



24 May 2024

Dear Parent / Carer

We are nearing the halfway point of the public exams and the students have been a credit to you, themselves, and the school. I would like to say a huge "Well Done" to everyone so far.

I would like to draw your attention to some opportunities that are coming up, to help make sure that the remaining exams continue to go well.

Half term revision opportunities

During Half term we have 2 days of revision.

Tuesday 28th May we are running Maths revision sessions running from 9am to 3pm.

Wednesday 29th May we are running English revision sessions from 9am to 3pm.

Places are limited so please express your interest here. You will get a confirmation message to say if you have a place. <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=DOFJ4V491Ui-MqzsG50Ui4TVVFkazWZArz9OIDkzdIhUMkdFNVpMMTRTTUpIQ04xTFdYQ0NXMkw2QS4u> this link is also on our Year 11 parent page.

Lessons in school after half term.

After half term we are changing the timetable of all students so that they get more lessons of the subjects that they still have exams in. This means that all students will get a personalised timetable that tells them where they need to be, to take advantage of this. These extra sessions will be run by the specialist teachers we have in school so it may not be the class teacher the students are used to, but it will be a specialist in that subject. We have done this to make the most of the time available in school and so that students will get the most benefit from being in school revising. It is vital that all students attend all of these revision lessons.

Leaving Events

Leavers Assembly will take place on Thursday 13th June in the afternoon. During the morning, we will be running revision sessions for Physics and Geography, (which have their exams on the Friday). However, the afternoon will be a celebration of the students' time at school during which we will do the draw to find out who has won the Passport to Success prizes – the main ones being a computer and an iPad – and have an end of year treat **sponsored by Fakenham Sixth Form. Students will also be allowed to sign shirts and books on this day as well as collecting their leavers hoodies if they have bought one.**

Leavers Prom

The Prom will take place at Fakenham Racecourse - Prince of Wales Stand on Thursday 4th July. Arrivals are from 6:00pm and there will be space for parents and others to come and watch the students arrive. We will finish by 10.30pm. We know that this is the same day as the Sixth Form induction day so the Induction day will finish early enough to give plenty of time to get ready for Prom!

The price of the ticket is £30 (£15 if discounted due to Easter school attendance) and they are on sale now on WisePay. This is an excellent event that students really enjoy.

Super Saturdays and Saturday Sessions 9am to 12pm

Saturday revision sessions are still running and are very well attended - students can either come to the taught session or they can come and study by themselves in Fakenham Sixth Form study room. The remaining sessions are as follows:

Date	Saturday Session Subject	Member of Staff
25th May	History	JHI
1st June	History	JHI
8th June	Physics History	KMS JHI

To sign up for these sessions please complete the form on the Year 11 parent page here [Year 11 Parent information - Fakenham Academy \(fakenhamacademynorfolk.org\)](https://www.fakenhamacademy.org/parent/parents-a-z-mental-health-guide/exam-time/?utm_source=enewsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=may2023&utm_term=o25)

Reminder of dates for your diary

Super Saturdays - Every Saturday from 9am to 12pm until 8th June.

Leavers Assembly - shirt signing, hoodies and Passport to Success draw - Thursday 13th June

Leaving date - Friday 14th June this is the last day students need to attend lessons.

Music, Further maths, Product Design and Catering exams take place in the week beginning 17th June.

Exam period ends - Wednesday 26th June

Year 11 Prom - Thursday 4th July

Fakenham Sixth Form Induction Day - Thursday 4th July

Results - Thursday 22nd August from 9am in the school hall

Enrolment at Fakenham Sixth Form - from 9am Thursday 22nd August

Finally, this link may help to provide you and your child with support over the exam period in terms of dealing with stressful situations https://www.youngminds.org.uk/parent/parents-a-z-mental-health-guide/exam-time/?utm_source=enewsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=may2023&utm_term=o25

If you have any questions about any items mentioned in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me via my email address. k.smith@fakenhamacademy.org

Thank you again for your continuing support, and Good Luck to all our students.

Yours faithfully



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