

RM/DH

22 April 2016

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

### **YEAR 13 – SUMMER TERM UPDATE**

The final exams for Sixth Form students are fast approaching and it is essential that all students take responsibility for their approach to these.

#### Sixth Form Exams

For those students resitting, the AS exams start on **Monday 16 May 2016**. The A2 exams start on **Monday 6 June 2016**.

Please be aware that some exams are timetabled outside these dates. Please note that the timings of the day are subject to change on occasion and the venues will be confirmed nearer the start dates. **Students are expected to attend all lessons until the last exam in the relevant subject is completed so that teachers can prepare them as thoroughly as possible.**

We have re-structured our 'tutor period' to provide additional help for students. Teachers are available to provide subject specific support from 2.00 pm – 2.20 pm, Monday – Thursday. It is essential that students access the support to ensure the best outcomes. We strongly advise students to commit to at least 3 hours revision a day as a guideline.

Please find enclosed an information booklet to support students in the approach to their exams. We have provided students with advice, guidance and support on how to cope with exams. In addition, copies of an NHS booklet, "The Little Book of Mental Health" which is a practical guide for everyday emotional wellbeing, are available in the Sixth Form Café and the Study Room.

#### Attendance

Students are reminded that they must swipe in electronically at all times, including during the exam period.

#### Huish Leisure Membership

If your son/daughter has a Huish Leisure Membership, it will expire on Wednesday 20 July 2016 (the last day of term). After this date, they will have to pay in order to use the Leisure Centre's facilities.

#### Results Day

Exam results will be available for collection on Thursday 18 August 2016 at 9.00 am in Huish Sixth.

#### Leavers Forms

Students must complete and return the enclosed Leavers Form **by 30 June 2016**. Once this has been done, any locker deposits will be returned. It is vital that any borrowed resources and/or textbooks are also returned **by 30 June 2016**.

#### Future Plans

Any students who are still undecided about their plans for the future should make an appointment to see our Careers Adviser, Emma Higman, based in the Sixth Form on a Tuesday and a Thursday.

May I take this opportunity to wish your child every success with future studies or careers.

Yours sincerely

*Roger Madge*

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