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Dear Parent/Carer

## Re: Upcoming Rank Order Assessment (ROA) weeks

In the coming weeks your son/daughter will be sitting a set of examinations in their subjects.

These exams are important, as they will be used for our **Rank Order Assessment** procedures. This means that your son/daughter's performance will be compared to the rest of their year group, and to other students in the United Learning Trust across the country, to check they are making the progress needed to achieve an excellent set of results at GCSE. It is therefore very important your son/daughter fully prepares for these and spends time doing the revision needed to do their best.

Most exams will take place in the Sports Hall and after all of the results have been analysed a Rank Order of the Year group will be published. There will be an opportunity to discuss these results in January 2019 and further details will follow on this.

The enclosed pack gives revision details for each subject. Your son/daughter is expected to use this pack, as well as advice and guidance given by their teachers, to prepare themselves for the examinations.

Exam timetables can also be found with this pack. Each set's timetable is different so please ensure your child familiarises himself with the correct one.

Can I also take this opportunity to stress the importance of attendance on examination days. Missing an exam will result in a zero score for that paper in all but the most extreme circumstances.

We would like to take the opportunity to thank you again for supporting the school in raising your child's attainment. If there is any way we can support your son/daughter further with their assessment preparation, please do not hesitate to contact the school, making initial contact with the tutor (details above).

Yours sincerely

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