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12 February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

In order to prepare fully our Year 11 students for the challenges of the summer examinations, we have planned mock examinations in February/March.

It is important that students see these mock exams as an important learning strategy for when they sit their exams in May. Furthermore, under the advice of all the examination boards we are required to inform parents that if your child does not apply themselves within the mock examinations and summer examinations, we as a school can charge a student for all exams which your child intends to sit during this academic year. I have enclosed a statement with all the costs clearly stipulated.

As a school, we want success for all our students and I am sure our Year 11 will be fully prepared for all the exams they will face between now and July. All exams will be held in our exam venues under external examination conditions. Students are responsible for bringing the correct equipment for exams and are advised to check what they need in advance with their subject teachers. Students should approach these examinations with a determination to do their best and therefore, it is essential that students revise thoroughly for these exams and act upon the advice and guidance given to them by their subject teachers.

Students should be revising thoroughly at home and attending intervention lessons after school to ensure they secure their minimum expected grade.

The timetable for the February/March exams is available on the school's website and attached at the end of this letter. The mock exams will start on Monday 24th February 2020 and finish on Friday 6th March 2020.

We would like to wish our students every success as they work hard to achieve their potential and we thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Miss J Grimes
Deputy Headteacher

N.B. Please note the Provisional Summer 2020 GCSE Examination Timetable is now available to view on our website: <http://stcuthberts.com/media/3755/copy-of-exam-timetable-2020-v2.pdf>

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GCSE examination costs for 2020 entries are listed below

Subject	Cost
English Language	£38.70
English Literature	£36.50
Mathematics	£41.75
Science	£73.00
Geography	£38.70
History	£38.76
Spanish	£38.70
RE	£45.40
Art	£36.50
Creative Media / Digital IT	*
Drama	£38.70
Food	£51.81
Health & Social Care	*
PE GCSE	£41.90
PE BTEC	*
Sport Studies (Cambridge Nationals)	£67.20
Sport Science (Cambridge Nationals)	£33.60

* For BTEC qualifications we pay a registration fee at the beginning of the course which includes the examination. There is a re-sit fee which we charge for if required. That's normally about £15.00.

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Examinations Officer





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Y11 Mock Exam Timetable February 2020

Mon 24 th	Tues 25 th	Wed 26 th	Thurs 27 th	Fri 28 th
NTT	English Lang P1 1hr 45m (ET 2hrs 11m) Sports Hall	R.E. 1hr 45m (ET 2hrs 11m) Sports Hall	History 2hrs (ET 2hrs 30m) Sports Hall	English Lit 2hrs 15m (ET 2hrs 40m) Sports Hall
BREAK				
ART A1 & A2 Conference Room	Maths P1 1hr 30m (ET 1hr 53m) Sports Hall	Maths P2 1hr 30m (ET 1hr 53m) Sports Hall	Science 1hr (ET 1hr 15m) Sports Hall	NTT
LUNCH				
NTT	NTT	NTT	NTT	NTT
IF STUDENTS DON'T HAVE AN EXAM THEN THEY GO TO LESSONS				

Y11 Mock Exam Timetable March 2020

Mon 2 nd	Tues 3 rd	Wed 4 th	Thurs 5 th	Fri 6 th
Drama 1hr 45m (ET 2hrs 11m) ICT 1 D & T 2hrs (NEA) (ET 2hrs 30m) CCT4	PE 2hrs BTEC CAMNAT (ICT Room) (ET 2hrs 30m) PE GCSE P1 1hr 15m (ET 1hr 34m) Sports Hall	Creative Media NEA CCT2 Digital IT NEA (ICT1) 2hrs (ET 2hrs 30m) ICT 1	Maths P3 1hr 30m (ET 1hr 53m) Sports Hall	Geography P2 1hr (ET 1hr 15m) Drama Theatre
BREAK				
Geography P1 1hr (ET 1hr 15m) Sports Hall	Chemistry 1hr 15m (ET 1hr 34m) Sports Hall	PE GCSE P2 1hr 45m (ET 2hrs 11m) Drama Theatre	Spanish (F) (R) 45m (W) 1hr Spanish (H) (R) 1hr (W) 1hr 15m Drama Theatre	English Lang P2 1hr 45m (ET 2hrs 11m) Sports Hall
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IF STUDENTS DON'T HAVE AN EXAM THEN THEY GO TO LESSONS/FORM				

Food Practical Mock Exam	Tuesday 4th February	2 hrs
Food Practical Mock Exam	Wednesday 5th February	2 hrs
Food Practical Mock Exam	Friday 7th February	2 hrs
Food Practical Mock Exam	Tuesday 11th February	2 hrs
Food Practical Mock Exam	Wednesday 12th February	2 hrs

NTT = Normal Timetable

School day

8.45 – 10.45 - Break

11.05 – 13.00 - Lunch

13.35 – 14.40 – End of school day

