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Dear Parents

As your child approaches the final few weeks of Year 11, I thought it would be useful to let you know what they should be doing to prepare themselves as fully as possible for their maths GCSE exams.

The first thing to say is that it is not too late to start revision. But if it hasn't started already, then it needs to start now - at the very beginning of the Easter break. **vle.mathswatch.com** has all of the revision and instructional material that students need. Work can be sorted by GCSE grade or by topic - and there is plenty of examination practice material for students to do. Student usernames are their first initial followed by their family name @aldermanpeel (For example, ASmith@aldermanpeel). The default password is Qwerty123

On Tuesday 26th April we will be having our 3rd and final practice/mock exam. As with the previous two trial exams this will be held under the conditions that students will experience in the actual exams. Please ensure that your child has a **scientific calculator and a complete geometry set** available for this exam.

All students have a maths examination folder in school. Containing past exam papers that students have done this year, as well as other revision material, many students will have taken this home with them over Easter to help them revise. Please ensure that it comes back into school after Easter.

We now have dates for the three maths exams:
Paper 1 (non-calculator) is on 20th May (am)
Paper 2 (calculator) is on 7th June (am)
Paper 3 (calculator) is on 13th June (am)

Finally, if there is anything further that I or any of the maths team can do to help your child, please do not hesitate in bringing this to my attention. We very much rely on your interest and support in making sure that students are working and revising as much as they feel is beneficial and achievable.

Regards,

Bill Boyce
Head of Maths

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