

17th December 2025

## Dear Parent/Carer,

We are incredibly proud of the dedication and effort shown by all our students throughout this academic year. Your ongoing support has been instrumental in helping them maintain such a positive approach to their learning, and we would like to sincerely thank you for this.

During the week beginning **Monday 12th January 2026**, all students in **Years 9, 10 and 12** will take part in formal assessments across all subject areas. In preparation, students will participate in structured revision sessions, which will include both teacher-led activities and guided independent study.

To further support their preparation, each student will receive a list of topics to guide their revision for each subject. A booklet outlining these topics is enclosed with this letter and is also available on our school website under the 'Learning' section.

This resource has been created to give parents and carers clear information to help support their child in developing effective revision habits, both at school and at home.

We strongly encourage students to take ownership of their revision and manage their time effectively. They are advised to use:

- **Sparx** (online homework platform)
- Self-quizzing techniques
- Revision cards
- Practice exam questions provided in their homework booklets

In addition, teachers will continue to provide targeted support in lessons to help students prepare thoroughly for these assessments.

Further resources and guidance for supporting your child with revision can be found on our school website:

<u> Revision Guidance – Scott College</u>

## Top 10 Tips for Supporting Your Child with Revision:

- 1. Be a role model Ask them questions, listen as they explain topics, and show interest in their revision.
- 2. **Help them set goals** Encourage them to display their goal planner clearly and review it regularly with them.
- 3. Encourage daily activity Staying physically active boosts focus and mental wellbeing.
- 4. **Promote healthy eating** A nutritious breakfast and balanced diet help sustain energy and concentration.
- 5. Schedule breaks Encourage them to include time away from study to relax and recharge.
- 6. **Support a consistent sleep routine** Aim for 8–9 hours of sleep per night to aid focus and memory.
- 7. **Unplug from screens** Support them in limiting screen time before bed to improve sleep quality.
- 8. Promote balance Encourage a healthy balance between academic work and other interests.
- 9. **Provide encouragement** Offer regular praise and reassurance to build their confidence.
- 10. **Be supportive** Be available to talk, help them manage stress, and remind them that their best effort is what matters most.

If you have any questions or would like further guidance, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year.

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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