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5<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Dear Parent/Carer/Student,

#### **RE: Exam Leave Arrangements for Exam Diet 2022**

Please note that exam leave will begin on **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2022** and will end on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022 (inclusive). Anytime a student wishes to enter the school building whether it is for additional support or for the final exam, **they must be in full school uniform**; if you need support in achieving this then please contact <u>Claire.Gibson@st-augustines.edin.sch.uk</u> or the relevant Pupil Support Leader.

#### S4 Arrangements

Please use this in conjunction with the individual SQA timetable distributed tomorrow in tutor time.

Learners with 5 or more National Qualification exams:	Entitled to full study leave from 26/4/22 to 01/06/22
Learners with 4 or less National Qualification exams:	Entitled to three days immediately before and then the day of the exam – four in total for each exam.
Learners who are not on exam leave will attend their timetable as normal; this will provide opportunity to complete any National 3 and National 4 qualifications and build further life skills.	

#### **S5/6 Arrangements**

All S5 and S6 learners:	Entitled to full study leave from 26/4/22 to 01/06/22
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#### For all S4/5/6 learners:

During exam leave, with prior agreement of the class teacher, learners are welcome to attend their timetabled lessons (in full school uniform) for support and preparation of their exams.

Learners must sign in and out of school at the main reception.

Please see overleaf for a range of different supports on offer to assist in the preparations of the upcoming exams.

If there are any questions or issues, please contact the relevant Pupil Support Leader in the first instance.

We look forward to welcoming those who plan to return on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022 for Senior Induction. For those who will leave St. Augustine's, we pray you enjoy and are successful in your next step after school.

Yours sincerely,

A O'Doherty

A. O'Doherty Head Teacher

# **Support for Exam Preparation**

#### Easter Supported Study

We are holding supported study sessions over the Easter break. The timetable can be found <u>here</u>. Please note if you wish to attend you must contact the relevant teacher.

#### **Teams Pages and SharePoint**



The class Teams pages continue to be the best starting point for accessing resources. We encourage pupils to check them first when revising.

<u>E-Sgoil</u>



E-Sgoil has a range of resources.

Easter Revision Support. Students <u>can sign up</u> from now until 6<sup>th</sup> April for the Easter revision sessions. They will need to log into Glow first. Glow passwords have previously been given to pupils. Please note the following information for logging into Glow:

- Logging into office365 and Glow at the same time on the same browser is not possible without issues.
- If a student is logged into office365 (e.g. to access emails) they must use a different browser, or the browser's incognito mode, to log into Glow. Then they can access the sign up links.

#### West OS



West OS is another online school, with a wide range of useful materials. Pupils can access WestOS by logging into <u>Clickview</u>.

In addition, between now and 8 May, they have launched <u>West OS Live</u> with live study support webinars running across 24 courses in the early evenings. West OS Live can be accessed in a similar way to E-Sgoil, by logging into Glow first then following the registration link.

## <u>Scholar</u>



Your child will have received their Scholar login details earlier this session.

Scholar has a range of learning approaches, including activities, videos, interactive exercises and tests. These exercises give instant feedback on successes and next steps. Pupils can <u>login here</u>.

## Other websites

## BBC Bitesize

<u>BBC bitesize</u> has a range of resources from N4 up to Higher on many subjects in the senior phase.







