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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Exams information

As we approach the end of term, I wanted to write with further detail about the organisation for year 11 students over the holidays, and for next term.

Holiday Sessions

The school will be open during the May holidays for additional study sessions and general revision. For study sessions, it would be expected that a student attends a whole session where possible, although it is understandable that they may attend part of a session if there is a clash with an examination. Students will need to sign in and out at reception. Students do not need to wear school uniform if they are only coming in for a support session or revision.

Breakfast (morning exam) and lunch (afternoon exam) will be provided only for students in an exam. Students can bring in their own food, but all hot food and drink must be consumed in our designated restaurant area. In addition to the revision sessions, students are also welcome to attend school to use our facilities between 8.00am and 4.00pm during the holidays. Students will be permitted to come and go as they please for general revision and supervision will be on an informal basis, but students must stay in designated areas of the school. The normal behaviour and safety expectations apply. The revision sessions offered during the May break are in green below:

	Monday 15th May	Tuesday 16th May	Wednesday 17th May	Thursday 18th May	Friday 19th May
Morning 9.30am to 11.30am Afternoon 12.30pm to 2.30pm	Sociology Revision – GWT 9.00am to 12.00pm Drop in session for bank of revision and exam technique materials 9.00am – 12.00pm All Sociology Students	Combined and Triple Science Exam Biology Sports Hall Arrival by 8.30am Examinations will begin at 9.00am ALL STUDENTS	Paper 1: English Literature Exam Sports Hall Arrival by 8.30am Examinations will begin at 9.00am ALL STUDENTS	History Exam Sports Hall Arrival by 8.30am Examinations will begin at 9.00am ALL STUDENTS	Maths Paper 1 (Non-Calculator) Sports Hall Arrival by 8.30am Examination will begin at 9.00am ALL STUDENTS
	Early Lunch Required	Early Lunch required			Early Lunch required
	Drama Exam Sports Hall Arrival by 12.30 Examination will begin at 1.00pm All Drama students	Sociology Exam Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30 Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All Sociology Students	History Revision - B107 12:30 - 14:30 America and Cold War All History students	Chinese/Listening/Reading Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30 Examination will begin at 1:00pm.	Computer Science Sports Hall Arrival by 12.30 Examination will begin at 1.00pm All Computer Science Students
	Maths Revision - GWT & B Block 12:30 - 14:30 2 hour drop in Session 1 for higher and lower Paper 1 2 Staff All Maths Pupils	Media Exam Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30 Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All Media Students			Media Revision GWT Exam paper revision and WTM 12.30 - 14.30 All Media Students
		English Revision - B107 12:30 - 14:30 Paper 2 Focus All Students			

	Monday 22 nd May	Tuesday 23 rd May	Wednesday 24 th May	Thursday 25 th May	Friday 26 th May
Morning 9.30am– 11.30am	Combined Science & Chemistry Paper 1 Sports Hall Arrival by 8:30 Examination will begin at 9:00am. All students	French/Listening/Reading Sports Hall Arrival by 8:30 Examination will begin at 9:00am.	Paper 2: English Literature Sports Hall Arrival by 8:30 Examination will begin at 9:00am. All students	Paper 1: Physics & Combined Science Sports Hall Arrival by 8:30 Examination will begin at 9:00am. All students	
	Early Lunch Required		Early Lunch required	Early Lunch Required	
	Geography Paper 1 Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30pm Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All Geography students	Computer Science - GWT 12:30 - 14:30 Paper 2 focus All Computer Science students	Media Sports Hall Arrival by 12.30pm Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All Media students	Sociology Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30pm Examination w.ll begin at 1:00pm. All Sociology students	Chinese Writing Sports Hall Arrive by 12.30pm Examination will begin at 1:00pm.
Afternoon 12.30pm to 2.30pm			Sports Science Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30 Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All Sports students	Computer Science Sports Hall Arrival by 12:30 Examination will begin at 1:00pm. All CS students	
			English Revision - B107 12:30 - 14:30 Paper 1 focus All Students		

GCSE EXAMINATIONS taking place during the holiday

All pupils have now received a personalised Exam Timetable that includes their seat number and highlights any clashes of exams. Students should arrive by no later than 8.30am for a morning examination and by no later than 12.30pm for an afternoon examination. School will be open from 8.00am on examination days and a complimentary breakfast/lunch will be provided for students. It is vital that students arrive on time for their examinations. If they have an examination, then pupils must wear full school uniform. If there are any issues on the day, for example, an unexpected road closure that will make a student late, please call reception as soon as possible on 01536 213100.

Next term

All students are expected to attend school as normal after the holidays. Students will still be welcome to use our facilities after-school until 5:00pm on a Tuesday to Thursday to revise. Where students have completed a full course and all exams e.g. Art, arrangements will be made for students to use that lesson time for independent revision.

Results Day

Results Day for GCSE examinations is Thursday 24th August 2023. More details will follow towards the end of the examination period.

You will find all this information as well as revision support resources on our website <u>here</u>. If you have any further queries, please contact Mr Foreman, Raising Standards Leader for KS4 via enquiries@corbytechnicalschool.org.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Reynolds Principal