

## Mock Examinations (28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> March 2017)

As you will be aware first and second year mock examinations for courses with public examinations this summer will take place at the end of March.

It is intended that the mocks will -

- give you a real opportunity to consolidate your learning to date
- give you the chance to sit a number of GCSE, AS or A Level papers under examination conditions
- allow you, your teachers and parents to see how you perform
- enable you to identify aspects of examination technique, content or skills that you will need to work on

In order that you make the most of this practice opportunity, it is **VITAL** that you plan your revision over the coming weeks and dedicate a considerable amount of time to it.

### Lessons

**Lessons will run as normal on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March**, but to facilitate the length of some second year examinations and students with extra time, we will be operating a different timetable on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Instead of single 1.5 hour lessons each will be double 3 hrs lessons.

Lessons will run for courses without examinations. The only difference is that the lessons themselves will be longer and at different times.

### Examination Timetables

Your individual examination/lesson timetable are on studio. Examinations will take place in your usual classrooms during your usual lessons.

If examinations are only 1 hour 30 minutes long, it is expected that lessons will continue after a short break.

If you are allowed 25% extra time and/or a word processor you will sit your exams with the rest of your class in your usual classroom.

If you have a reader and/or scribe and/or more than 25% extra time you will be in a different room for your examinations. Students concerned will be emailed separately with the details nearer the time.

### Buses and Catering

Buses and catering services will operate as normal Monday to Thursday, but there will be **no buses running on the Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March as all the lessons will be cancelled.**