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Dear parents and carers,

I am sure that we are all increasingly saddened and concerned about the unfolding situation in Turkey and Syria following the recent earthquakes. Our response plans continue to evolve, but so far include:

Events to raise money for the charities supporting the response to this disaster:

- \* Holding a non-uniform day for students and staff on Friday 10 February with a suggested donation of £1+
- \* Holding bake sales organised by Sixth Form students and the Primary Phase - £800 raised so far
- \* After the half-term break, looking to arrange collections of clothes and other essentials from the school community once it is clear from the charities involved what is needed
- \* Looking at other ways we can raise much-needed money and ensure that it gets to the right charities.

Providing information, support and guidance for all students:

- ◆ Holding a minute's silence (11:15am) on Friday 10 February so that we can think, reflect and pray for all those affected
- ◆ Talking to all students in tutor times about what has happened, why, and how we can all help
- ◆ Providing support for individual students and their families via our counselling team and Family Support Coordinators.

We are aware that many of our families have family members and friends who have been injured, are still missing or uncontactable, and in some cases have lost their lives. On behalf of the school, I would like to send my sincere condolences to all our families that have been affected by this tragedy – you are in our thoughts and prayers.

If you would like to donate money to charities supporting the disaster response, we recommend that you go to [www.dec.org.uk](http://www.dec.org.uk) the Disaster Emergency Committee Turkey-Syria Earthquake Appeal.

**Half-term break:** Next week is the February half-term break, and the school is closed to students. The first day after half-term is Monday 20 February, with the usual start time.

**Upcoming events and important dates:**

- Monday 13 February – Friday 17 February: half-term break – school closed
- Monday 20 February – Friday 3 March: Year 11, 12 and 13 Pre-Public (mock) exams
- Thursday 2 March: GCSE Options Evening for Year 8 – held on our Bury Campus
- Thursday 9 March: Year 10 Parents' Evening - held on our Cambridge Campus
- Thursday 30 March: Year 11 Parents' Evening 2 - held on our Bury Campus

Our weekly newsletter aims to provide our school community with news, updates, important announcements and key dates.

However, if you do have any questions, please contact the school via [info@edact.org.uk](mailto:info@edact.org.uk) in the first instance.

Thank you for your continued support.

**Paul Miller**

**Head of School**

**OFFICE NEWS**

**Please top up your Parentpay account in readiness for your child's return after half term.**



It is important, if your account is in arrears to ensure enough money is credited to cover the arrears and for your child to make purchases of their choice.

Thank you,

**Ms S Patel - Administration Manager**

**2023 Dates For Your Diary**

<b>Thursday 2nd March 2023</b>	Year 8 Options Evening - Bury Campus
<b>Thursday 9th March 2023</b>	Year 10 Parents' Evening - Cambridge Campus
<b>Tuesday 21st March 2023</b>	Enrichment Day 2 - Both Campus's
<b>Thursday 30th March 2023</b>	Year 11 Parents' Evening - Bury Campus
<b>Thursday 27th April 2023</b>	Year 7 Parents' Evening - Cambridge Campus
<b>Thursday 11th May 2023</b>	Year 9 Parents' Evening - Bury Campus
<b>Tuesday 4th July</b>	Year 11 Bridging Day - Cambridge Campus
<b>Thursday 6th July 2023</b>	Enrichment Day 3 - Both Campus's
<b>Monday 10th July 2023</b>	KS3 (Year 7 & 8 ) Presentation Evening - Cambridge Campus
<b>Tuesday 11th July 2023</b>	KS4 (Year 9 & 10) Presentation Evening -Cambridge Campus

## Term Dates - Academic Year 2023

### Spring Term 2023

First half:	Monday 09 January 2023 – Friday 10 February 2023
Half-term:	Monday 13 February 2023 – Friday 17 February 2023
Second half:	Monday 20 February 2023 – Thursday 30 March 2023
<b>INSET –</b>	<b>Friday 31 March 2023</b>

### Summer Term 2023

First half:	Monday 17 April 2023 – Friday 26 May 2023
Half-term:	Monday 29 May 2023 – Friday 02 June 2023
Second half:	Monday 05 June 2023 – Friday 21 July 2023

### **INSET – Staff Professional Development Days – School is closed to students**

Friday 31 March 2023

### Public & Bank Holidays

Easter Holiday:	Friday 07 April and Monday 10 April 2023
Spring Holiday:	Monday 01 and Monday 29 May 2023
Summer Holiday:	Monday 28 August 2023



## IMPORTANT EXAMINATION INFORMATION

The PPEs for Year 11 and Sixth Form start on Monday 20 February for two weeks.

Can you please remind your students to be moving around the school quietly so they don't disturb the exams.

There will be 2 exam sessions a day, Periods 1 and 5. If you're teaching Year 11 on a P1/P5 lesson please help support the students in their preparation for the exam by being in the playground (and/or canteen) until they are lined up ready to go into exams. Reminder emails will be sent the day/morning before.

Please be aware that not all of Year 11 will be in option subject exams, and some exams are longer than others, so teachers will need to be in their normal classroom to welcome students when they've finished their exams. Students are dismissed from exams with the message to go straight to their lesson and to not disturb any other lessons!

Many thanks for your support.

