

# St. George's School

## A Church of England Academy



Monday 18th December 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are writing to inform you that the exam timetable for GCSEs 2024 has now been published. We can confirm that the final GCSE for our pupils will be **Friday 14th June**.

However, this date does not mark the end of the exam season; **there will be additional exams in subjects such as Polish or Punjabi** the following week for those pupils who speak the language at home.

Furthermore, the exam board has also named **Wednesday 26th June** as the national contingency day. This means that, in the unlikely event that there will be a national reason why an exam can not take place, for example national power cut or national strike, the exam will be moved to the 26th June. **Therefore, if any parents are planning holidays following the exams, please do not book a holiday until after the 26th June.**

Finally, now that the exam dates have been confirmed, we have secured **Wednesday 19th June 2024** as our date for the Class of 2024 Prom.

Prom is an opportunity to celebrate the pupils' journey at St George's, alongside rewarding pupils for their hard work and determination over the past 5 years. Prom is therefore an **invitation only event** and invitations will be sent to pupils based on their work ethic, behaviour, attitude and attendance. We will continuously work with all of our pupils, setting personalised goals, to support them in this final year

**To be considered for an invitation prom, please complete the attached google form.** This is an expression of interest only and will not guarantee a place at prom.

<https://forms.gle/PtHFR1RC7qco3DtA6>

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From this list, we will begin to send our first round of invitations in the new year. Those who do not receive invitations in the first round of invites will know exactly what they have to do to secure an invitation at a later date. We have found this strategy highly effective in the past in keeping all of our pupils focussed on their attendance, work ethic, exams and revision in these final months.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Rachael Fallon  
Deputy Headteacher