

27 May 2022

Dear Parent or Carer,

We are very proud of how our Year 11 students are conducting themselves during the exam period. Our exams team have commented that their behaviour and attitude towards their exams has been exemplary. As we break for the half term, we would like to confirm the final arrangements for when we return.

Year 11 students are expected to attend school as normal until Friday 10 June and when students are not sitting an examination, they are expected to attend their normal timetabled lessons. Now that students have sat some of their exams, it is clearer how the advance information links to actual exam papers. Therefore it is vital that students attend these lessons as class teachers will be focusing on the topics and questions that they feel are the most likely to come up. Friday 10 June will be students' last day following their normal timetable. From Monday 13 June, students are only expected to be in school when they have examinations, though the LRC will be open for Year 11 students to independently revise in school before or after an exam.

Period 6 buses will no longer run after half term, though the Twilight bus service will continue to run as normal on Mondays and Thursday should students wish to revise in school on these evenings (please find a route map attached).

We will be running some revision boosters prior to the final exams. On Saturday 11 June, our maths department will be running an exam booster in North building (9 am – 12 pm). All students are invited to this session and we strongly recommend that they attend as the team will be focusing on the advanced information (as outlined above) for their final maths exam on Monday 13 June. If you haven't already done so, please use this link to sign up to this session: <https://forms.office.com/r/PkAnwkJfb>.

We will also be running some revision boosters prior to the final exams that will take place w/c Monday 13 June. These are outlined in the table below:

Week	Session Date	Period/s	Subject	Room	Exam Date
Week B	Monday 13th June	P4 & 5	Geography	W106	Tuesday 14th June AM
	Tuesday 14th June	P4 & 5	Biology	E108	Wednesday 15th June PM
	Thursday 16th June	P1,2 & 3	French	W7	Thursday 16th June PM
		P2 & 3	Spanish	W6	Friday 17th June AM
	Friday 17th June	P4 & 5	Chemistry	E18	Monday 10th June AM
Week A	Monday 20th June	P4 & 5	History	E10	Tuesday 21st June AM
	Wednesday 22nd June	P4 & 5	Physics	E110	Thursday 23rd June AM

We would also like to invite all Year 11 students, who are considering joining our Sixth Form, to attend our Activate transition event on Tuesday 12 July. This will run from 8.45 am - 3.30 pm. This is an important day where students can experience the following:

- Discover more about the subjects on offer by experiencing A Level teaching of content ready for next year
- Discover the range of opportunities that exist to provide enrichment and build unbeatable CVs
- Complete the registration process for the Sixth Form and have a vital one to one chat about options
- Collect key information about transport, student finance and other important matters.
- Enjoy a free lunch from the Sixth Form canteen
- Meet our Student Union through our lunch event

The day will start with a short meeting in the Common Room at 8.45 am where you can pick up a timetable so you know what sessions are on and where to go. If you are unable to attend "Activate", but plan to join the Sixth Form, please let Mr Andrews know at dandrews@driffieldschool.org.uk.

Finally, on the evening of Thursday 12 July, we will be running a session from 6.00 pm - 7.00 pm in the East Hall for parents and students. This is to provide an introduction to studying in the Sixth Form and to take any questions regarding the transition into Year 12.

As always, thank you for your consistent support throughout your child's time at Driffield School and Sixth Form. We wish all of our Year 11 students the best of luck in their final examinations and look forward to many of them returning to our Sixth Form in September.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs V Loftus
Deputy Headteacher



Mr D Andrews
Head of Sixth Form