



# Charters School

## Specialist Sports and Science College

21 September 2011

Dear Parents/Carers

Throughout the next two years, your son/daughter will undertake a number of GCSE modular and terminal examinations in Mathematics. In order to ensure that students are adequately prepared for each of these crucial examinations, I enclose important information that will help you to support your son/daughter throughout this period.

### 1) Examination dates

- (i) Unit A Examination – Wednesday 9 November 2011 – 1 hour examination which accounts for **25%** of the entire GCSE course
- (ii) Unit B Examination – Wednesday 13 June 2012 – 1 hour examination which accounts for **25%** of the entire GCSE course
- (iii) Unit C Examination – June 2013 – 1.5 or 2 hour examination which accounts for **50%** of the GCSE course

### 2) Revision Guides

Students have been offered the opportunity to order revision guides through the Mathematics department before half term. There will be another opportunity to place an order, for any students who have missed out previously. The guides ordered will be 'CGP Books – GCSE Maths OCR Modular Revision Guide, Workbook & Answers' and can be viewed at <http://www.cgpbooks.co.uk>. If you would like to purchase a revision guide please complete the form below and return it to the 'Returns Box' with payment of £6.50 in a sealed envelope clearly labelled with name and activity by Friday 30 September 2011. Preferred method of payment is by cheque, payable to RBWM with your son/daughter's name, tutor group and 'maths' written on the back.

We are also offering students an opportunity to buy a pack of past examination questions and past papers, to aid their revision for £3.50, and this can be ordered in the same way as the revision guides.

### 3) KS4 Clinics

The Mathematics department will be holding KS4 clinics on Wednesday afternoons between 3pm and 4pm. Please encourage your son/daughter to attend these sessions. In order to maximise the effectiveness of these sessions, it is helpful if students bring along questions/topics that they find difficult or would like specific help with.

### 4) Revision Resources

To support revision, please encourage your son/daughter to utilise the following resources:

- (i) First Class – there are lots of useful revision resources as well as past papers with mark-schemes. Simply follow:  
First Class → KS4 → Mathematics KS4 → Year 10 → 'the module relevant to them' → Pupil Resources
- (ii) **www.mymaths.co.uk** (Mymaths)
  - Login: charters
  - Password: square
- (iii) **www.samlearning.com** (SAM Learning)
  - Centre ID: SL5CS
  - Username: Date of Birth and first and last initials  
(e.g. 041194RS would be the username for Ryan Smith born 4 Nov 94)
  - Password: Same as username the first time. Password can then be changed.

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- (iv) **www.learnpremium.co.uk** (Learn Premium)
  - Username: charters
  - Password: sl59qy (the school postcode in lowercase)
- (v) **www.webmaths.co.uk** (No login required) The Student Zone is very useful but so too is the 'Personalised Learning Resource Bank' of the Teacher Zone.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of the students the very best in the coming months as they embark on a critical period in their education. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me or the relevant Mathematics teacher.

Yours sincerely



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**KS4 Mathematics Coordinator**

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**YEAR 10 GCSE MATHS**

Year 10 Name of Pupil & Tutor Group: <hr/> Set: <hr/> Mathematics Teacher: <hr/>	Please order the following for my son/daughter:  Mathematics Revision Guide - £6.50 <input type="checkbox"/>  Mathematics Exam Pack - £3.50 <input type="checkbox"/>  Signed: ..... (Parent/Carer)  Date: .....
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