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CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY, YORK

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16th April 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to you to confirm the dates of the final GCSE French/German speaking exams. They are as follows:

Date	Periods	Teacher	Language/Tier
Tuesday 24 th April	1,2,3	Miss Robson	French Foundation
Tuesday 24 th April	4,5	Mrs Jones	French Foundation
Wednesday 25 th April	2,3,4,5	Mrs Jones	French Foundation
Thursday 26 th April	1,2,3,4,5	Mrs Power	French Foundation
Friday 27 th April	2,3	Mrs Power	French Foundation
Monday 30 th April	3,4,5	Mrs Jones	French Higher
Tuesday 1 st May	1,2,3,4,5	Mrs Jones	French Higher
Wednesday 2 nd May	3,4,5	Mrs Power	French Higher
Thursday 3 rd May	1,2,3,4,5	Miss Robson	German Foundation/Higher
Friday 4 th May	1,2,3,4	Miss Robson	German Higher
Tuesday 8 th May	1,2,3	Mrs Schmitt	German Foundation
Wednesday 9 th May	1,2,3	Mrs Schmitt	German Foundation
Wednesday 9 th May	4,5	Mrs Schmitt	German Foundation/Higher

Your child will have been given the specific time of their speaking exam by their teacher. If their exam is in the morning, they will need to go the LRC 'holding room' prior to their exam where they will be allowed to revise. Once they have finished their exam they will return to normal lessons. The same applies to the afternoon sessions.

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I would be grateful if you could reiterate the following exam rule with your child:

AQA exam rules state: Sharing information about Speaking tests (verbally, online, Social media etc.) can create an unfair assessment and could impact on your grades in this exam. Failing to report to your teacher any assessment related information being shared may also lead to a malpractice investigation which could result in: a loss of marks for this component, a disqualification from this component or the entire qualification, a ban from sitting exams for a set period of time. AQA monitors social media and student websites.

Your child has all of the revision notes they need in their French/German books and it is vital that over the next weeks they are revising thoroughly for this element of their GCSE MFL exam, particularly the Conversation questions.

If you have any questions please email me at e.power@manorceacademy.org

Thank you for your on-going support.

Regards

Mrs Power, Director of Learning MFL