



May 2019

Dear Parent / Carer

End of Year Examinations – Year 10

I am writing to inform you that the Year 10 formal end of year examinations will take place week commencing **Monday 17 June 2019**. This is a very good opportunity for our students to familiarise themselves with the examination process in readiness for their Pre-Public Examinations (mock examinations) and their final GCSEs in Year 11.

Please find enclosed with this letter a copy of the Year 10 examination timetable. Your child will also receive a personalised copy of their examination timetable from their tutor during tutor time in the coming days. To help support your child revise for these important examinations, a revision booklet, revision links and revision topics can be accessed through the school website by visiting www.thehambleschool.co.uk/revision.

All examinations will be completed in the Sports Hall under examination conditions – these are the same conditions students will experience in their final GCSE examinations in Year 11. Students will receive additional guidance in an assembly, and will explore our expectations during examinations including student conduct. Students who qualify for access arrangements will have their needs met by The Harbour team and complete their examinations in an alternative venue to accommodate their needs.

Please discuss your child's examinations with them and encourage them to revise in readiness to showcase their knowledge, skills and understanding. The recent Year 10 Landmark Assessments in March will have provided an excellent opportunity for your child to recognise their strengths and their areas of development. This information is instrumental in supporting your child in prioritising their revision.

If you or your child wish to discuss the upcoming examinations for Year 10, please contact your child's tutor in the first instance who will be able to offer advice and support. We look forward to a successful Year 10 examination season.

Yours faithfully

Mr Simon Knight
Associate Assistant Headteacher

If, at any time, you should require special arrangements to be made when visiting the school and/or in order to participate fully in supporting your child at school (e.g. an accessible venue for meetings, if you are a wheelchair user, assistance with translation of documents or enlarged copies of communications etc.), please do not hesitate to let us know.

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YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAM TIMETABLE

JUNE 2019

DATE	EXAM PAPER	MAIN COHORT			
		START	END	LENGTH	LOCATION
Monday 17 June	History – Paper 1	09:00	10:15	1h 15	Sports Hall
	Science – Biology Paper 1	11:20	12:35	1h 15	Sports Hall
Tuesday 18 June	Maths – Paper 1	09:00	10:30	1h 30	Sports Hall
	English – Paper 1	11:30	13:15	1h 45	Sports Hall
	Design Technology	14:10	15:05	55m	Sports Hall
Wednesday 19 June	Maths – Paper 2	09:00	10:30	1h 30	Sports Hall
	History – Paper 2	11:30	13:15	1h 45	Sports Hall
	French & Spanish – Written (Foundation Tier)	14:10	15:10	1h	Sports Hall
	French & Spanish – Written (Higher Tier)	14:10	15:25	1h 15	
Thursday 20 June	English – Paper 2	09:00	10:45	1h 45	Sports Hall
	Geography – Paper 1	11:30	13:00	1h 30	Sports Hall
	Music	14:00	15:15	1h 15	Music Room
Friday 21 June	Maths – Paper 3	09:00	10:30	1h 30	Sports Hall
	Science – Chemistry Paper 1	11:30	12:45	1h 15	Sports Hall
Monday 24 June	Geography – Paper 2	09:00	10:30	1h 30	Sports Hall
	Religious Education – Paper 1	11:20	13:05	1h 45	Sports Hall
	Physical Education – Paper 1				
	Drama	13:45	14:45	1h	Sports Hall
Tuesday 25 June	Science – Physics Paper 1	09:00	10:15	1h 15	Sports Hall
	Computer Science	11:30	13:10	1h 40	Sports Hall
	Geography – Paper 3	14:10	14:45	35m	Sports Hall
Wednesday 26 June	Art	08:30	15:00	5h	L7 & L8
Thursday 27 June	Media Studies	09:00	12:45	1h 45	Sports Hall
	History – Paper 3	11:30	12:50	1h 20	Sports Hall
Friday 28 June	Religious Education – Paper 2	09:00	10:45	1h 45	Sports Hall
	Physical Education – Paper 2	09:00	10:30	1h 30	
	Food Preparation and Nutrition	11:30	12:25	55m	Sports Hall

- Please see your tutor for your seating plan.
- Students in the Sports Hall will use classroom B4 as bag drop. Please leave your bag in here before lining up in the Quadrant area (PE line up).
- Students in The Progress Zone will use the Main Office in the Skills Centre as a bag drop.
- Students in T2 will use T2 as bag drop.
- Please only bring in materials to each exam that you will need – black pen (and a spare), pencil, eraser, ruler and scientific calculator (if required).



YEAR 10 REVISION SUMMER 2019

SUBJECT	REVISION TOPICS
English	<p>Paper 1 Explorations in creative reading and writing (Fictional text) Writers' methods – language devices and their effects / Structural devices and their effects / Writing to describe and narrate. Spelling, punctuation and grammar.</p> <p>Paper 2 Writers' viewpoints and perspectives (Non-fiction Texts) Writers' methods – language devices and their effects / Structural devices and their effects / Comparisons skills – summary of ideas in a text. Identification and comparison of writer's viewpoints. Writing to argue and persuade. Spelling, punctuation and grammar.</p>
Mathematics	Higher Tier & Foundation Tier topics to revise added to Show My Homework.
Science	<p>Biology Cell biology / Organisation / Infection and response / Bioenergetics</p> <p>Chemistry Atomic structure / Periodic table / Bonding / Quantitative chemistry / Chemical changes / Energy changes</p> <p>Physics Energy / Electricity / Particle model of matter / Atomic structure / Radiation</p>
Geography	<p>Paper 1 UK Physical Landscapes / The Living World / The Challenge of Natural Hazards</p> <p>Paper 2 The Changing Economic World / The Challenge of Resource Management</p> <p>Paper 3 Fieldwork</p>
History	<p>Paper 1 Crime and Punishment c.1000 – Present</p> <p>Paper 2 Cold War & Early Elizabethan England</p> <p>Paper 3 Weimar and Nazi Germany</p>
Religious Studies	<p>Paper 1 Key Christian beliefs and practices and key Islamic beliefs and practices.</p> <p>Paper 2 Relationships and families / Religion and life / The existence of God and revelation / Crime and punishment / Human rights and social justice</p>
French	Environment: Problems and Solutions
Spanish	<p>The City and Global Issues (Set 1)</p> <p>Past Holidays and Local Area (Set 2)</p>



SUBJECT	REVISION TOPICS
Computer Science	Paper 1 Computer Science Principles
Art	Theme: Fragments Students will be asked to create a final response as part of Unit 1 – 60% weighting
Design Technology	Materials, processes, sustainability, Maths-based measuring materials, application and meaning of key words within design solutions.
Drama	Blood Brothers / Theatre Roles / Staging Types / Stage Areas / Theatre Design (lighting, sound, costume, set)
Food Preparation and Nutrition	Nutrition / Function of ingredients / Food Science / Food safety / Food provenance
Media Studies	TV Unit: Cuffs and Avenger – Media Language, Representation, Audience, Context and Industry Promotion Unit: Lego Video Game and Lego Movie – Film promotion, Warner Bros Industry and Cross-media convergence
Music	Revision cards and Haydn’s Clock Symphony.
Physical Education	Paper 1 Unit 1: Applied Anatomy and Physiology, Movement Analysis and Physical Training Paper 2 Unit 2: Health, Fitness and Wellbeing and Sport Psychology

