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To the Parents / Carers of: **All Year 8 Students**

Dear Parent / Carer

The Year 8 examinations will take place in Term 6, week beginning the 11th June 2018.

These examinations will take place during normal lesson time - students will be told by their class teacher when the exams will take place and what topics will be covered.

In order to prepare the students for future GCSE and A-Level examinations, these end of year exams will follow the same code of conduct as the external examinations. Please can you ensure that your child has the following equipment for the examinations:

- 1 x clear pencil case (a clear plastic bag will be suitable e.g. a sandwich bag)
- 2 x black ball pens (not rollerballs, gel pens or blue pens)
- 2 x HB pencils
- 1 x eraser
- 1 x ruler – ideally clear plastic
- 1 x calculator (where allowed)
- 1 x protractor
- 1 x pair of compasses
- Coloured pencils (where needed)

It is very important students revise for these examinations. Some revision techniques are listed below. It would be useful to produce a revision timetable, ensuring that your child covers each of his / her subjects but also builds in breaks into his / her revision programme.

If you have any questions regarding these examinations then please contact your child's tutor in the first instance.

Yours sincerely

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