

21st March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Additional Examination Support

I hope this letter finds you well. As we approach the final stretch of the academic year, I wanted to extend an invitation to our Year 11 students for additional subject conferences and supervised study sessions over the next term.

At Corby Technical School, we understand the importance of providing our students with every opportunity to excel academically. With upcoming examinations and assessments, we believe that these additional sessions will provide valuable support and guidance to ensure our students are fully prepared and confident in their abilities.

Subject Conferences

The subject conferences will be tailored to address specific topics and areas of concern within each subject. Our experienced teachers will provide targeted guidance, review key concepts, and offer strategies for effective revision. These conferences will not only reinforce classroom learning but also help students identify and address any areas where they may need additional support. Running on a Wednesday or Thursday evening from 4:00pm until 6:00pm, we would strongly recommend all students attend for the subjects they study. Refreshments will also be provided for pupils who attend, to support them in this extended time at school. Conferences are in place for English, Spanish, History, Maths and Science. The schedule and dates can be found below:

Date	Subject
Thursday 21 st March	English Language
Wednesday 27 th March	Maths
Thursday 18 th April	Science
Wednesday 24 th April	English Literature
Wednesday 1 st May	History
Wednesday 8 th May	Spanish

Supervised Study

In addition to the subject conferences, we will also be offering supervised study sessions. These sessions will provide a conducive environment for focused revision and independent study. Our dedicated staff will be on hand to offer assistance, clarify doubts, and provide encouragement as our students work towards their academic goals. We firmly believe that these additional sessions will complement our existing curriculum and support our students in achieving their full potential. By participating in these sessions, students will not only strengthen their subject knowledge but also develop essential study skills and habits that will serve them well in their future academic endeavours.

During term time, the school will continue to be open for Year 11 students from 8.00am to 8.30am and after school from 4.00pm to 5.00pm on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and from 3.00pm to 4.00pm on Friday.

Easter Holiday Year 11 study sessions

The school will be open during the Easter holidays to provide a space in which students can revise and complete work. With the exception of the Bank Holiday, the facilities will be available between 9.00am and 3.00pm when students will be able to use computers and there will be staff on hand to support if required. In addition, there are a few study sessions being offered, the details of which are listed below. Students will need to sign in and out and supervision will be on an informal basis. Students do not need to wear school uniform. The normal behaviour and safety expectations apply and will need to remain in the designated workspaces as we will have maintenance work taking place in other areas of the school. Students may bring food and drink to consume in school during this time if they wish, as our restaurant will not be in service.

These sessions will offer extra support and guidance with their programmes of study. 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 previous commitment.

School will be open from 9.00am-3.00pm daily. Students will study in the DT Study Area – supervised by SLT. Workshops to take place in GWT / C101 / C106.

		Bank Holiday Monday	Tuesday 2 nd April	Wednesday 3 rd April	Thursday 4 th April	Friday 5 th April
Week A	Workshop Sessions		History (GWT) (C106) (10.00am-12.00pm)	Maths 12.00pm-2.00pm (GWT/C106)		

		Monday 8 th April	Tuesday 9 th April	Wednesday 10 th April	Thursday 11 th April	Friday 12 th April
Week B	Session(s)		Biology (10.00am-12.00pm) Chemistry (1.00pm - 2.00pm)	Well Being –Sport Morning (10.00am-12.00pm) Sport Afternoon (2.00pm – 3.00pm)	Art (A102) (10.00am-2.00pm)	

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Foreman, Raising Standards Leader for KS4 via enquiries@corbytechnicalschool.org. We are here to support you and your child every step of the way.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs A Reynolds
Principal