

March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

YEAR 11 SUPPORT - Easter Holiday Revision and Support

Please find below the schedule for the Easter Holiday Revision and Support Sessions. We are pleased to be able to offer 49 sessions to give students a boost before the Exam Season starts.

We have seen a rapid increase in the number of students attending after school sessions since the recent mock exams and the enthusiasm from our students has been great to see. We would encourage all students to embrace the support on offer over the Easter break as well as the after school sessions that have been running throughout the year.

There is a small cohort of year 11's that have chosen not to access the additional support during holidays and after school, these are often the students that are most in need of support. To provide an incentive and reward for all students including these individuals we are introducing a point system to reward high attendance at school, attendance at revision and intervention sessions both during the week and the Easter break. The rewards will include vouchers with values of £100 and £50.

As well as the schedule for the Easter break, I also include the timetable for revision and support that continues throughout the year.

If you receive an invite for your child to attend specific sessions, this suggests that there is a need for support and we would recommend that they attend. All subjects offer open revision sessions that are available for all students.

The Summer Exam Season starts on Friday the 3rd May with the Travel & Tourism and concludes on 19th June. The timetable for exams has been sent to you by Mrs Baker, our Exams Officer, but is also available on our website:

<https://www.budmouth-aspirations.org/our-curriculum/exams-information/>

If you are worried about your child's feelings on upcoming exams, Kooth can help you understand how you can best support them. <https://www.kooth.com/> is a free online mental health and wellbeing support service for children and young people.

On Monday 22 April and Thursday 25 April, Kooth will be running online webinars for parents and carers around children and young people and managing exam stress. These webinars are free to attend via a Zoom link, but if you can't make it there is an option to receive the recording and resources.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdzCwZBLqkBAa0zO5_C3qrLjWE9VGND8h7wbfODX4glgBOgLw/viewform

If you have any general concerns or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact your child's form Tutor in the first instance.

Yours sincerely,



Peter Hudson
Vice Principal

Easter Break Revision & Support Sessions

DAY	SUBJECT	SESSION DETAIL	ROOM	TIME	STAFF
Tuesday 2nd AM	Maths	Achieving grade 4 (foundation)			LC & JCB
Tuesday 2nd AM	History	Explain & Judgement Questions	F08	9 - 3	JRB
Tuesday 2nd AM	Combined Science (Chemistry) FOUNDATION	Paper 1 topics (Atomic structure and the periodic table; Bonding, structure, and the properties of matter; Quantitative chemistry (part 1)) - practice, approx. 1.25 hours per topic (short explanation targeting common misconceptions and spec-required key knowledge, CFU, exam questions)	G04	9-3	EDC
Tuesday 2nd AM	Quiet revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Lucy Vincent
Tuesday 2nd AM	Food & Nutrition NEA2	Catch up with NEA 2 written work	D16	9-3	CMS
Tuesday 2nd AM	Geography	Paper 2 Walking Talking Mock	F04	9-12	SHR
Tuesday 2nd PM	History	Getting full marks on every 4 mark question	F08	9 - 3	JRB
Tuesday 2nd PM	Combined Science (Chemistry) HIGHER	Paper 1 topics (Quantitative chemistry (part 2); Chemical changes; Energy changes) - practice, approx. 1.25 hours per topic (short explanation targeting common misconceptions and spec-required key knowledge, CFU, exam questions)	G04	9-3	EDC
Tuesday 2nd PM	Food & Nutrition NEA2	Catch up with NEA2 written work	D160	9-3	CMS
Wednesday 3rd AM	Ethics and Philosophy	Islam and Christianity	F13	9-12	HSH
Wednesday 3rd AM	Art and Photography	exam prep booster	E26	9-3	ELC
Wednesday 3rd AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Alan Hill
Wednesday 3rd AM	BTEC Travel and Tourism	Revision for Component 3 exam	B14	9-12	AJC
Wednesday 3rd AM	Spanish	Speaking	F10	10-12	CMC
Wednesday 3rd PM	Ethics and Philosophy	Ethics	F13	12-3	HSH
Wednesday 3rd AM	Art and Photography	exam prep booster	E26	9-3	ELC
Wednesday 3rd PM	GCSE PE	4 and 6 markers - paper 1 and paper 2	G13	12.30-3.30	LJB
Wednesday 3rd PM	BTEC Sport	Component 3 Revision	G23	12.30-3.30	JW

Wednesday 3rd PM	Spanish	Writing	F10	12.30-2.30	CMC
Thursday 4th AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Linda Elliott
Thursday 4th AM	Art and Photography	Exam work and preparation	E29	9-3	ELA
Thursday 4th AM	Business	Revision - focus on Paper 1	B16	9.30-12.30	
Friday 5th AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Alan Hill
Friday 5th AM	Drama 10-12	GCSE C3			
Friday 5th AM	Art and Photography	exam preparation	E28		
Monday 8th AM	Dance	GCSE and A Level Dance - practical and theory	E14, E20	9am-3pm	SAT and ANM
Monday 8th AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Linda Elliott
Monday 8th AM	Art	GCSE Exam Prep	E31	9-3	GDR
Monday 8th AM	History	Source & Interpretations Skills	F08	9 - 3	JRB
Monday 8th PM	Dance	GCSE and A Level Dance - practical and theory	E14, E20	9am-3pm	SAT and ANM
Monday 8th PM	Art	GCSE Exam Prep	E31	9am-3pm	GDR
Monday 8th PM	History	Source & Interpretations Skills	F08	9 - 3	JRB
Tuesday 9th AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Alan Hill
Wednesday 10th AM	Maths	GCSE Grade 7+	G23	9-2	K B
Wednesday 10th AM	Computer Science	Revision and support	D06	9-12	PAN
Wednesday 10th AM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Alan Hill
Wednesday 10th PM	Creative iMedia	Animation practice and revision	D06	12-3	
Wednesday 10th PM	Quiet Revision space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Alan Hill
Thursday 11th AM	English	Themes, quotes and essay planning		9 - 12noon	LE, ERC

	Literature				
Thursday 11th AM	English Language	Section A reminders and support with Q.5 responses on both papers		n - 12nc	TB, SRB
Thursday 11th AM	Quiet Revision Space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Linda Elliott
Thursday 11th AM	Chemistry (Separates)	Paper 1 walk through	G03	10-12	SCW
Thursday 11th PM	Quiet Revision Space	Use the RC as a quiet space for revision	RC	9-3	Linda Elliott
Thursday 11th PM	Applied Science (Yr12)	Applied Coursework Workshop	G03	1-3	SCW
Thursday 11th PM	Art and Photography	Art and Photography Exam work and Prep	E29	9-3	ELA
Friday 12th AM	Biology Higher/seps	Paper 1	G07	9:30-12	YAJ
Friday 12th AM	Yr12 Engineering CAD Unit 2	Students completing any outstanding CAD..Can only be done in Budmouth	D12	9-3	A D Walker
Friday 12th PM	Physics - Foundation	Paper 1 walk thru	G05	12-3	MRW
Friday 12th PM	Physics -Higher /Seps	Paper 1	G17	12-3	ACW
Friday 12th PM	Biology combined foundation	Paper 1	G07	12:30-3	YAJ

Regular Weekly Revision & Intervention Sessions

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
History	Maths	English	Science	English high flyers
Geography	MFL	Sport	Design Tech	Business
Ethics & Philosophy	Expressive Arts	Health & Social Care		