

Weekly Parental Bulletin

17th June 2022

Year 11 Students

Today we say goodbye to our Year 11 students who will go on study leave for the final part of their GCSE exams. We all wish them well on the next stage of their life's journey. It's fair to say that they have had a challenging time and steering through their KS4 studies in the middle of a pandemic, but they have risen to the challenge, demonstrating their positive attitudes and determination.

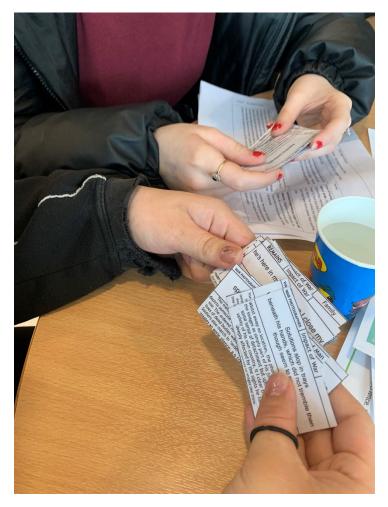
We are extremely proud of them.

Good Luck Class of 22!!

Year 10 - Get GCSE Ready!







A huge well done to all students attending our P6 sessions. Dropping into these over this week I have been so impressed with students' attitudes and hard work. these extra 30-minute sessions will be invaluable in preparing students for their end of year assessments.

Many assessments will take place in lessons however a more formal timetable of core subject assessments has been shared with students and will be available on our website. Next week student will receive an assembly on formal examination practice, so they are fully prepared and ready for these.

We very much look forward to meeting all parents on the 20th of July with our students to receive their Mock results and hear about our plans to support Year 10 into and throughout their final GCSE year.

Keep up the great work Year 10!

Year 11 Study Leave

All year 11 parents have received a letter outlining the arrangements for Year 11's move onto study leave for their final week of exams. It has been so impressive to see the commitment and dedication to revision and preparation from the students, as the images below show. We wish all Year 11 the best of luck in their remaining exams and further communication will be sent out regarding additional study sessions available to students.

Year 9 options update

We have gathered all options choices from year 9 now and are currently building the timetable for next year. We look forward to sharing with students and parents in the next few weeks the final option allocations.

Mrs Cherry Crooks Assistant Headteacher

Parent's Evening

Year 9 Parents Meeting will take place in the Thumbprint Restaurant on Tuesday 28th May 3:15-6pm, please check you can log into School Cloud.

https://thornhillacademy.schoolcloud.co.uk/Auth/Teacher

Exams WB 20th June 2022

Monday 20th June AM

Chemistry - Trilogy 1hr 45mins/Combined 1hr 10mins - Sports Hall/Dance Studio

Tuesday 21st June AM

History - 55mins - Sports Hall/Dance Studio

Tuesday 21st June PM

Hospitality - 1hr 30mins- Sports Hall/Dance Studio

Wednesday 22nd June AM

Music - 1hr 15mins - Music Rooms

Thursday 23rd June AM

Chemistry - Trilogy 1hr 45mins/Combined 1hr 10mins - Sports Hall/Dance Studio

And that all folks for this year's GCSEs!

The JCQ exam inspector was in school on Thursday, during the French written exam, and we received a big green \checkmark for our inspection.

Y10 Mock Exams - Core Subject in Sports Hall/Dance Studio - Monday 27th June - 1st July 2022

Paper copies will be in pigeonholes on Monday morning, please can these be collected and distributed to groups during registration. Please can a copy also be displayed on Tutor Group Notice Boards. Please could Tutors/HOY please also remind students, of the expected behaviour in exams and not to bring into exam rooms mobile phone/watches etc.

YEAR 10 EXAMINATION TIMETABLE June 2022 The internal examinations will take place Monday 27th June - Friday 1st July

Week 2		1	2		3		4	5
Monday 27 th June	т	English Lang Paper 1 1hr 45mins		В		LUX	Biology Triple Award 1hr 30mins Combined 50mins	
Tuesday 28 th June	u † o	Chemistry Triple Award 1hr 30mins Combined 50mins		R			Maths Paper 1 1hr	
Wednesday 29th June	r	Maths Paper 2 1hr		A K		C		English Lit 50mins
Thursday 30 th June	G r o	Physics Triple Award 1hr 30mins Combined 50mins		-			Maths Paper 3 1hr	
Friday 1 st July	u P		English Lit 50mins					

Tutor registrations will take place in the Thumbprint Restaurant Monday 27th -Thursday 30th June.

Thorough revision is essential for all examinations. An excellent standard of behaviour is expected. Pupils must listen carefully to all instructions and come prepared with the correct utensils of pen/pencil/ruler etc. They must be in correct uniform and ensure that they are on time for all examinations.

<u>Pupils are to check the examination seating plan which will be placed in the window of the Sports Hall and HOY notice</u> <u>board</u>

No mobile phones/ear pods or wrist watches are to be brought into an exam room.

Music

Blood Brothers 21.09.229 Tickets are available for Blood Brothers on 21.09.22 at £15 each (Parent Pay). Please note that Current Y10 GCSE Drama students have their tickets already.

Y11 Music GCSE Revision sessions

Y11 GCSE Music students will continue their revision sessions on Saturday 11th June and Saturday 18th of June 10am - 12pm.

<u>Uniform</u>

Students have returned to school looking smart and are wearing their uniform with pride. We would like to give a massive thank you to parents for your support in ensuring students have returned to school in full school uniform. If students do not have the correct uniform, we have set up a uniform store where students will be provided with a loan uniform for the day. A reminder that ties are now available from reception at a cost of £6, this is also payable via parent pay.

Improved Punctuality of our Amazing Students

The Attendance Team at Thornhill Academy would like to thank all parents/carers that have supported our continuing improvement in punctuality.

Students are expected on school site for 8.30am ready for registration starting at 8.40am.

Alternatively, students are also welcome to school from 7.30am and can take advantage of a free breakfast in the school restaurant.

The support of parents getting students to school on time cannot be underestimated and we are extremely grateful for all your efforts. We hope this continues and thank you for all of your support and working together with us.

Further information regarding your child's attendance and punctuality can be found on the SIMS parent app.

Should you have any queries or require further information on any item in the news bulletin, you can contact the school by the following methods:

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