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Dear Parent/Carer

### **English and Maths Revision 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018 and Key Information for Year 11**

As the exam season is nearly upon us I am writing to inform you of an important revision opportunity on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May and Key Information for the next few weeks. Our aim is to make this time as positive and supportive as possible so that all students are able to achieve the best they can in their exams.

#### **English and Maths Revision 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

On Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May Year 11 will have an extended day in the Academy to focus upon English and Maths revision. This will take place from 1.15pm until 5.00pm. We will be providing snacks and drinks during this time and an evening meal from 5pm until 6pm.

Year 11 students will then have the opportunity to take part in a range of fun activities and for the first time the Academy is offering Year 11 the opportunity to take part in a sleep over in the Academy.

On Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> May English and Maths revision will start at 9.00am, following a breakfast, until 12.30pm.

This is a fantastic opportunity for your child and we hope that you will support us by encouraging your child to take part. Please indicate on the attached reply slip what your child will take part in and fill in the consent form. Please return the reply slip and consent form as soon as possible as numbers are required by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May. Forms should be returned to either Mr Scott or Mr Shanks.

#### **Key Information for Year 11**

##### **1. Half Term Revision 28<sup>th</sup> May – 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2018**

Revision during half term will be offered in a number of subjects. This timetable will be published shortly on the website and a copy will be sent home.

##### **2. After Half Term**

Students return to school on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June and Year 11 will be expected in the Academy for revision sessions or for the actual exams. Students will be given a new timetable of all the revision sessions they need to attend for the exams which have not been taken. Students must come to the Academy in uniform at all times after May half term.

##### **3. Exam Timetable**

All Year 11 students have been given their exam timetable which lists all of the exams they are taking. Additionally a full exam timetable is available on the website.

#### **4. Key Dates**

In addition to the preparation information, there are a few important dates for your diary.

We will be celebrating the last formal day of school for Year 11 with a 'Celebration Assembly' on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018. Students may wear Fancy Dress. This has been an Ormiston Maritime Academy tradition in the last few years. We ask that students do not wear inappropriate costumes for this occasion. We hope students enjoy the celebration of 5 years at the Academy.

This year the Prom will take place on the evening of Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018. May I also take the opportunity to remind you that students are legally in full time education until Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June and so may not begin full time work until after that date.

#### **Exam Results**

Exam results will be available for students to collect from the Academy on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> August at 10.00am. We do hope that students will come to collect them in person – we want to share in their success and we will also be on hand to help if things have not gone as planned. If your child cannot pick them up in person, we are not allowed to give them to anyone else by hand, by email or on the phone unless we have a signed letter from the student (not parent) giving someone else permission to collect them. The person collecting the results on a student's behalf must bring with them photographic identity. This is part of the exam board regulations. Any results which are not collected by 2pm will be posted to your home address, if you have provided a stamped addressed envelope.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me. Please do not forget to return the reply slip and consent form enclosed.

Thank you for all your support in working together with us to ensure that your child achieves the best GCSE grades they can in the summer.

Yours sincerely

Miss E J Cooling  
Vice Principal

## English and Maths Revision 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018

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Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	
1.15pm – 5.00pm Revision	Compulsory for all students
Evening Meal ‘Take Away Special’ 5.00pm – 6.00pm	
Evening Activities and Sleepover In the Academy	
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	
Breakfast 8.30am – 9.00am	
Revision 9.00am – 12.30pm	

Please return to the Academy to Mr Scott or Mr Shanks by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2018.