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15th February 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

To help prepare students for their GCSE Italian speaking exam, we will be completing a second Speaking PPE (Pre-Public Examination) on **Thursday 29 February and Friday 01 March 2024**.

Students will be given an individual appointment for this exam, which will last approximately 15 minutes on one of the scheduled days.

In our lessons this half-term, students have been made aware of this exam and have practiced the skills they will need for the tasks involved. This is the same format as the real exam, namely a role play, photo card question and questions on two general conversation themes. Revision materials and past paper questions have been issued and are published on Microsoft Teams. A regular unit 6 revision session takes place on Fridays after school, where students can practice their speaking skills and ask any questions they may have in preparation.

Please could I ask you to encourage your child to prepare as thoroughly as possible for this PPE as it will help ensure the best possible outcome in the final exams in late April/early May.

Yours sincerely

Ms Frith

Joint Head of MFL