

4<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are writing to inform you that your child will have one additional day of mock exams, taking place on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March. They will sit a 1hr 45-minute English exam in the morning, starting at 8.45am and a 1hr 30-minute Maths exam in the afternoon, starting at 1pm.

### English Exam

To complete both English Literature and Language qualifications this Summer, students will be expected to sit 4 written exams. We want students to be prepared for the demand of our written examinations and feel another mock exam would provide an additional experience of writing for an extended period of time.

We have taken the decision to sit English Language Paper 2 as this is the last opportunity year 11 will get to sit this paper in full. This mock will also provide an opportunity for students to receive valuable feedback from their teachers.

### Maths Exam: Calculator Paper

Following the recent guidance from the exam boards, we have been provided with specific topics which will be tested on each of the 3 Maths papers. Therefore, we want to provide students with the opportunity to sit one paper in the same conditions as their actual GCSEs.

Your child will receive a topic list of everything being tested in the 1.5-hour Maths exam. On this sheet, they will also be provided with the corresponding Hegarty Maths clip numbers to support with their revision.

It will be a calculator paper as we have been working on calculator topics since the last round of mocks and want to see if there has been an improvement in calculator use and efficiency.

If you have any questions, please get in touch.

Kind regards,

Miss Watts                      Miss Smith  
Head of Maths    Head of English