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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 students will soon be completing their mock examinations. **All students will sit Eduqas GCSE Mathematics.** This consists of Higher Tier or Foundation Tier. All students have been informed of their Tier of Entry.

- **Paper 1: Non-Calculator Paper**
Monday 9 November at 9.00am - 2 hours 15 minutes
- **Paper 2: Calculator Paper**
Wednesday 11 November at 9.00 am - 2 hours 15 minutes

Revision and preparation

All students should use their **PLCs** (Personalised Learning Checklists) and **Knowledge Organisers** to support their preparation. These are also available to see on the school website.

The most effective approach is to revise **little and often**. Short, regular revision sessions allow students to revisit material repeatedly and are more effective than attempting to complete a large amount of revision immediately before an examination.

The most efficient way to learn mathematics is to practice exam questions and past papers.

Students will be supplied with a paper copy of a non-calculator and calculator paper for revision, and also a further paper will be available on Arbor with solutions.

This approach helps students identify what they can recall independently and which areas require further revision.

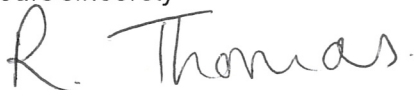
For further revision materials and worked solutions use the website [MathsGenie - Free Online GCSE and A Level Maths Revision](#).

Students have also completed some examination practice in lessons so that they are familiar with the style and expectations of the papers.

Students who are entitled to additional time or other access arrangements will receive their usual examination arrangements.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Rodney Thomas
Head of Mathematics