

## EXAM SEASON INFORMATION FOR YEAR 11 PUPILS

A letter has been issued regarding exams and revision. To clarify some key points;

- You will all be expected on site, full time, until the date of your final exam, which for most people is the 17<sup>th</sup> June Additional Science Physics exam. At this point, you will have finished unless you study Separate Science, in which case you will only need to be on site for specific booster classes or for your exams. The exception to the above is 16<sup>th</sup> June, when all pupils will go home at 12:40.
- When not doing exams during this time, you will receive a blend of normal timetabled lessons, revision lessons and supervised, private study. The timetable is attached. Please be aware of how this impacts you specifically.
- If you have Core PE during a normal timetabled lesson, you may choose instead to do **silent** supervised study. You must let Mr. Sharrock know in advance if you wish to do this for every PE lesson so that he can arrange a room and a member of staff to supervise you. You will need to bring in your own revision materials for this time.
- You will need to bring your books / equipment etc for every normal timetabled lesson, with the exception of when you have chosen to do silent study instead of PE. You will not be allowed to leave your designated area to seek revision materials from another member of staff.
- Please remember that staff are still responsible for other classes and will not be able to provide alternative revision resources outside your timetabled slots/boosters. It is vital, therefore, that you bring appropriate revision resources to school each day as you will not be allowed to leave a classroom to seek resources.
- Once you have sat the exam in a subject, a room will be provided for silent, supervised study for times when you have a normal timetabled lesson for that subject. If you prefer this type of revision, please sign the register in reception to opt in for this facility by the Friday of the week before. Only pupils on the register will be permitted to be in the designated room. If you do not opt for silent study during these times, you will still be expected to bring in revision materials and revise under the supervision of your normal class teacher.
- On exam days there will be a pre-exam talk by subject teachers in the Hall from 8:30 with breakfast (toast and tea/coffee) for all pupils who have a morning exam on that given day.
- Lunch will begin at 12:30 each day for Year 11 pupils from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May, as exam candidates must line up outside the Sports Hall no later than 1pm to ensure a timely finish for all exams.

Please see Mrs. Walsh if you have any further questions, and be assured that all staff at St. Joseph's are fully committed to your success in the forthcoming exams.



