

THE COOPERS' COMPANY AND COBORN SCHOOL

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Re: PSHE lessons – after half term

Dear Parent(s) and Carer(s)

As we approach the all-important A Level examinations we want to do all we can to ensure that students maximise their chances of success.

Up until this point, students in Year 13 have taken part in whole school PSHE, once a week. However, from Easter we suspend this programme for Year 13.

This decision has been made for two reasons:

- After a number of years at the school, and having received numerous PSHE inputs during their time, we feel that by the Spring of Year 13 students have received an appropriate level of PSHE education
- To enable Year 13 to maximise their preparation and study time for the upcoming A Levels

As such, with effect from Monday 15th April, students in Year 13 are <u>not</u> required to attend PSHE – no lessons will take place.

Students should use the time to use the study facilities in the 6th Form Centre or pro-actively revise for the upcoming A levels. All the usual attendance protocols remain; students are expected in school at 8:35am and are not permitted to leave the school site until 12:15pm at the earliest.

I am sure you agree that this measure will provide students with some additional preparation time in what is a crucial period in their education.

If you have any questions, please contact us at the school.

Yours faithfully

Mr R Bell **Deputy Head**