

## **The Exam Timetable**

Year 8 Examinations 2022				
	8.55am	9.45am	10:55	1.20pm
<b>Monday 9th May</b>	Mathematics Paper 1 - 1 hour		Geography 45 mins	German 1 hour
<b>Tuesday 10th May</b>	RESERVED FOR PUBLIC EXAM			Science 1 hour (H) 45mins (F)
<b>Wednesday 11th May</b>	History 1 hour		English 45 mins	Mathematics Paper 2 - 1 hour
<b>Thursday 12th May</b>	French 1 hour		RE 45 mins	

### **Key information for the exams**

All exams will be held in the Sports Hall:

- \* Pupils will sit at the same desk according to the seating plan;
- \* Pupils will need to be seated 10 mins before the start of their examination time. Registration will be as normal with a prompt dismissal;

In addition we will be following some public exam rules so that you get practice in taking exams:

- \* you must write in black ink. If you don't have a black pen buy one - and a spare. Bring specialist equipment eg Maths equipment;
- \* your pencil case must be see through. If it isn't you can use a clear plastic bag;
- \* drinking water is encouraged but the water must be in a clear plastic bottle with a sports top and label removed - coloured bottles are not allowed;
- \* the school rule about not leaving a lesson to go to the toilet is strictly enforced unless there is a good medical reason otherwise;
- \* the Sports Hall can be cold - wear lots of layers - you can always take a jumper off if you are too hot;
- \* taking an exam requires you to be in silence all the time you are in the exam room and to face the front once you are seated.

Pupils who miss an exam may have to catch up after school - your teacher will decide.

## **A SHORT REVISION LEAFLET**

### **Top Three Revision Tips:**

- o Plan a revision timetable.
- o Find a quiet place to revise – your bedroom, school, the local library.
- o Short spurts of revision (25-30 minutes) are most effective.

### **Revising at home: Know how you learn best , try these to see what works for you:**

- o Read through a topic and make brief notes on cards which can be used for further revision later.
- o Use colours to highlight keywords in your notes.
- o Redraw diagrams and check how well they match the original.
- o Work with a partner to help and test each other.

### **Check that:**

- o You have time to revise everything and to go over topics more than once.
- o You are not taking on too much at any one time.
- o Just before each exam you have enough time to go over that subject.

### **Example of a Daily Revision Diary**

<b>Day/date</b>	<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Activities</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>French</b>	<b>4.30 – 4.55</b>	<b>'Shops'</b>
	<b>Geography</b>	<b>5.15 – 5.40</b>	<b>Ecosystems: tropical rainforest structure</b>
		<b>6.00 – 8.00</b>	<b>Dinner / Help in the kitchen</b>
	<b>English</b>	<b>8.00 – 8.20</b>	<b>Practise spelling keywords</b>

