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Year 11 Information Evening Class of 2026

To be included tonight:

- Overview of the rest of the year.
- Final reminder – revision techniques!
- Information about exam period.
- Year 11 Celebrations!





Year group photo

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Year 11

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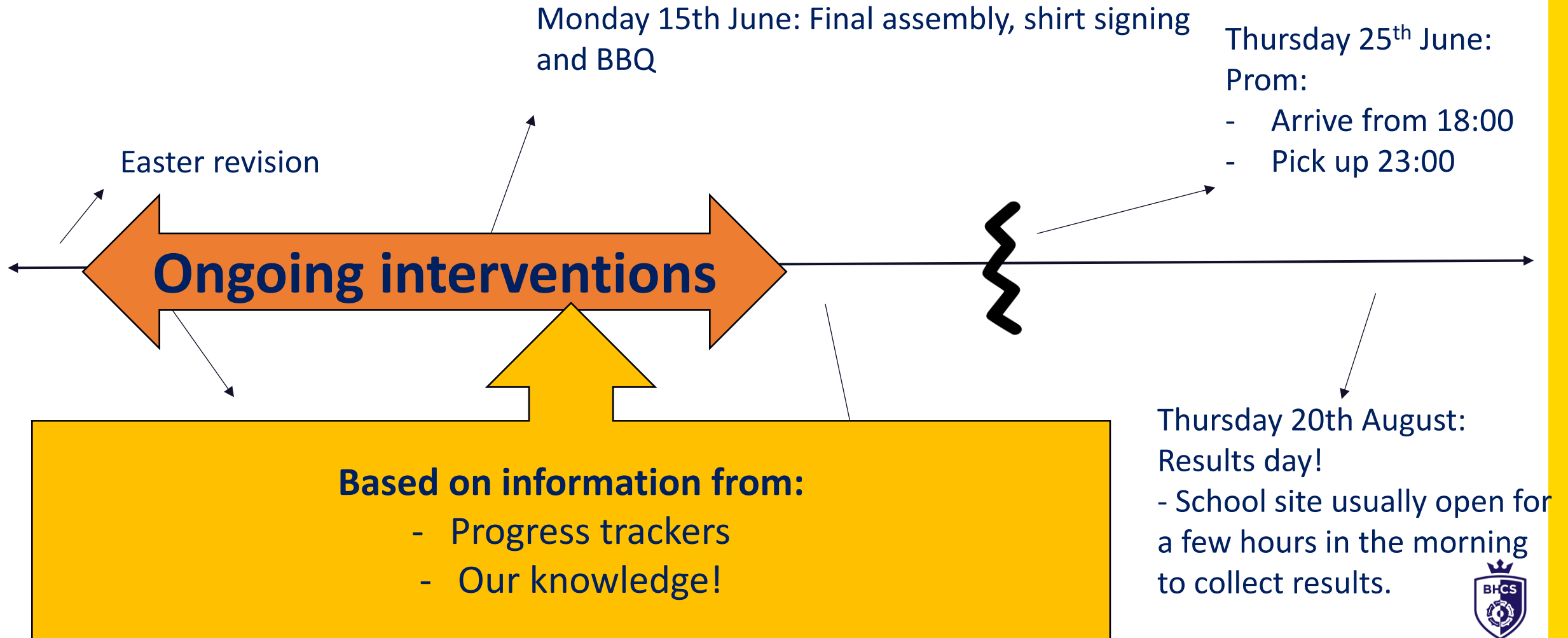
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Timeline for the rest of Year 11



The last push!

This is not time to take your foot off the gas!:

- Just because you've attended Easter Revision/Zone 11/are hitting your EAP on your progress tracker doesn't mean you've got it in the bag just yet!
- The next few weeks could be the difference between a 3 and a 4, between getting the college course you want and having to take a foundation course.
- **How can you maximize the next few weeks?!**





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Revision Plans



Zone 11 revision session

ZONE 11 SCHEDULE

CLASS OF 2026

April 2026



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Monday

3:00pm
Maths - M rooms
Drama - Te7
Food - Te2
GCSE PE - V2

Tuesday

7:30am
Combined
Science - S8

Lunch 12:20pm
French - H8
Business - Te8

3:00pm
Maths - M rooms
English - L rooms
DT - Te5
Art - A1
Photography - A1
Food - Te2
Spanish speaking -
WHR

Wednesday

7:30am
Triple Science - S8

Thursday

3:00pm
History - H1
Geography - H10
Art - A1
Photography - A1
Drama - LP
DT - Te5
Food - Te2

Friday

3:00pm
Food - Te2
IT - Te8
Combined Sci - S8
Art A1
Photography A1
Business - Te8

Target should now be multiple sessions per week!

