

7 March 2024

Dear Parent or Carer,

RE: GCSE Easter Booster Workshops

During the Easter holidays, we will be running a number of GCSE exam boosters to supplement the revision that students will be completing at home in preparation for their GCSE examinations that start in May. These boosters are intended to provide extra support to help their understanding of difficult concepts and are not intended to replace the revision that students will be doing at home.

Please find attached a timetable of the sessions we will be running. Many of these are open to all students taking the course. Where a session says 'invitation to targeted students' students will receive a separate letter from that subject if they are within the target group.

The majority of booster sessions are either a morning booster running from 9 am to 12 noon or an afternoon booster running from 1 – 3 pm (unless stated otherwise on the attached timetable). Full day subject sessions will run from 9 am – 3 pm.

Some students will be specifically identified by their teachers for these sessions where they feel the extra support will be particularly beneficial. If your child receives an individual invitation to one or more of these sessions, please could you ensure that you complete the consent form as promptly as possible.

As the Easter sessions are taking place outside of term time, there will be no canteen facilities available on site. Students attending a full day subject booster should therefore bring a packed lunch and drink with them. Where a student is attending a morning and afternoon session in different subject areas on the same day, they will need to make their own arrangements for the lunch time gap 12 noon – 1 pm.

In addition to these Easter sessions, we have our regular programme of revision sessions taking place at lunch time and after school for most subjects.

We will also be delivering Saturday morning booster sessions for maths and English nearer to the exams. Students will be invited to an English Language session on Saturday 1 June (9 am – 12 noon) and maths on Saturday 8 June (9 am – 12 noon). We will write to you with further details of these events nearer the time.

As always, many thanks for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,



Mr M Holmes
Deputy Headteacher