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Higher/Advanced Higher Preliminary Examination Diet – January 2017

Dear Pupil/Parent/Carer

This booklet contains a copy of the timetable for the forthcoming Higher/Advanced Higher Preliminary Examination diet. This can also be viewed on the school website. **(If adverse weather disrupts the examinations, daily updates will also be given via the school website).**

The non-practical examinations will commence on Monday 9 January and finish on Wednesday 18 January 2017. Practical examinations are being held in the period between Thursday 19 January and Tuesday 24 January 2017.

On the instruction of the Scottish Government and Renfrewshire Council, there will be **NO STUDY LEAVE** during the preliminary examinations. All pupils will be expected to attend school each day as normal during the examination diet and attend their timetabled classes when not sitting an examination. Pupils not attending school will be marked as having an unauthorised absence, unless the reason for absence is notified by letter and qualifies as an authorised absence.

A team of external invigilators will supervise the examinations, almost all of which will be held in the Games Hall in the same way as the SQA examinations are held each year in May. Class teachers will be available for classes at the normal timetabled times. Pupils will therefore be able to continue with work and prepare for their examinations in a properly supervised classroom environment. Before the examinations begin, pupils will receive an individual timetable detailing precisely which examinations/levels they will be sitting. Pupils with examination concessions will be informed of these and any additional time or separate accommodation allocated will be marked on their timetable. **On the odd occasion, examinations for pupils with additional time may run on after the end of the school day. This should be taken into account when considering transport arrangements.**

If a pupil cannot attend a timetabled examination for any reason, including illness, a call to the school should be made at the earliest opportunity. Pupils should sign-in for examinations in the concourse area **at least 15 minutes before the start time.**

Yours sincerely

Ann Marie Skillen

Depute Head Teacher/SQA Co-ordinator

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Timetable for Higher/Advanced Higher Preliminary Examinations January 2017



Date	Subject	Paper	Time	Location
Monday 9 January	English English	Higher Reading for UA&E Higher Critical Reading	09:00 – 10:30 11:00 – 12:30	Games Hall Games Hall
	Design & Manufacture	Higher	1:10 – 3:10	Games Hall
Tuesday 10 January	Mathematics	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 12:00	Games Hall
	Mathematics Mathematics	Higher Paper 1 Higher Paper 2	09:00 – 10:10 10:40 – 12:10	Games Hall Games Hall
	PE	Higher	1:00 – 2:30	Games Hall
	Graphic Communication	Higher	1:10 – 3:10	Games Hall
Wednesday 11 January	Modern Studies	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 12:00	Games Hall
	Modern Studies	Higher	09:00 – 11:15	Games Hall
	Accounting	Higher	1:10 – 3:10	Games Hall
Thursday 12 January	Biology	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	Biology	Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	RMPS	Higher	12:55 – 3:10	Games Hall

Friday 13 January	Computing	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 11:00	Games Hall
	Computing	Higher	09:00 – 11:00	Games Hall
	Spanish	Higher	09:00 – 10:40	Games Hall
	French	Advanced Higher	12:50 – 2:20	Games Hall
	French	Higher	12:50 – 2:30	Games Hall
Monday 16 January	Physics	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	Physics	Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	History	Higher	12:45 – 3:05	Games Hall
Tuesday 17 January	Geography	Higher	09:00 – 11:15	Games Hall
	Business Management	Higher	12:50 – 3:05	Games Hall
Wednesday 18 January	Chemistry	Advanced Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	Chemistry	Higher	09:00 – 11:30	Games Hall
	Art	Higher	09:00 – 11:00	Games Hall

PRACTICAL PRELIMS

Date	Subject	Paper	Time	Location
Thursday 19 January	Art	Advanced Higher	All Day	Department
	French	Higher Listening	Periods 3 & 4	Department
Friday 20 January	French	Advanced Higher Listening and Discursive Writing	Periods 1 & 2	ML1
	Art	Advanced Higher	All Day	Department
Monday 23 January	Art	Higher	All Day	Department
Tuesday 24 January	Music Listening	Higher	Periods 3 & 4 (C)	Department
	Music Listening	Advanced Higher	Periods 3 & 4 (C)	Department
	Music Listening	Higher	Periods 6 & 7 (D)	Department
	Spanish Listening	Higher	Periods 1 & 2	Department