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Wednesday 12th May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: Important Year 12 Exam Information - Monday 7th June - Friday 18th June 2021

I am writing to provide you with some important information regarding Year 12 exams.

- Year 12 A Level students will be taking internal exams at the beginning of the next half term (Mon. June 7th to Fri. 18th June 2021: timetable attached).
- These exams will be used as a measure of progress and potential as students move on to Year 13.
- We expect students to pass <u>all</u> of their exams in order to progress to the second year. If for any reason this does not happen, or students seriously underperform, we will arrange to meet with you on Year 12 Parents Evening on Wednesday 7th and Thursday 8th July 2021.

It is also a vitally important process for our current Year 12 students, given the cancellation of the GCSE examinations in summer 2020. Therefore, all students should undertake rigorous revision in preparation for these exams. Your child should seek advice from their subject teachers so that they are aware of the exam board requirements, as these exams are identical to the Year 13 end-of-course exams.

In addition, we will be using the grades that students achieve in these exams as the basis for their predicted grades for university applications, amongst other controlled assessments sat throughout the year. In our experience, work produced in exam conditions is the most accurate predictor of exam performance.

UCAS

- Students have started learning about the UCAS process during PSHE lessons and will be starting
 their university applications over the coming few week (the school subscribes to Unifrog which is an
 online platform that supports them through the process).
- Please discuss with your son/daughter the courses they are considering and ensure that they are researching appropriate course choices. For example, students may be required to undertake work experience or complete additional tests as part of the entry requirements for their chosen courses. (Unifrog has all the information you will need to have these discussions).
- University applications will be sent to UCAS during the autumn term of Year 13. It is imperative students stick to deadlines set by the school (to be shared in due course) so that applications can be checked and sent to UCAS as soon as possible. The sooner applications are sent, the sooner students will begin to receive their offers.
- Please note the UCAS application fee is £26.50 and students will need to pay this using a debit card.
 All A Level and Level 3 vocational students are expected to complete a UCAS application. Some students may also wish to apply for apprenticeships.

<u>Uniform</u>

- After consultation with the 6th Form student body, we have decided to delay the enforcement of the new dress code until September 2021.
- Students are still expected to wear formal attire for the remainder of this term.

Thank you for your continued support as the involvement of parents plays a vital role in the success of students. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

Ms R Yasmin
Head of Year 12





STEPNEY ALL SAINTS Y12 ASSESSMENTS TIMETABLE 7TH JUNE – 18TH JUNE

	AM (Start: 08:45)	PM (Start: 13:45)
MON 7 JUNE	Maths 1 (Pure) – 2hrs	Computing 1 – 1hr Law 1 – 1hr
TUE 8 JUNE	Physics 1 – 1hr 30m Media – 2hr 15m History 1 (USA) – 2hr 15m	Economics 1 – 2hrs
WED 9 JUNE	Biology 1 – 1hr 30m Further Maths (Core) – 2hrs Politics 1 – 2hrs	English Literature 1 – 1hr
THUR 10 JUNE	R.E (Islam) – 2hrs	Sociology 1 – 1hr 30m
FRI 11 JUNE	Business 1 – 1hr 30m Chemistry 1 – 1hr 30m	Psychology 1 – 1hr 30m
MON 14 JUNE	Biology 2 – 1hr 30m Further Maths (Pure) – 2hrs Politics 2 – 2hrs	Business 2 – 1hr 30m Chemistry 2 – 1hr 30m
TUE 15 JUNE	Maths 2 (Applied) – 1hr 30m BTEC Business – 2hrs	R.E (Ethics) – 2hrs BTEC Computing 1 – 1hr
WED 16 JUNE	English Literature 2 – 1h 15m	Psychology 2 – 1hr 30m
THUR 17 JUNE	Economics 2 – 2hrs BTEC Computing 2 – 1hr	Computing 2 – 1hr Law 2 – 1hr
FRI 18 JUNE	Physics 2 – 1hr 30m History 2 (India) – 1hr 30m	Sociology 1 – 1hr 30m

7th to 11th June: Y12 exams to take place in The Cube and The Space. Please keep an eye on the noticeboard at Sixth Form Reception at the beginning of each day.

14th **to 18**th **June:** Y12 exams to take place in the Great Hall. Please keep an eye on the noticeboard at Sixth Form Reception at the beginning of each day.

