

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

### RE: Year 11 January Exams

As you will be aware your child is due to sit an external examination next week which will contribute to 25% of their final qualification. Despite school closure, all external exams will still go ahead. The exam timetable for this has been sent to you by email or posted to you if we do not have a valid email address on record.

The first exam will be on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January at 9am. If your child is sitting this exam they should arrive to school as normal and go to the canteen no later than 8.40am to register.

As you may be aware, these are vocational examinations. Although there will be an opportunity to resit them, success now will mean one less exam to complete in June. We are therefore keen for all students to pass these exams, to reduce the amount of revision needed this summer.

To ensure students are ready for the exams they will need to complete all lessons this week that are set on Microsoft Teams. In addition to this we will be offering onsite revision sessions at the following times:

Exam	Revision Day	Revision Time	Room
Sport Studies	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> January	11.30 – 2.30	IT4
Sport Science	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	8.40 – 11.30	IT4
Health and Social Care	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	9.40 – 12.40	HSC1

Students should arrive 5 minutes before the session starts and go straight to the room above. They do not need to wear school uniform but must wear a mask or exemption lanyard.

Students also have an ICT exam on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January. Students will have access to a revision session on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> once Year 11 students are back onsite.

If you have any questions or if you are concerned about your child being onsite during revision sessions do not hesitate to email me at [hrichley@leaf.bournemouth.sch.uk](mailto:hrichley@leaf.bournemouth.sch.uk).

Yours sincerely,



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