Be specific – don't just follow the crowd.

This supplements, not replaces, at home revision.



Year 11 Work Space

Every morning 7:45-8:25

Quiet, supervised space to work and revise.



H4

Tutor revision sessions

When?	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
AM	Create the plan!		Numeracy		Whole School Personal Development		
PM			Assembly				
Evening	Zone 11	Zone 11		Zone 11	Zone 11	Rest	Rest

You should have a plan for the revision sessions!

There are 8 sessions a week!

Revision techniques

Most will have this but now isn't too late!

We can teach about it as much as we like, and provide some opportunities to facilitate revision, but it's at home where the majority of revision happens!

Key three steps for revision:

1. Work out what you need to revise
2. Work out how much time you can devote to revising.
3. Input your specific subjects/topics into your timetable!



Revision – step 1!



Work out what you need to revise:

- **Use revision guides, exercise books and teachers to work out where your 'blind spots' are.**
- **Make a check list for each subject.**

Revision – step 2!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00am	School	School	School	School	School	Football Training	
10:00am							
11:00am							
12:00am							
1:00pm							
2:00pm							
3:00pm							
4:00pm							
5:00pm							
6:00pm			Football Training				
7:00pm							
8:00pm	Relax!	Relax!		Relax!	Relax!	Relax!	Relax!
9:00pm							
10:00pm							

Work out how much time you can devote to revising:

- ***Structure is your friend!***
- ***Work out exactly what you will be doing for each day the next few weeks (even if it's relaxing/seeing friends) and stick to it!***

Revision – step 3!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00am	School	School	School	School	School	Football Training	
10:00am							
11:00am							
12:00am							
1:00pm							
2:00pm							
3:00pm							
4:00pm							
5:00pm	History						
6:00pm	Biology		Football Training				
7:00pm							
8:00pm	Relax!	Relax!	Football Training	Relax!	Relax!	Relax!	Relax!
9:00pm							
10:00pm							

Input your specific subjects into your timetable!

- ***Plot in subjects or topics from your checklist.***
- ***Don't do more than 1 hour of revision per subjects at a time.***
- ***Be prepared ahead of time, so you don't spend 20 minutes of each session getting ready.***

During the GCSEs!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00am	School	School	School	School	School	Football Training	
10:00am							
11:00am							
12:00am							
1:00pm							
2:00pm							
3:00pm							
4:00pm							
5:00pm	History						
6:00pm	Biology		Football Training				
7:00pm							
8:00pm	Relax!	Relax!	Football Training	Relax!	Relax!	Relax!	Relax!
9:00pm							
10:00pm							

During the GCSEs...

- *This should look much the same, but with GCSEs/booster sessions plotted in.*
- *This will need to be a week by week timetable, not the same one every week.*



