



January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Year 11 Internal Examinations – Core Subjects:
Monday 9th March – Friday 13th March 2020**

Following the Year 11 Internal Exams in December, students will also be sitting internal examinations in core subjects, English, Maths and Science, during the week commencing Monday 9th March. As stated in our previous correspondence to you, the internal examinations are a crucial part of Year 11 students' preparation for their final GCSE examinations and should be approached with a similar degree of seriousness and effort.

Please find overleaf a copy of the internal examination timetable which can also be found on the school website and displayed in student Form Room. Students will also receive an individual timetable which will show the date, time and room the examination is taking place in. For morning exams, students should report to the exam room for the start of the school day at 8.25am and afternoon exams straight after first lunch for 12.05pm. If alternative provision arrangements have been made for your child, the rooming on their timetable will indicate somewhere other than the main examination room. Students with access arrangements should be aware that extra time in afternoon exams may finish beyond the school day and should be mindful of this when making arrangements to travel home after school.

All exams will be overseen by exam invigilators. In line with the school standards all students are expected to wear full school uniform and arrive fully equipped for their examinations. Students will also need to have their photo ID card which will be issued before the first exam. In between the exams students will work in their normal classrooms.

Students are to be reminded that there are clear standards and procedures during examinations. Mobile phones, ***wrist watches** and electronic devices, including smart watches, are strictly forbidden in any examination and it is essential that these are not brought into the exam hall. All notices for candidates can be found on the school website and have also been emailed to Year 10-Year 13 students. If a student is found to have breached these regulations, malpractice procedures will be put in place. *As of September 2019, all wrists watches are forbidden in the exam room.



More details regarding expectations and other exam related queries can be found on the school website www.greatsankey.org/exams. You will also find a handbook 'Information for Students' that students should read before the exam series.

During the next few weeks' students would be well advised to do some revision towards these examinations and therefore to act upon the advice and guidance given to them by their subject teachers.

Please support us in ensuring your child is fully prepared for these exams and we would like to finish by wishing all students the very best for these exams and by saying thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Clare Delmont
Exams Officer

Date	Subject/Length	Subject/Length
Monday 9th March	English Literature 2 hours	Maths Paper 1 1 ½ hours
Tuesday 10th March	Biology 1 ¾ hours Science Trilogy 1 ¼ hours	
Wednesday 11th March	Maths Paper 2 1 ½ hours	Chemistry 1 ¾ hours Science Trilogy 1 ¼ hours
Thursday 12th March	English Language 1 ¾ hours	Physics 1 ¾ hours Science Trilogy 1 ¼ hours
Friday 13th March	Maths Paper 3 1 ½ hours	