



SBL Academy
Year 11
Exam Week Briefing w/c 12/5/25

- 1) As a group, Year 11 have responded exceptionally well in the run up to their external exams. Students have been well organised and a large number have taken part in our after school revision and Easter booster sessions. Day-to-day lessons have been very productive also. Parents can help at home by ensuring that students continue with revision and that students eat well, keep hydrated, exercise and sleep well in the week ahead.
- 2) The full exam timetable can be found by clicking [HERE](#).
- 3) Warm up sessions will run every day in advance of morning exams to get students in the right frame of mind to sit the paper. Students will have the chance to take part in a 'warm-up' session before most exams. These warm-ups will allow our Y11 students to get in the right frame of mind and ensure you get the best advice possible from your teachers and other subject specialists.

Next week, warm-up sessions will be running as follows:

May	Start	Subject	Warm-Up Venue
Mon 12 th	09.00am	English Lit P1	Meet at 8.25am in the following rooms. CEC (taken by EHA) M87, HEV E5, HSC - E4, JRO - M84, LCO - E5, LWI - E1A, PFU – MI, TSY - M83
Mon 12 th	1.15pm	Computer St	Meet Mr Oakley in the dining hall at 12.25pm Then warm up in M53
Tuesday 13 th	09.00am	RS	Meet 8.25am with Mr Hill Then warm up in G17.
Tuesday 13 th	1.15pm	Science - Biology P1	Meet Science Team in the dining hall at 12.25pm Then Triple Sc students to M42 with HRA. Combined (Double) Sc to G3 with AMA, KSA, ESD
Wed 14 th	09.00am	Geography	Meet 8.25am in G3 with CST and SPE
Wednesday 14 th	1.30pm	CNAT Sports Studies.	Meet in canteen at 12.25pm then warm up with MSS and CML in G3
Thu 15 th	9.00am	Maths – P1	Meet at 8.15am with Maths teachers. 11P2 RWS M21, 11P4 TFO M38, 11P5 JRR M26, 11P6 VTH M55, 11S1 RWS M21, 11S3 WFO M25, 11S4 CSM M22, 11S5 LWA M23. NB There will also be a revision session the night before (Wednesday 14th: 3.05pm – 4.05pm) same rooms as above.
Thu 15 th	1.00pm	Psychology	Meet KSH in the dining hall at 12.15pm then warm up in G3.
Friday 16 th	09.00am	History – P1	Meet 8.25am with History teachers as follows: G18 with DHA. G22 with RWD and G3 with SST.

Early Lunches

To be clear, the warm-up schedule for Tuesday for the whole year group exam is as follows.

Science Biology Paper 1 – 13/05/2025 – Tuesday week A – Afternoon

Class	Teacher (s)	Location
11Cop	AMA, KSA, ESD	G3 – lower canteen
11Cur		
11Dar		
11Ein		
11Hig		
11Lis		
Triples (T1&T2)	HRA	M42

Uniform

We expect Hoodies to be available early in term 5. For students who have purchased [hoodie jackets](#) please remember that you need to wear a shirt underneath the hoodie. Blazers and ties are not required. Otherwise, normal school uniform rules apply. This includes wearing shoes, skirts and trousers in line with our regulations. Students who fail to follow procedure will spend time in our Isolation Room and the privilege of wearing a hoodie is removed for students who do not follow our expectations.

Revision

Our previously circulated guidance on how to revise can be found here:

[Our revision site for all subjects](#)

[Advice on how to revise for Maths](#)

[Advice on how to revise for English](#)

[General revision advice](#)

Exam Regulations

An advice document regarding Ofqual exams guidance is available [here](#).

Uniform Donation

If you feel that you could donate your child's blazer and/or tie to the school, we would be most grateful, these would be most helpful. Any donations of **any uniform** items can be handed in at Student Services.

Post 16 Induction Day

This is scheduled to take place on 30th June – 1st July from 8.45am. This is a chance for Year 11 students who will be returning in September to become acquainted with Sixth Form life in advance of the start of term 1 in September.

And Finally

As previously communicated in our letter home in April, there is **no study leave whatsoever** in term five. Students must be in school for every lesson. More details regarding term 6 arrangements will follow.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S White', with a large, stylized initial 'S'.

Mr S White
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