

South Wilts Grammar School for Girls

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Dear Parents/Carers

The Year 11 students were informed in assembly this week that the last full day of lessons will be on Friday May 12. After this date and with your permission, your daughter will be able to study at home when she has no exams. She will of course be able to take advantage of the study facilities in school, both in the Learning Resources Centre and in available computer rooms whenever she wishes. She must sign in at Reception on arrival and again when she leaves unless she is coming in for a scheduled exam. School uniform must be worn at all times when in school.

Teachers will be found in their normal timetabled classrooms during the Year 11 teaching slots and will be available to students up until 26 May. After this time and up until the end of the exam period, students can still come in to see their teachers but they will need to make individual arrangements to do so. Students are encouraged to ask for guidance and support on any aspect of their course at these times. Some departments may run sessions focusing on certain topics at these times; they will inform students about these and students may either be encouraged or given the choice to attend.

More information concerning GCSE exam arrangements, arrangements for the trips and visits after the exams, expectations of behaviour and book return information will be sent after Easter. If you feel your daughter requires any help with her planning for revision, please ask her to let us know. As you have already been informed we have the second of our Year 11 revision sessions coming up on March 17 and this will give your daughter some useful hints and tips.

Please return the reply slip to your daughter's Form Tutor to confirm that you are aware of these arrangements.

Yours sincerely

Louise Bishop
Acting Head of Upper School



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Reply slip to be returned to the main office via your daughter's Form Tutor. Failure to do so will mean your daughter will not be able to study at home after 12 May

Daughter's name Form

I understand the arrangements for the Year 11 examinations and:

*a) Give permission for my daughter to study at home after 12 May 2017 when she has no exams

OR

*b) Would prefer my daughter to continue to use the study facilities at school

Signed (Parent/Guardian)

**Please delete where not applicable*

