

Revision Tips from the Experts!

Our Sixth Formers offer their advice about how to go about getting the best exam results this summer:

Colour code everything! Look over your notes and shade them in different colours depending upon the points being made so that in the exams you can picture your notes in your head and see the colours, which will enable you to remember the notes.

When writing coursework that has to be overseen by a teacher with a time limit write it again and again at home and learn it all the way through.

Pick one subject to focus on at one time and make cue cards as writing them helps it to stick. You can then go back over them to make sure you remember the information.

Write on A4 pieces of paper the parts of your subject you're not sure about and things you don't remember. Stick them around the house – on the back of the bathroom door, bedroom, kitchen. As you walk around the house they'll stand out and you'll remember the information. Trust me, it works!

Make summary mind maps from your notes. Write down the notes in their simplest form so that you know the basic concepts.

Write questions on cards and on the reverse write the answer. And rehearse!

Read through your notes and highlight key information then reduce your new notes down again until you can remember what you are left with!