3 STAGE ATTACK



Condense

Retrieve

Test

CONDENSE

- Flash cards
- Mind maps
- Knowledge organiser
- Notes

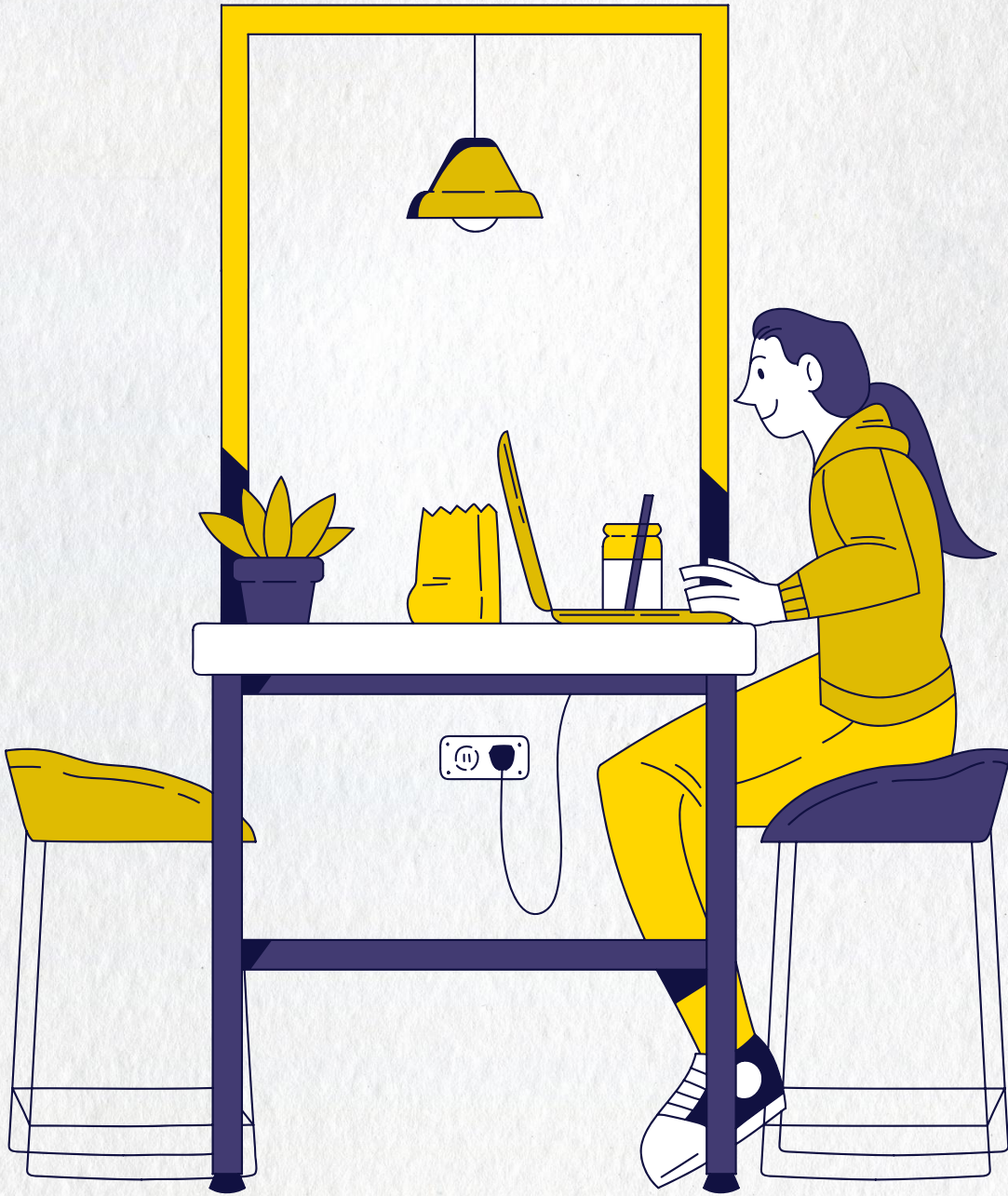


RETRIEVE

- Use the flashcards
- Filling in knowledge organisers
- Be the expert!
- How much can you remember from a subheading?
- Use revision guide to answer exam questions



TEST AND REVIEW



Review to see how much you know now!

- Past papers
- Exam questions
- Re-RAG



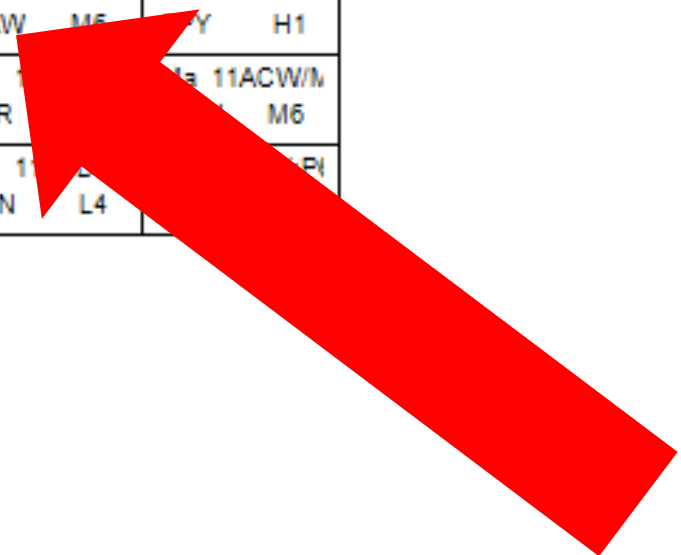
PAST PAPERS

Doing past papers helps with exam technique and gets you used to the style of questioning. Mark your own past papers to get to grips with the marking and grading structure.

May half term

During the May half term break...

