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25 September 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

As you may already be aware, in November Year 11 will be sitting one of their Mathematics GCSE papers.

Students have been studying for two GCSEs in the subject which are:

- Mathematics
- Mathematics Numeracy

Only **ONE** of these GCSEs will be completed by students in November.

The dates for these exams based upon you child's class is outlined below:

Class	Paper	Date/Time
Mrs Williams (set 4) Mrs Lewis (set 1)	Mathematics Numeracy Non-Calculator	Tuesday 3 November 9.00 am (1 hour 45 mins)
Mrs Williams (set 4) Mrs Lewis (set 1)	Mathematics Numeracy Calculator	Thursday 5 November 9.00 am (1 hour 45 mins)
Mrs Beveridge (set 2 & 3)	Mathematics Non-Calculator	Monday 9 November 9.00 am (1 hour 45 mins)
Mrs Beveridge (set 2 & 3)	Mathematics Calculator	Wednesday 11 November 9.00 am (1 hour 45 mins)

Allowing students to complete one of their GCSEs in November will mean there are fewer examinations for them to sit in Summer 2021 and allow them to concentrate purely on Mathematics for November.

All students have been advised to revise an hour each day, using MathsWatch where they can access instructional videos and questions similar to those that will appear on their examinations. They will also be completing GCSE past papers in class and will be bringing this home once completed to continue revision. Revision sessions after school are also provided by the Mathematics department on a Monday, 3.05 pm – 4.05 pm.

To prepare your child for this up and coming examination we are also providing students with mock examinations on the following dates:

Non-Calculator: Monday 12 October                      Periods 1 & 2  
Calculator: Wednesday 14 October                      Periods 3 & 5

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office or on our Mathematics Facebook page.

Yours sincerely,

**E Beveridge**  
**Mathematics Curriculum Leader**