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Dear parent/ carer,

As you will be aware, the external examination period is almost upon us. For our Sixth Form students, this represents the culmination of a great deal of hard work and commitment and we are aware that this can be a stressful period for many students; school, together, with parents, are keen to support students to attain the best possible outcomes in this exam series.

AS Level examinations commence on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May and students' last day of school before commencing study leave will be Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May. During the period of study leave, students are able to attend school if they have made prior arrangements with subject staff and are also able to access Sixth Form study areas, on the condition that these areas are not being used to facilitate external examinations. Year 12 should return to school on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June to begin A2 study.

A2 Level examinations commence here on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May. In order to maximise time with subject staff during the start of the examination period, Year 13 students are required to attend up until their last day of school, which is Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May.

As parents, we are aware that you will be keen to support your child during this crucial period of their education. The school should be a first port of call for all parents if there is anything you are unsure of or feel you or your child need support with at this time. Please get in contact with Mr Havard, Mrs Davies or myself if there are any concerns or queries.

Yours sincerely,

Ms L Sharpe

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