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
P1	En 11ACR/E CXR L3	En 11ACR/E CXR L3	Ma 11ACW/W CAW M6	Pe 11ARO/P ROS	Gg 11Z/Gg1 LXR H10
P2	En 11ACR/E CXR L3	En 11ACR/E CXR L3	Ma 11ACW/W CAW M6	En 11ACR/E CXR L3	Gg 11Z/Gg1 LXR H10
P3	Sc 11SCE/Sx MHD S6	Sc 11SCE/Sx SCE S6	Sc 11SCE/Sx SCE S6	Ma 11ACW/W CAW M6	Hs 11Y/Hs2 SPY H1
P4	Sc 11SCE/Sx MHD S6	Sc 11SCE/Sx SCE S6	Sc 11SCE/Sx SCE S6	Ma 11ACW/W CAW M6	Hs 11Y/Hs2 SPY H1
P5	Bs 11X/Bs1 WME TE8	Dr 11W/Dr1 JNN THEAT	Bs 11X/Bs1 WME TE8	Gg 11Z/Gg1 LXR H10	Ma 11ACW/W CAW M6
P6	Hs 11Y/Hs2 SPY H1	Dr 11W/Dr1 JNN THEAT	Bs 11X/Bs1 WME TE8	Dr 11W/Dr1 JNN THEAT	Pe 11ARO/P ROS



- ***Encourage your children to follow their school timetable (breaks and all) to structure their revision.***
- ***At this stage, 1 week off could be a big setback – don't let other people out do you!***



Revision Tips



Set up the perfect study space

Make sure it's well lit, not too hot or cold and is quiet enough for you to work.



Start with the biggest or most difficult

It might seem easier to start with the smallest and easiest bits but by tackling the biggest, most challenging topics first you'll feel more confident in the long run.



Take regular breaks

It's important to ensure you take regular breaks, you need to rest your brain to process the information you're learning. Arrange time with friends and family or watch a bit of Netflix (just be sure not to binge-watch a whole series).



Eat healthily

Make sure to eat three healthy meals a day and limit your caffeine and sugar intake. Power foods for your brain include blueberries, salmon and nuts, so be sure to stock up!



Look ahead and make a plan

Look at your exam timetable and create a revision plan based on it. It'll help keep your revision organised.



Use the best methods for you

By now, you'll know which revision techniques work best for you but don't be afraid to use a new one if you're struggling to absorb a topic. Do whatever works best for you.



Move distracting apps out of view

Your phone can be a huge help for revision, but also a distraction. Move any apps that are likely to distract you to the last page, so you aren't tempted. Add apps that can help you (like the GCSEPod app) to your phone's home screen as a reminder to keep up your revision.



