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Dear Parent/ Carer

Year 8 exams – Monday 30th November to Thursday 3rd December 2026

Firstly, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support over the academic year to date and hope that your child has enjoyed their first term of Year 8.

Please find attached a copy of the timetable for the Year 8 exams for your reference. Students will need all their usual stationery for the exams (pens, pencils, ruler and rubber) but should also check with their subject teachers if they need any additional equipment such as calculators. The examinations on the timetable will take place in the Sports Hall.

As I am sure you are aware, this can be a very anxious time for students, and it is my responsibility to ensure your child feels comfortable and prepared. We value parental support during this important stage of the students academic year to help them plan, revise and be fully prepared for these assessments, however, if your child has any subject concerns I would encourage them to speak to their class teachers for additional advice and support. Some subject areas will also be uploading resources onto Classcharts. Revision resources have been requested to be uploaded onto Classcharts by Friday 20th November 2026 to support students in the run up to their exams.

In addition to these areas of support, we will also be dedicating time within the Year 8 tutor programme to support students in planning their revision and supporting them with ideas about how to revise.

I wish every student the best of luck in preparing for these exams and during the exams themselves.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate in contacting me at the college.

Kind regards,

Mr W Jeffries
Head of Year 8