



GCSE, AS and A level examinations

The main written examinations are now upon us and all students should obviously check their timetables and other instructions carefully each day. **We wish all those students taking examinations every success with the forthcoming papers.**

Uniform

Instructions for ordering uniform for existing students for September will be published in 'The County Courier' at half term. This will include information on purchasing skirts and trousers for girls. New students will order their uniform at the intake evenings as indicated in the individual letters about those evenings.

Year Group News

Year 10

- The **parents' evening appointments for next Thursday (15th May)** have now been sent home and we look forward to seeing you.
- Those students studying **triple science** have their **Chemistry controlled assignment next Thursday (15th May).**

Year 11

- The **changes to students' timetables** to accommodate early GCSE examinations which were sent home with last Thursday's letter take effect from Monday. A copy of the letter can be found on our website by going to 'At School' and then 'Letters'.
- A reminder that students wishing to purchase a **Year Book** need to send back their reply slips as soon as possible, complete with payment for £11.

Year 12

Examination leave starts on Monday with all students returning on **Monday 9th June**. There will be revision sessions during this period notified by individual teachers.

Year 13

- The '**A' level art** examination is next week.
- The **farewell assembly** for year thirteen students will be held on **Friday 23rd May** followed by a buffet lunch. **Parents are warmly invited** to the assembly which will review their children's five years here with contributions from the students in drama and music. Those parents who would like to come would need to be at school at 11.25 am for an 11.30 am start and the assembly will last for about an hour. **Please let Mrs Bennett, Head's PA, know if you are coming.**

Year Group Photographs

Proofs of the **year 11 and year 13 group photographs** are being issued today. If you would like to purchase a photograph orders must be received by **Monday 19th May**.

Fixtures

13.05.14

U14 rounders v St Benedict's

U15A rounders v KEVIS

Academy Trust basketball competition

U18 boys' football v St Benedict's (a)

15.05.14

Schools Athletics Cup (WS track)

South Pacific

This year's musical is being performed at The Apex on **Thursday 10th, Friday 11th and Saturday 12th July**. Tickets priced £10 (£8 concessions) are now available from the Box Office.