Exercise

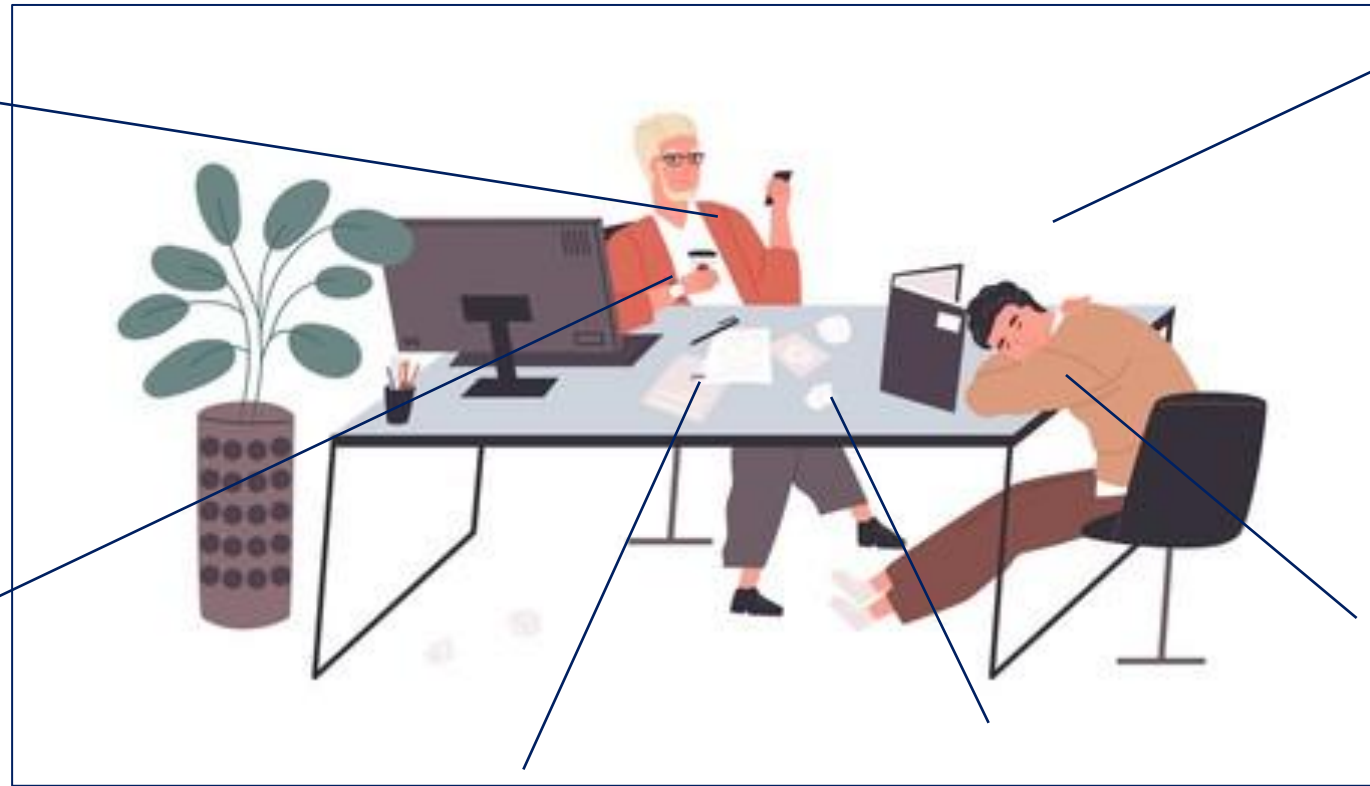
A healthy body = a healthy mind. Try to do at least 20 minutes of physical activity a day to help improve focus and stay relaxed.

Distractions!

Not having your phone to distract your attention!

Eating right!

Avoid too much caffeine/sugar!



Revision style!

Stick to how you learn best (either on PC, on paper etc.)

Organisation!

Keeping a tidy work space (clear desk, clear mind!)

Find your space!

Don't just squeeze in – set up your own area to suit you!

Sleeping pattern!

Aim for the full 8 hours!

Support with student well being:



- Trust the process... we've done this before!
- Support from the Well Being Centre (1:1, exam anxiety workshops, drop-ins)
- Lean into revision tips from tonight and from workshops throughout the year.
- **Sensible expectations about revision** (*be the your best*)

Support with student well being:

NHS
Hampshire Child and Adolescent
Mental Health Services

BEST VERSION OF YOU

EXAM STRESS

How to manage exam stress

WHAT ARE WE TALKING ABOUT?

Lots of people will struggle with a school issue at some point and most people feel worried and stressed about tests and exams. You are not alone.

If you notice that you're feeling worried a lot of the time, or that your worries are getting in the way of everyday life (such as going to school, seeing friends or doing activities you enjoy) this is probably a sign you need to tell someone how you are feeling and get some help.

WHAT MIGHT EXAM STRESS LOOK LIKE?

- Problems with sleep (difficulties getting to or staying asleep, waking up very early in the morning or having nightmares).
- Avoidance of anything to do with school, studying or exams, OR overworking; spending long periods of time revising, not wanting to take breaks or do other activities, especially hobbies.
- Comparing yourself to others and worrying about not doing as much or achieving as much as other people.
- Having lots of "what if" thoughts (such as "what if I fail and don't get into college/university?") which can mean you feel too worried to try things.
- Becoming more easily upset.
- Feeling tired and as though you have no energy.
- Struggling with concentration and motivation; feeling hopeless ('what is the point?').
- Having physical (body) feelings such as a racing heart rate, quicker breathing, upset tummy, feeling sick, feeling dizzy or faint, sweaty hands.
- Not looking after yourself (not eating enough/ eating too much, not showering or washing regularly, not being physically active).

