



NOTTINGHAM UNIVERSITY  
SAMWORTH ACADEMY

Friday, 13 May 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

**Changes to Year 9 Timetable on:  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2016 (afternoon only)  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2016 (morning only)**

I am writing to ask for your support, with our arrangements for two GCSE science examinations this term. On the afternoon of Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May and the morning of Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June, all of our Year 10 and Year 11 students will take their GCSE Biology examinations.

In order to provide the additional support that many of our pupils are entitled to, we will need to use most of our staff, and some of our classrooms. This means we will be unable to operate normal lessons for the pupils in Year 9 at these times. Teachers will instead set the pupils additional work to complete at home.

Year 7 and Year 8 students will be in school on these days as normal.

Tuesday 17th May

Year 9 pupils will have normal lessons in the morning from 8.45 a.m. to 1 p.m. Lunch will be served at 12.15 p.m. School will finish at 1 p.m. for Year 9.

Friday 10th June

Lessons for Year 9 pupils will start at 1 p.m. Students who would like to come in for lunch are welcome from 12.15 p.m.

If you would like to request any additional support for your child on these days, please contact our Assistant Head of Year 9, Mrs Fletcher.

Yours sincerely,

**Mark Watts**  
**Head of School**

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