

31 March 2022

Dear Parent or Carer,

RE: A Level Easter Booster sessions

As we approach the end of the spring term there are seven weeks left (including Easter) until the start of formal A Level examinations in the summer. It is vital that your child is doing all they can to help secure the best possible outcomes. They should have a full revision timetable established by now, that they need to follow with rigour. This should include consolidating knowledge from teaching since the start of Year 12 (all students are aware of the advance information for each subject) and regular exam practice. It would be helpful if you could help us in supporting your child to stick to this programme of preparation. Based on the performance of students in previous years, I would expect all students to be carrying out a minimum of 5 hours additional study per subject in preparation for exams. The vast majority of students are completing three A Levels and have 10 study periods built in to their timetables, in addition to taught lessons, so with study on an evening and at the weekend, this is very feasible.

Our programme of period 6 consolidation sessions are continuing and we have added subject "Revision Blast" sessions each day during the tutor time period, covering a range of subject areas. In addition some subjects are offering additional booster sessions over the Easter break. Attached with this email is a timetable of the sessions available. These should, of course, be in addition to the student's own preparations over the summer, rather than replacing this.

I am confident that with all of us working in partnership that your child can achieve well in the summer. This cohort of students have huge potential and with the right level of commitment I am sure that they will realise this. If you have any concerns regarding the examinations, or your child's preparation for them, please don't hesitate to contact me at darren.andrews@driffieldschool.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,



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