



# Woking High School

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: Year 11 Mathematics – Final Resit Opportunities

The Mathematics GCSE that is followed at Woking High School is a modular system. At this stage, students have sat two modules (Module 1 and Module 3) which amount to 45% of their final GCSE grade. The final module in the Summer (Module 5) makes up the final 55%. There is no coursework element to the GCSE. All students are aware of the grade they achieved in these exams.

Over the past 12 months we have offered students to resit modules on three occasions. However, it has been brought to our attention that some parents may not be aware of these. I would like to inform you that we will be offering all students a final opportunity to resit either Module 1 or Module 3. These will be taken with their other Summer examinations. Please note that students are only allowed to resit a module once, so if they have previously completed a resit then they are not allowed to resit again. We are not recommending that students resit modules unless they feel confident it will make a difference, because they already have many exams to prepare for. Our revision classes will only accommodate for the Module 5 exam.

As part of the examinations policy the school pays student entry fees for GCSE examinations. This fee covers all costs incurred for each candidate to sit an examination. Unfortunately, we cannot absorb the cost of re-sits, which is currently £6.55 per Module.

If you would like your son/daughter to be re-entered for either module, please sign and return the consent slip below by **tomorrow**, together with a cheque made payable to Woking High School.

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Giles  
Head of Mathematics

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**Please return this slip with payment to the Mathematics Office, for the attention of Mr Giles, by Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February**

I hereby give my consent for my son/daughter to re-sit a Mathematics Module at the cost of £6.55 per Module and enclose a cheque, payable to Woking High School, to cover the total amount due.

Name of student: ..... Form: .....

I enclose the Mathematics Module 1 Entry Fee of £6.55  Tier of Entry:.....

I enclose the Mathematics Module 3 Entry Fee of £6.55  Tier of Entry:.....

Parent/Carer's signature: ..... Date: .....

