Dear parents and carers,

Please find below a summary of the key messages which we are sharing with students this coming week:

**Exams**

Good luck to all students who are undergoing exams. The GCSE first Maths and English exams have taken place this week, with the second papers following after the half-term break. A level exams have started in Earnest and all coursework was submitted to the exam boards last week. If students need support with revision, they can drop into the study zones where they can get support from one of our learning and progress mentors. It’s the half-term break, week beginning 30th May but the LRCs will be open from 10am to 4pm on the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday should students wish to revise at college.  Next week, we will be reminding students to be mindful when moving around college as exams are taking place in many rooms across the site.  We will also be reminding them that there must be NO phones or watches taken into the exam room. Having a phone on them will likely result in their qualification being withdrawn by the exam board. Please support us by reminding your young person about this.

**End of year survey**

3 times a year, we ask students to complete a detailed survey about all aspects of their study programme.  The end-of-year survey (called QDP) is live now. Please remind your young person to complete it, if they haven’t already.

That’s all for this week.

Kind regards,

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