



# Bishop's Hatfield Girls' School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

## GCSE Mathematics Revision Workshops

I'd like to make you aware that Mathematics revision workshops are being run by the Hertfordshire Mathematics team on a similar basis to the ones being offered for English GCSEs. Both Mathematics and English GCSE syllabi have become increasingly demanding with the new linear specifications and these workshops offer your daughter the opportunity to gain some extra support from qualified staff.

The Hertfordshire Mathematics team are offering a series of half day revision workshops which will take place at Samuel Ryder Academy in St Albans on alternative Saturdays to the English workshops during January, February and March.

These revision workshops are aimed specifically at Year 11 students and they will provide each pupil with exam strategies and guidance on how to succeed in specific topics and exam papers. They are also designed to help boost your daughter's confidence and enable her to feel 'exam ready'. In addition, your daughter will receive targeted revision resources to take away to support her independent study.

The half day courses are £45 each, but as your daughter qualifies for Pupil Premium, we would like to pay for your daughter to attend one or all of these courses (she can select which ones she feels most suit her needs). She can choose from the following:

GCSE Maths Foundation Tier: Number	Saturday 19th January 2019, 9.30am-12.30pm
GCSE Maths Higher Tier: Number	Saturday 19th January 2019, 1.00 -4.00pm
GCSE Maths Foundation Tier: Algebra	Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2019, 9.30am-12.30pm
GCSE Maths Higher Tier: Algebra	Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2019, 1.00 -4.00pm
GCSE Maths Foundation Tier: Ratio & Proportion	Saturday 23rd February 2019, 9.30am-12.30pm
GCSE Maths Higher Tier: Ratio & Proportion	Saturday 23rd February 2019, 1.00 -4.00pm
GCSE Maths Foundation Tier: Geometry & Measures	Saturday 9th March 2019, 9.30am-12.30pm
GCSE Maths Higher Tier: Geometry & Measures	Saturday 9th March 2019, 1.00 -4.00pm
GCSE Maths Foundation Tier: Fractions, probability & statistics	Saturday 23rd March 2019, 9.30am-12.30pm
GCSE Maths Higher Tier: Fractions, probability & statistics	Saturday 23rd March 2019, 1.00 -4.00pm

Your daughter's Maths teacher would be happy to advise which tier and workshops would be most beneficial for her to attend. For more information regarding these workshops, please contact [training@hertsforlearning.co.uk](mailto:training@hertsforlearning.co.uk) or call 01438 845111 (option 2).

If you would like to book your daughter a place on any of these workshops, please contact Mrs Avey in the finance department: [finance@bishophatfield.herts.sch.uk](mailto:finance@bishophatfield.herts.sch.uk) by **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January**. Help can be given with transport if required.

Yours sincerely,

**Ms L Watkins**

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