# **HENDON SCHOOL**

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## Year 13: Leavers' Day, Study Leave and Exams

Dear year 13 students, parents and carers,

Our summer exam season is upon us, with a few students already taking exams. For most, the exams start fully in just over a week and so we would like to confirm the final arrangements for year 13 students.

### Study Leave and Exams

All year 13 students should be in school **every day** until Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May. This will be the last full teaching day. Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May will be our year 13 leavers' day, further details below.

From Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May year 13 students are only expected to come into school for exams. All students need to ensure they have their exam timetable and should check both the date and time of each exam carefully. A reminder that for our morning exams students need to be in school by 8:30am and for afternoon exams they need to be here by 13:00.

Please remember that most lessons will continue as normal with teachers conducting revision sessions for students, and we strongly encourage students to attend these sessions when they can.

#### Leavers' Day

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May we are inviting all our year 13 students to join us for a Leavers' Day celebrations. Students need to arrive to school at 11:30 and come straight to sixth form where light refreshments will be provided.

The day will include our leavers' assembly, a chance to reflect on their time in HS6 and acknowledge all they have achieved, as well as giving out student awards and looking back on their journey with us. Following this we will host a farewell BBQ for students and staff to celebrate together.

Leavers' Day is a significant event in sixth form and we look forward sharing this day with our students, before they enter the busy exam period.

#### Homecoming

Our Homecoming event will be on Monday  $23^{rd}$  June, from 18:00 - 22:30, where we will celebrate the end of the exams and our students' final chapter at Hendon. Please refer to the Homecoming letter sent out previously for further information.

#### **Results Day: Thursday 14th August**

A reminder that results day is **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August**. All students will be able to come into school and collect their results on this day. Sixth Form staff will be available to celebrate student successes and support with next steps as needed.

All that remains for me to say is a huge well done to our year 13 students. They have worked hard throughout their time in HS6 and we know they are preparing as best they can for these final, challenging exams. We look forward to our Leavers' day with them next week, wish them all the best in their exams, and are excited to celebrate the end of their HS6 journey at Homecoming. To the class of 2025: you have got this.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Saunders Director of Key Stage 5