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8th June 2015

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Internal Exams 15th – 19th June 2015

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the Internal Exams that will take place on the dates set out above:

- Years 7, 8 and 9 will sit their English and Maths exams in the Sports Hall and exams in all their other subjects will take place in their normal lessons during the exam week. Students have already received the dates and times of their English and Maths exams and all other subject staff will be sharing the dates and times of their exams with students this week.
- Year 10 will sit all their exams in the Sports Hall. Students have already received their timetable for these exams.

Students should now be revising hard for their exams. They have been given help about how to revise during PSHCE lessons. I would be grateful if you could take the time to remind your son/daughter of the following:

Equipment

Students have been informed to have the following basic equipment:

- Two black pens;
- Two sharp pencils;
- Eraser;
- A 30cm ruler;
- A calculator (where required);
- A compass/protractor;
- Revision resources or a reading book to be used during revision sessions.

Behaviour

Any form of communication during an exam will be considered a breach of exam rules; this includes students making any unnecessary eye contact and other forms of non-verbal communication.

Poor behaviour will be dealt with very seriously and students may receive a mark of '0' for one or all of their exams if they break any of the exam room rules. Ultimately, students can be prevented from sitting any future exams at Oulder Hill, which includes final GCSE exams.

Exam Results

These will be available in late June/early July once teachers have had the opportunity to mark the papers. The results of the exams that students sit will form part of their end of year report, which will be sent home to parents/carers in July.

I am certain that the exams will be a valuable experience to all students and will help prepare them for the final GCSE exams they will take in Year 11. I am sure that all students will do themselves proud during these exams and I look forward to celebrating their success with them when they receive their results. As ever I thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



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