



The Ripley Academy and Sixth Form



Executive Headteacher: **Mrs H Frost-Briggs BA (Hons)**
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10th March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

GCSE Exam Preparation Evening – The Final Few Weeks

We are delighted to invite you and your child to our final Year 11 Exam Preparation Evening, which will take place on **Thursday 20th March 2025** from **5.30 pm – 6.15 pm in The Performance Suite**. The evening will focus on exam arrangements as well as practical advice and strategies to enable parents to best support their child with final exam preparations. With only 7 school weeks remaining until the main GCSE examination period begins, we are continuing to work hard to ensure all students have the best support and guidance needed to be successful.

The coming weeks are the most important of your child's education so far. In order for each student to be as successful as possible, it is vital that the link between school and home remains strong.

During the GCSE Exam Preparation Evening we will provide information on:

- Key dates and deadlines
- Exam season in-school provision arrangements
- Key exam regulations
- On the day preparation and coping with exam stress
- Advice on how parents can best support their child during the busy exam period.

With this being such an important time for your child, I do hope that you will be able to attend. Parking is available on the school site, and we ask that you make your way to the Performance Suite, where you will be greeted with tea/coffee.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Thawley
Deputy Headteacher