WHAT TO DO:

- Tell someone how you are feeling no matter what your worries are. There will be someone who will listen and try to support you.
- Although worrying, remember these feelings cannot harm you. Tell yourself that you are anxious before, then feelings passed, then you were ok. If you use activities, such as TV, spending time reading, making time listening to music, manage until you feel better.
- Look after your physical and emotional health:
 - Eating and drinking well
 - Getting enough rest
 - Being organised and pacing work
 - Taking regular revision and study breaks including having days off
- Have down time; and spend time with family.
- Taking part in regular activity.
- There is a lot of information on the Hampshire CAMHS website for young people/schools: hampshirecamhs.nhs.uk

DIAL UP, DIAL DOWN

Tick the activity that you tried & write "H" if it helped you to manage the feelings you experienced

DIAL UP MY ENERGY

TAKE A COLD SHOWER

DANCE

SING

TRAMPOLINE

JUMP

SKIP

SCOOTER

LISTEN TO LOUD/FAST MUSIC

DIAL DOWN MY ENERGY

COOK OR BAKE

READ

ARTS & CRAFTS

WATCH A FILM/TV

LISTEN TO CALM MUSIC

WALK

IDENTIFY AND RATE YOUR EMOTION

0/10 = no emotion 10/10 = maximum intensity of emotion

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
☹️ SAD							
😡 ANGRY							
😟 WORRIED							
😐 EMPTY							
😫 TIRED							
😊 HAPPY							
😌 CALM							

Our emotions can change regularly so it can be useful to keep a track on how you are feeling and how strong these feelings are. This is so that you can see how your moods change throughout the day and week. When we are feeling sad or worried we can sometimes think that we will always feel this way but by tracking our mood you will be able to see how it can vary. If you notice that you are feeling sad, worried or angry regularly this might be a good time to ask for help and talk to someone about how you are feeling.



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Exam Period



On the Day

- Know your exam **time**
- Know your exam **seat**
- Know your exam **room**

Check what equipment you need – ask if you need something!

Regardless of illness, anxiety, stress you must come in and write your name on the exam paper.

Remember we are here to help!



Booster sessions

- Ahead of all exams, students will be expected to attend a 'booster' session. These will be
 - 8:15-8:45AM for AM exams
 - 11:30-12:20 for 1:00 and 1:30PM exams
- These should not be something you rely on – they are there as an added bonus!
- Students may not have their teacher, but you will have access to a session!



After Half Term

No formal study leave

Same procedure as the past 5 years

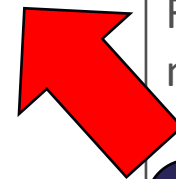
Students are expected to attend all lessons and booster sessions until they have completed all exams for that subject

Students must be signing in/out via the community entrance.



After Half Term

Week Beginning	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
01/06/26	PE (9AM) Italian (9AM) German (1:30PM)	Physics (9AM) Polish (1PM) Portuguese (1:30PM) Statistics (1:30PM) Media (1:30PM)	Mathematics (9AM) Geography (1:30PM)	History (9AM) French (1:30PM)	English Language (9AM) Music (1:30PM)
08/06/26	Biology (9AM) French (1:30PM)	Spanish (9AM)	Mathematics (9AM) DT (1PM)	Geography (9AM) Food and nutrition (1PM)	Chemistry (9AM) Statistics (1:30PM) Portuguese
15/06/26	Physics (9AM)	Spanish (9AM)	Spanish (9AM)		



