



9th February 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

## Year 11 Pre Public Examinations Monday 6th to Friday 17th March 2023

In order to provide the maximum support and preparation for the final examinations your son/daughter will be undertaking some further pre public examinations (PPE) between Monday 6<sup>th</sup> and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March.

Examinations in the core subjects, English, Mathematics and Science, will be held in the Sports Hall (please see the attached timetable) however there will also be some examinations in the foundation subjects and these will take place in normal lesson times.

Your son/daughter has been made aware of the PPEs and it is imperative at this stage that they are revising and making every effort to do their best in these as this is their final opportunity for a full practice prior to the actual examinations in the summer.

The PPEs will provide information about how your son/daughter is progressing and when the papers are analysed we will be able to accurately focus on areas where they still need support to ensure they meet their full potential.

We have also put together a comprehensive Learning Support Programme for students to help them with revision for the forthcoming examinations, please see the attached which we would encourage your son/daughter to also attend. You will also find attached a revision support pack that guides students through the different methods for revision and how to make the most effective use of their revision time.

In addition, to support students with their revision for the PPE's all home learning from Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February until Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March will be revision based.

If you have not yet purchased revision guides these can be purchased via Arbor, please see the attached order form which details the revision guides that are available to be purchased through the school.

## How to pay online:

- Log into Arbor via a web browser
- Click into School Shop (this can be found at the bottom of the main screen)
- Click onto the product you wish to purchase, select quantity and add any comment(s) if required

Follow the on screen instructions to complete the payment, some subjects have more than one revision guide, please confirm which revision guide you require in the comment box e.g. foundation or higher tier. If however you have problems or you would like further information on how to access Arbor please contact the Finance Office on 01727 856874.









There is funding available for those students who are registered or have previously been registered for free school meals, please contact Mr Griggs, <u>J.Griggs@marlborough.herts.sch.uk</u> for further information.

If you have any questions regarding the examinations, please ask your son/daughter's subject teachers in the first instance or Mrs Stinson, the Examinations Officer who is based in the corridor to the side of reception.

We want to wish every student the best of luck with their PPEs and hope you have an enjoyable half term break.

Yours sincerely,

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