THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

16th March 2018

Re: Invite to Year 11 PPE2 Examinations Afternoon at 2.40pm on Tuesday 27th March

We would like to invite you to the issuing of your son's Year 11 PPE2 Examination results in our Main Hall at 2:40pm on Tuesday 27th March 2018. This will be in the form of one summary results sheet which replicates the experience in the summer which I am sure that you will be looking forward to see! We will also be running subject breakout sessions and you can choose which to attend based on your son's results. This will be your last opportunity to see your son's teachers before the start of the actual GCSE Examinations in **6** school weeks' time.

The subject breakout sessions will start at 3.40pm and there will be a special session for the Art students and their parents/carers at 4.35pm. We have asked that all teachers resist the temptation to issue results in advance of March 27th. However, teachers will be returning the examination papers in the next few weeks so that you son can see where he scored his marks and where he still needs to improve. Grades will not be identified.

I would also encourage you to reflect upon these examinations at home and set appropriate targets. Revision must really be an absolute priority over the Easter break as the first formal GCSE exam is on 14th May (the Art and MFL orals are before this date). *We will be running an English intervention for students during the Easter holiday*. This will be run by Ms Mellor, who is an examiner, and will take place in the Main Hall on **Wednesday 11th April**. Sets 1-3 will have their revision session 9.00-11.30am and Sets 4-6 will have their session 12.30-3.00pm.

We recommend the use of GCSEpod, and for students to work to a planned timetable and attend as many of the revision clinics in school as possible. I am sure that the students can start to look forward with some excitement to the summer examinations so that they can achieve grades of which they are proud. Invariably students attain what they deserve, and a final commitment to revision now will definitely pay off.

I look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 27th March at 2.40pm in the Main Hall. Please remember to bring an electronic device to record notes or a pen and paper if you prefer.

Yours sincerely,

P E McCullagh - Headteacher