



# Emerson Park Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am pleased to say the Summer GCSE examination series for 2026 is underway and we wish all of our year 11 pupils success in their endeavours.

Whilst it is important to support these pupils with lessons and revision sessions throughout this period it is also very clear that a large proportion like to plan their own study patterns.

There are many days over the next few weeks where pupils will be in examinations both morning and afternoon meaning their time in lessons is significantly reduced. With this in mind, pupils will begin Study Leave on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2026.

The traditional 'Leavers Assembly' (and shirt signing) will need to be organised at the end of the examination series. Further details of this event will be communicated to all Year 11 pupils before the final examinations.

This will allow our pupils to focus on their studies during the exams but also know they will get the chance to spend some time with their friends and teachers on the arranged day and take away some great memories from the event.

I look forward to a successful few weeks and I am sure the rewards of their efforts will be seen on results day in August 2026.

Yours sincerely,

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