## **Dear Parent**

## **GCSE FINAL EXAMINATION DATES SUMMER 2014**

Below is a list of dates for the Key Stage 4 GCSE examinations, to be held at Crofton Academy for the Summer Season 2014. Please ensure that your son/daughter keeps this information safe and attends those examinations for which they are entered.

Exam Boards will not award grades in any subjects, where the student is absent for reason of holidays. I therefore ask that these dates be avoided for the purpose of booking holidays in 2014. If a student misses an exam through illness, a doctor's note will be required before the Exam Board will award a grade based on estimated performance.

| DAT       | ΓE |      | MORNING – 9am Start   | AFTERNOON – 1pm Start  |
|-----------|----|------|---|--|
| Monday    | 12 | May  | Christianity – Edexcel 1½Hrs  | French listening/Reading – Edexcel 35/50Mins                               |
| Tuesday   | 13 | May  | Biology Papers 2 & 3, - AQA 1Hr each  | Geography DME – OCR 1½Hrs  |
| Wednesday | 14 | May  | ICT Unit 1 – OCR 1 HR   | Spanish Listening/Reading – Edexcel 30/40Mins<br>Citizenship – Edexcel 1Hr |
| Thursday  | 15 | May  | Chemistry Papers 2 & 3 – AQA 1Hr each<br>Additional Applied Science – AQA 1Hr |  |
| Friday    | 16 | May  | History Paper 1 – Edexcel 1¼Hrs   | PE – Edexcel 1½Hrs   |
| Monday    | 19 | May  |   | Physics Papers 2 & 3 - AQA 1Hr each  |
| Tuesday   | 20 | May  | English Literature Units 1 & 2 – WJEC 2Hrs                                    |  |
| Wednesday | 21 | May  |   | ICT Unit 3 – OCR 1Hr   |
| Thursday  | 22 | May  | Geography – OCR 1¾Hrs   | English Literature Unit 2 – WJEC 2Hrs                                      |
| Friday    | 23 | May  | History Paper 2 - Edexcel 11/4Hrs   | Systems & Control – AQA 2Hrs   |
|           |    |      |   | Textiles – AQA 2Hrs  |
|           |    |      |   | Leisure & Tourism – Edexcel 1Hr  |
|           |    |      | HALF TERM BREAK   |  |
| Monday    | 02 | June | Music – Edexcel 1½Hrs   | History Paper 3 – Edexcel 1¼Hrs  |
| Tuesday   | 03 | June | English Units 1 & 2 - WJEC 1Hr each   | Food – AQA 2Hrs  |
| Wednesday | 04 | June | Judaism – Edexcel 1½hrs   |  |
| Thursday  | 05 | June |   | Child Development – AQA 1½Hrs BTEC Science Unit 1 – Edexcel 1Hr            |
| Friday    | 06 | June | m m m 11  | Additional Maths – OCR 2Hrs  |
|           |    |      |   | Biology Paper 1 – AQA 1Hr  |
| Monday    | 09 | June | Mathematics Paper 1 – Edexcel 13/Hrs  | BTEC Science Unit 8 – Edexcel 1 ¼ Hrs                                      |
| Tuesday   | 10 | June | Resistant Materials – AQA 2Hrs  | Chemistry Paper 1 – AQA 1Hr  |
| Wednesday | 11 | June | Media Studies – AQA 1½Hrs   | Graphics – AQA 2Hrs  |
| Thursday  | 12 | June | Physics Paper 1 – AQA 1Hr   | * · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·                                    |
| Friday    | 13 | June | Mathematics Paper 2 – Edexcel 1¾Hrs   |  |
| Tuesday   | 17 | June |   | Health & Social Care – Edexcel 11/4Hrs                                     |
| Tuesday   |    |      |   |  |

| Completed By 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2014 | Art / Design Controlled Test |                       |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Completed By 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2014 | French / Spanish Orals       | Individual Timetables |
| Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2014   | Drama Dress Rehearsals       | Individual Timetables |
| Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2014 | Drama Performance            | Individual Timetables |

Results Day - 10 am Thursday 21st August 2014

Mrs D Bentley Examinations Officer