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12th May 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to inform you of the examination arrangements during this term for your son/daughter.

Students have final GCSE exams as well as Y10 mock exams. For the external (GCSE) examinations, students will already have received their individual timetables.

The dates for these exams are as follows:

- **Wed 24th May Business (Intro to Business exam)**
- **Tues 6th June GCSE English Language (Paper 1)**
- **Mon 12th June GCSE English Language (Paper 2)**

The English Department are running a revision session over half term on Tuesday 30th May, this will be split into two:

- Paper 1 will be 9.00 until 11.30
- Paper 2 will be from 12.00 until 2.30

These sessions will take the format of a Walking, Talking Mock. As these sessions are during the holiday and in addition to the numerous period 6 sessions available, we will be charging a fee of £10 per student. Please complete and return the form attached if your child wishes to attend. Payment can be made via ParentPay by selecting to pay for one session.

Please find attached to this letter your son/daughter's end of Year 10 mock examination timetable. The aim of the mock examinations is to give students, staff and parents an indication of the progress that has been made so far on the GCSE courses. It also helps staff to identify the correct tier of entry, if appropriate, for the summer examinations 2018 and for students to become more familiar with exam papers and techniques.
As with all examinations, it is essential that students prepare thoroughly and are aware of the range of resources that are available to them via Show my Homework or recommended websites. Students have also received a copy of their timetable.

Students must attend school as normal during the exams. Due to the nature of the different courses, some subjects will not have an examination at this time. Where there is a gap on the examination timetable, students will attend their normal lessons.

Yours faithfully

**Miss F Tuddenham**
**Director of Learning Year 10**

**To: Miss Tuddenham**

**Student Name:……** **Form:……**

My son/daughter would like to attend the English revision sessions on Tuesday 30th May.

Signed Parent/Carer:…….. Date:……