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## Year Group News

### Year 9

- All parents should have received this term's **interim assessment** via their children on Wednesday.
- Thank you to those parents and students who attended last night's Information Evening and Options Fayre. All parents and students will have their **individual interviews** next week as previously notified.
- The **options forms** should be returned via your children's tutors by **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**. Decisions about whether each student is better suited to double or triple science will be taken late in year ten after formal tests and discussion about each individual's progress.

### Year 10

All parents should have received this term's **interim assessments** via their children on Wednesday. They will have a **follow-up interview** in tutor time over the next three weeks. There is a further parents' evening on 9<sup>th</sup> May.

### Year 11

- The remaining **practice examinations** are as follows:
  - 12<sup>th</sup> Mar: **English Literature** Paper 2
  - 15<sup>th</sup> Mar: **Mathematics** Paper 1
  - 22<sup>nd</sup> Mar: **Mathematics** Paper 2
  - 25<sup>th</sup> Mar: **Mathematics** Paper 3
  - 27<sup>th</sup> Mar: **English Language** Paper 1
- The **GCSE Food final practicals** take place on **12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March**. Each student has two sessions and individual students know when their sessions are.

- The **final revision guide** and **examination timetable** was issued to students today and an electronic copy sent by Parentmail. Obviously, the Easter holiday is a vital time for revision. We would recommend that parents go through the guide with their children and help them prepare (and stick to!) their revision timetable. In the final key weeks leading up to the examinations, we are always available for advice and guidance.
- Well done to those who took their **PE practicals** this week. Your teachers were impressed with you.
- Last week, students received a form with details of the final **option choices available for year twelve next year**. Students who wish to stay with us, or at least to still have that option, should complete the form and return it, via their tutors. Thank you to those who have already returned it. For further help, students should see Mr Fisher or Mrs Stevens in the sixth form centre, Mr Willis or Mr Hamill

### Year 12

The **Year 12 parents' evening** is on **Thursday (14<sup>th</sup> March)** between 4.30 and 6pm. Students should be making appointments directly with their subject teachers.

### Fixtures

**13/03** - U16 Girls hockey vs TGS, St Benedicts, Thurston @ TGS 3 till 6:30PM.  
**14/03** - U15 girls handball vs KES @ home 4-5PM

***Bon Voyage!***

We wish all those going on the **German Exchange** next Friday a worthwhile experience.

***Admin Request***

Please can parents ensure they keep us up to date of changes to personal details by emailing [countyupper@burytrust.org](mailto:countyupper@burytrust.org) as soon as possible. We have found that some contact details are not correct.