

3rd June 2026

Year 11 Examination Communication

Dear Parent, Carer,

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate students on their approach to their exams since they commenced. Students have approached these exams with great determination and focus, and I am sure this will lead to them achieving some fantastic results in August.

The following information is a reminder of key information previously circulated. You will also find attached the Exam Ready Timetable to support you and your child for the remainder of the exam's series.

Booster sessions

All morning exams will start by 9am, which means students will need to line up by 0845. For the vast majority of these 'AM' exams, we will be having **Breakfast Boosters from 0800-0835** and these are clearly indicated on the Exam-Ready Timetable. We are grateful to our catering staff who have agreed to make the offer of **Free Breakfasts from 0750** for year 11 students, so they can maximise their time in the booster session. (Students can arrive anytime from 8am).

All afternoon exams start at 1.30pm, which means students will need to line up by 1.15pm and have their lunch earlier at 12.45pm. **For the vast majority of these 'PM' exams, we have planned in booster lessons during the school day from 11.15am-12.45pm.**

Our **unit 6 timetable has changed**. Instead, it will be more flexible based on upcoming exams, mostly exams on the following day. Therefore, **only sessions indicated on the Exam-Ready Timetable will be going ahead**. Students can still remain behind to work in our Post-16 workspace.

Exam starts and finishes

I would like to remind students of the importance of arriving to exams on time. Morning exams start at 9:00am with students expected to be lining up at the exam hall by 8:45. If your child arrives to school via public transport, it is strongly recommended that students aim to take an earlier bus to ensure they are here on time. Depending on the duration of the exam, students will either go to break or return to lesson. Students are expected to make an immediate return to lessons and not wonder school site, failure to do so will result in the behaviour policy being followed.

Afternoon exams commence at 13:30, with students expected to be at the assembly hall for 13:15. For afternoon exams that finish early we will be releasing students from site directly from their exam. If students are due to have booster session during unit 6, they are welcome to return/ remain on school site and will be directed where to go.

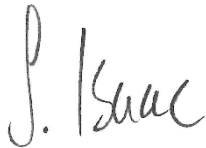
Study Leave

All students will need to attend all their subject lessons until the end of the Maths exam on **Wednesday 10th June (~10.30am)**. There will be a booster straight after those that study Geography, Food or Dance, so students studying these subjects will be allowed to leave before or

after lunch. **From Thursday 11th June**, students will only need to come in for their remaining exams and lessons/ booster sessions.

Where students attend lessons in subjects that have finished all their examination components, they will be expected to revise for their other subjects. A copy of the attached document was shared with you and students last week. The main task for them is to highlight which subjects they have already completed each week and to identify, in advance, any work they can take into those lessons to revise for any of their remaining examinations. If they are based in a computer room, knowing which websites they can use or, if in a normal classroom, preparing paper-based resources in advance. By planning and being proactive, students will be able to maximise their revision time.

For students who do disrupt lessons or fail to follow staff instructions, we may place them on study leave, which will mean they may also miss out on all remaining booster sessions as well as the prom and graduation.



Mr Isaac
Head of Year 11

Headteacher: Damien Whales, Ken Stimpson Academy is a school within the Four Cs Multi-Academy Trust (MAT)

Four Cs MAT is a company limited by guarantee, registered in England with company number 7333133, exempt from using the word 'Limited'.

Registered office: Helpston Road, Glington, Peterborough, PE6 7JX



linktr.ee/cs_school