



20<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Dear parents/carers,

### Year 13 Pre-Exam Study Sessions

As we approach the exam period, we are writing to inform you about upcoming pre-exam sessions for your child's classes. With Year 13 students finishing formal lessons for study leave on 7<sup>th</sup> May, and the final exam not being until 18<sup>th</sup> June, we believe it is vital that we continue to support our students over this extended period. Thus, we are running Pre-Exam Study Sessions for your child before each of their level 3 examinations throughout the Study Leave period.

These sessions are designed to provide students with an opportunity to reinforce their learning, review key concepts, and practice exam techniques.

Purpose of Pre-Exam Sessions:

- **Reinforce Learning:**

These sessions will focus on key concepts and topics that are crucial for exam success.

- **Review and Practice:**

Students will have the opportunity to review their notes, practice exam questions, and receive feedback from their teachers.

- **Reduce Exam Anxiety:**

By providing a structured and supportive environment for revision, these sessions can help reduce exam anxiety and build confidence. Teachers will give your child handy last-minute encouragement, reminders and tips about the exams.

We would ask that your child indicates their intended attendance at each session. We cannot run these sessions on minimal numbers and do not wish for teachers to spend time planning sessions when no students intend to attend. Please remind them to only sign up if they really do intend to attend.

### [Year 13 Pre-Exam Lessons 2026 – Fill in form](#)

I have attached an overview, which also details when public exams are scheduled. Please remind your child to check the exams dates against the Pre-exam Study Sessions before confirming attendance. The deadline for replies is Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May.

How to support your child during the forthcoming exam period:

- **Encourage Regular Attendance:** Remind your child of the importance of attending these sessions and encourage them to be proactive in their preparation.
- **Create a Study Environment:** Ensure your child has a quiet and organised space to study and revise.
- **Stay in Communication:** Encourage your child to reach out to their teachers if they have any questions or concerns.

We believe that these pre-exam sessions will be a valuable tool for your child's preparation for their exams. We encourage you to support your child in attending these sessions and preparing for their exams to the best of their ability.

Yours faithfully

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