For example students will attend all Maths lessons until 10th June

Information for GCSE exams

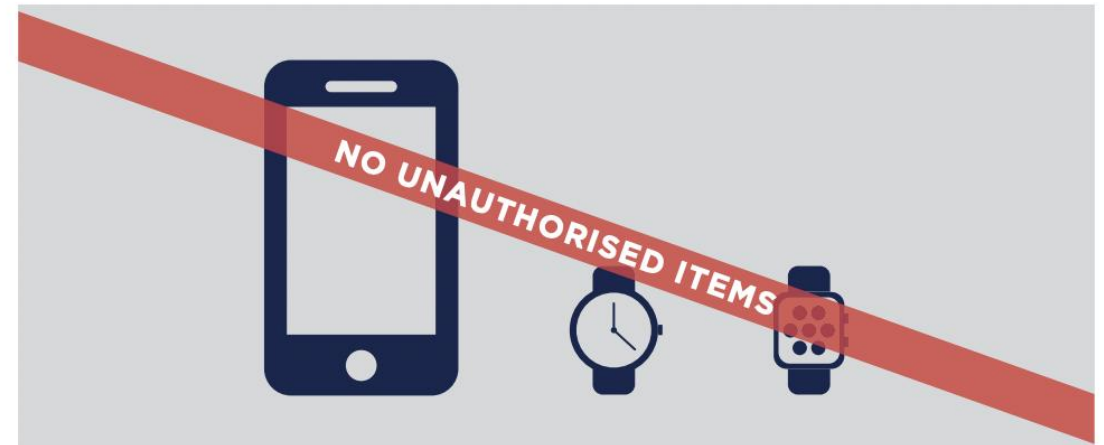
Warning to Candidates

1. You **must** be on time for all your examinations.
2. **Possession of a mobile phone** or other unauthorised material is **not allowed** even if you do not intend to use it. You will be subject to penalty and possible disqualification from the exam/qualification.
3. You **must not** talk to, attempt to communicate with or disturb other candidates once you have entered the examination room.
4. You **must** follow the instructions of the invigilator.
5. You **must not** sit an examination in the name of another candidate.
6. You **must not** become involved in any unfair or dishonest practice in any part of the examination.
7. If you are confused about anything, only speak to an invigilator.

The *Warning to Candidates* must be displayed in a prominent place outside each examination room. This may be a hard copy A3 paper version or an image of the poster projected onto a wall or screen for all candidates to see.

**NO MOBILE PHONES
NO WATCHES**

**NO POTENTIAL TECHNOLOGICAL/WEB
ENABLED SOURCES OF INFORMATION**



Possession of unauthorised items, such as a mobile phone or any watch, is a serious offence and could result in

DISQUALIFICATION

from your examination and your overall qualification.



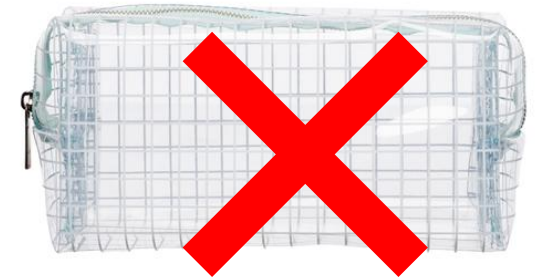
Water Bottles in Exams

Drink bottles must be transparent with all labels and writing removed.





Pencil Cases



Before Half Term

Week Beginning	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
27/04/26					Functional skills (9am) Travel and Tourism (1PM)
04/05/26		Health and Social Care (9AM)		German (1:30PM)	Latin 9AM Drama 1PM
11/05/26	English Literature (9AM) Business (1:30PM)	RS (9AM) Biology (1:00PM)	Geography (9AM) Computer science (1:30PM)	Maths (9AM) German (1:30PM)	History (9AM) IT and Latin (1:30PM)
18/05/26	Chemistry (9AM) Media(1:30PM) Sports science (1:30PM)	English Literature (9AM) Computer Science (1:30PM)	French (9AM) RS (1PM)	English language (9AM) Business (1PM) Latin (1:30PM)	PE (9AM) Italian (9AM)

After Half Term

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15/06/26	Physics (9AM)	Spanish (9AM)	Spanish (9AM)		



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Celebrations



Leavers Day – 15th June

9:00 – 10:45 Science Exam

11:00 – 12:00 Field celebration

12:00 – 12:50 Shirt signing – bring 2 shirts!

12:50 – 14:10 Last assembly

14:10 onwards BBQ, football and rounders



Key dates:

**Prom: 25th June
2026**

Payment schedule:

Instalment 1:

£15.00 31/10/2025

Instalment 2:

£15.00 31/01/2026

Instalment 3:

£15.00 31/03/2026

Instalment 4:

£15.00 31/05/2026

Total: £60

paid through

ParentPay

CLASS OF 2026

Prom

Start time: from 18.00, parents are welcome to join us on the lawn at Oakley Hall to welcome students as they arrive

Farewell & Carriages: 23.00

YEARBOOKS AND HOODIES

Once we are ready, our suppliers will provide a link, which will be sent to you via emails and you will be able to place orders individually.

Yearbook: £29.99, Hoodie: £28.99

At the end of our time together

Please consider donating to the school!

- Uniform – blazer, ties, PE kit, shirts, trousers, skirts
- Revision guides
- Any equipment that you will no longer need.

ParentPay – please email finance.bhcs@sfet.org.uk to transfer any unused funds



You can take the student out of BHCS...

- Remember, you are representing yourselves (and the school) until the very last day and beyond.
- Our cornerstones should be seen as something to live by, not just something for when you are in school.
- Keep in touch!





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**Thank you for all your support over
the last 5 years!**