



25th January 2012

Dear Parent/Guardian

Your son/daughter will be finishing his/her Science Course(s) at the end of Year 10. Due to a changing syllabus the exams and coursework must be completed and cashed in this summer, so they will be getting their final grade in August 2012. This means that there will be no raising achievement opportunities in Year 11.

Coursework

All coursework for your son/daughter must be completed before 10th February 2012 so that we can mark, moderate and send it to the exam board.

Examinations

Core students will take:	Unit 3 exam (B3C3P3)	15 th June 2012
	Ideas in Context exam	24 th May 2012
Additional students will also take:	Unit 6 exam (B6C6P6)	20 th June 2012
	Ideas in Context exam	30 th May 2012

Students can retake any of the exams that they are taking in January in May/June 2012. Students will have to make the decision as to whether they re-sit exams quickly as results come out on 8th March 2012, they will then need to fill out a form with Mrs Batey or Miss Cocker and take the form home to be signed. The signed form and payment must be taken to the exams office (M40) where they will be entered for that exam. **This must be completed by Friday 16th March 2012.**

We need to see students immediately for any other examinations that need to be retaken in the summer. Students will need to see Mrs Batey or Miss Cocker straight away to fill out the paper work this must be completed and returned with payment by 3rd February 2012.

Your sons/daughters teachers will be discussing the options with all students and can give advice as to whether they should be retaking examinations. Each retake exam has a cost of £4.65.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M Batey

Reply Slip:- Science Teacher

Student Name:

I/We acknowledge receipt of the Science letter regarding the GCSE course.

Signed (Parent/Guardian): Science group 10

Please return this slip back to your science teacher.

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