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Dear Parent/Carer

SUMMER 2020 EXAMS - IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The summer 2020 exams may seem like a long way away at the moment, but we need to make you aware of some important information to avoid any issues next summer.

During the spring term students will be sent timetables detailing the dates and times of all their exams. The examination boards also publish a contingency day should a national or local disruption arise during the summer exam series and they need to reschedule any exams.

The date that has been set aside for the contingency day is **Wednesday**, **24 June 2020**. This means that all summer exam candidates must be available to sit exams up to and including Wednesday 24 June 2019. This decision is not a school decision and does apply to all candidates in all schools.

Please find below the provisional dates for the summer GCSE exams for your information:

13/05/2020 GCSE PE Paper 1 15/05/2020 GCSE PE Paper 2 19/05/2020 GCSE Maths Paper 1 01/06/2020 GCSE History Paper 1 02/06/2020 GCSE English Language Paper 1 04/06/2020 GCSE Maths Paper 2 05/06/2020 GCSE English Language Paper 2 05/06/2020 Cambridge National Creative iMedia Unit 1 08/06/2020 GCSE Maths Paper 3

Please can all parents and carers make a note of the contingency exam date. It will be common for many families to book holidays in June and July when students have finished their exams, however, it will be devastating for a student to miss out on a grade after working hard because they might be absent from a rearranged final exam.

Kind regards

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