE Summer 2019 period runs from 13th May – 14th June and as pointed out in an earlier letter your child must be available to sit any exam up until 26th June. This year the exam board regulators have planned a contingency period should any national disruption arise.

Each morning from 8am there will be a breakfast club for all exam candidates. The teachers from that department will be in the hall where they will provide reassurance and go over any last minute student queries. With this in mind it would be of great benefit for your child to arrive in school no later than 8.10am.

Would you please remind your child that they must have all the necessary equipment with them to sit the exam.

Students sitting an afternoon exam will come down for lunch at 12.15pm and then line up at 12.45pm. We aim to start all our afternoon exams at the earliest possible time of 1pm. Some exams are nearly 2 hours duration so please be aware that alternative transport might be needed for those who use the school bus service. We would be most grateful if you could check your child's exam timetable and discuss the arrangement for getting home with them. Further copies of exam timetables are available on request from the exam office.

Over the last few weeks members of the senior leadership team have been meeting with Y11 on a one to one basis. Their approach and maturity has been really encouraging. Please pass on our thanks and congratulations for all their hard work and may we take this opportunity to thank you for all your continued support over the years.

Yours sincerely

T McCabe

Mr T McCabe