**Ms G Boniface**

**Examinations Manager**

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## Exams w/c: 20.02.23

Date	Start	Len	Component Title	Level	Cands
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	02:40	A Level English Literature P2	GCE/A	9
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	GCSE Computer Science P1	GCSE/FC	35
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	00:45	GCSE French Reading Tier F (Bury)	GCSE/FC	5
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	01:00	GCSE French Reading Tier H (Bury)	GCSE/FC	20
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	GCSE History Paper 1A/B and 1B/B	GCSE/FC	41
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	01:45	GCSE Sociology Paper 1/2	GCSE/FC	60
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	01:05	GCSE Turkish Reading [H].	GCSE/9FC	53
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	01:15	Unit 1 Hospitality & Catering	WJQ/L2	15
Mon 20 Feb 23	08:30	03:00	Y12 English Literature	GCE/A	20
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	02:15	A Level History Paper One	GCE/A	5
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	02:00	A Level Physics Paper One	GCE/A	10
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	01:30	AS Biology - Paper 1	GCE/ASB	20
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	02:00	GCSE D&T Product Design	GCSE/FC	41
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	01:45	GCSE Drama Written Paper	GCSE/FC	43
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	00:45	GCSE French Reading Tier F (Cambridge)	GCSE/FC	10
Mon 20 Feb 23	13:40	01:00	GCSE French Reading Tier H (Cambridge)	GCSE/FC	19
Tue 21 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	A Level Maths Paper 1 Pure Maths	GCE/A	15
Tue 21 Feb 23	08:30	02:30	A Level Turkish Paper 1 Translation Into English	GCE/A	8
Tue 21 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	AS Psychology Paper 1	GCE/ASB	23
Tue 21 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	GCSE Geography Paper 1	GCSE/FC	132
Tue 21 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	GCSE History Paper 1A/B and 1B/B	GCSE/FC	117
Tue 21 Feb 23	13:40	01:30	AS Chemistry - Paper 1	GCE/ASB	22
Tue 21 Feb 23	13:40	01:45	GCSE English Lit Paper 2	GCSE/FC	256
Wed 22 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	A Level Computer Science Paper 1	GCE/A	8
Wed 22 Feb 23	08:30	02:30	A Level French Paper 1 List Read & Writing	GCE/A	5
Wed 22 Feb 23	08:30	02:15	A Level Geography Paper One	GCE/A	6
Wed 22 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	A Level Sociology Paper One	GCE/A	9
Wed 22 Feb 23	08:30	01:45	GCSE R&L Paper 1&2	GCSE/FC	256
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	02:00	A Level Maths Paper 2 Pure Maths	GCE/A	15
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	02:40	A Level Turkish Paper 2 Translation Into Turkish	GCE/A	8
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	01:30	AS Psychology. paper 2	GCE/ASB	23
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	01:15	Combined Sci Trilogy Biology P2F	GCSE/9FC	94
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	01:15	Combined Sci Trilogy Biology P2H	GCSE/9FC	102
Wed 22 Feb 23	13:40	01:45	GCSE Biology P2H	GCSE/FC	60
Thu 23 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	A Level Economics Paper 1	GCE/A	24
Thu 23 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 1 Non Calculator [F]	GCSE/FC	146
Thu 23 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 1 Non Calculator [H]	GCSE/FC	128
Thu 23 Feb 23	13:20	02:00	A Level Computer Science Paper 2	GCE/A	8
Thu 23 Feb 23	13:20	02:00	A Level French Paper 2 Writing	GCE/A	5
Thu 23 Feb 23	13:20	02:15	A Level Geography Paper Two	GCE/A	6
Thu 23 Feb 23	13:20	02:00	A Level Sociology Paper Two	GCE/A	9
Thu 23 Feb 23	13:20	00:45	GCSE French Listening Tier H	GCSE/FC	39
Fri 24 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	A Level History Paper Two	GCE/A	5
Fri 24 Feb 23	08:30	02:00	A Level Physics Paper Two	GCE/A	10
Fri 24 Feb 23	08:30	01:30	AS Biology - Paper 2	GCE/ASB	20
Fri 24 Feb 23	08:30	01:45	GCSE English Lang Paper 2	GCSE/FC	271
Fri 24 Feb 23	13:40	02:00	A Level Economics Paper 2	GCE/A	24
Fri 24 Feb 23	13:40	01:30	AS Chemistry - Paper 2	GCE/ASB	22
Fri 24 Feb 23	13:40	01:15	Combined Sci Trilogy Chemistry P2F	GCSE/9FC	94
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## Secondary Assemblies – w/c: 20/02/2023

	Bury Campus - Hall	Cambridge Campus - Gym
Monday 20th February	Year 10	Year 10
Tuesday 21st February	Year 11	Year 11
Wednesday 22nd February	Year 13	Year 12
Thursday 23rd February		
Friday 24th February	Year 8—Options Assembly	Year 8—Options Assembly

## Top Tutor Groups For Attendance W/C 30th January 2023



**7C1 - 99.1%**

**7B2 - 99.1%**



**Overall Bury Attendance - 92%**

**Overall Cambridge Attendance - 93.3%**



Mrs M Corfe - Attendance Officer

## Sixth Form Best Attendance

30th January 2023—3rd February 2023

**Cambridge - 12E - 96.4%**

**Bury - 13D - 94.3%**

**Overall Year 12 Attendance - 90.4%**

**Overall Year 13 Attendance - 92.1%**



*Well done and keep up the good work!!*

