

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

**RE: Year 11 Mock Examinations 2019**

Year 11 Mock examinations will commence from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January to Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2019. This will ensure your daughter experiences formal mocks leading up to her public examinations in May 2019 and will support her in the rigour and formalities of the process. Mock exams will also provide an accurate assessment method to monitor and track her progress throughout the year.

Study leave will not be permitted for any students during this time.

Please continue to support your daughter at home with her revision materials and encourage 100% attendance to school. Revision sessions for most subject areas have now started. All students have been handed a revision pack containing a number of resources as well as a pre-populated USB with a range of materials, including all past papers and mark schemes. Alongside this, students have access to GCSEPod, which includes short videos for all qualifications and step-by-step guides for understanding difficult concepts, topics and theories.

Prior to each mock examination, all students will be requested to line up in silence and know their seat numbers (published in the dining room). Exam access arrangements will apply to all mock and external examinations. Your daughter will receive an individualised exam timetable with seat numbers prior to the start of mock examinations. All qualifications will have a mock except for GCSE Art.

**Mock examination results will be handed out on arrival at the Year 11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019.** If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact school. Thank you for your continued support of your daughter's education.

Yours faithfully

Mrs K McCourt

Deputy Head teacher for KS3/4