HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL EXAM SCHEDULE – JANUARY 2020

THURS. JAN. 23 rd 9:00 am	FRI. JAN. 24 th 9:00 am	MON. JAN. 27 th 9:00 am	TUES. JAN 28 th 9:00 am	WED. JAN 29 th 9:00 am
Students writing the exam for the course scheduled for PERIOD ONE on their timetable.	Students writing the exam for the course scheduled for PERIOD TWO on their timetable.	PERIOD THREE A	the exam for the course scheduled	This day will be for exams that need to be rescheduled due to weather or approved absence (eg. Doctor's note)

- Students will write their Periods 1, 2, 3A or 3B and 4 exams in their regularly scheduled classrooms according to their timetable.
- All exams will commence at 9:00 am each day. Exams can range from 1 ½ hours or 2 hours.
- Thursday January 30th is EXAM REVIEW DAY. Teachers are available to review exams in designated rooms from 8:30-12:00 and 1:00-2:40 (Not Available 12:00-1:00). Buses arrive and drop off at regular times.
- Friday, January 31st is a PA Day second semester begins on Monday, February 3rd.
- NOTE: School buses will be running <u>regular times</u> in the morning and afternoon during examinations. <u>There will be no early dismissal bus runs</u>.
- If the school is closed for any reason the exam that should have been written on that date will be the following day and all exams will be pushed back one day.

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- 1. Illness, substantiated by a doctor's note, is the **ONLY** legitimate excuse for missing an exam.
- 2. If you are going to be absent due to illness, your parent/guardian **must** phone the Attendance Office by 8:30 a.m. on the day of the exam and see a physician to get a doctor's note.
- 3. **If** a note is provided upon your return, your exam will be rescheduled. **If** a doctor's note is not received upon your return, a mark of **zero** may be assigned.
- 4. <u>All missed exams</u> will be written as arranged with the Vice-Principal (likely on Wednesday January 29th, 2020 in a room specified by the Vice-Principal).
- 5. Students who arrive late for an exam MUST report to the Attendance Office before proceeding to the examination room. **Extra time may not be allowed to complete the exam.**
- 6. Students will be admitted to their classroom (**Examination Room**) 5 minutes prior to the start of the examination.
- 7. **Silence is to be maintained from the moment you enter the Examination Room.** Please take your seat and begin writing your examination as directed by your classroom teacher/supervisor.
- 8. All paper supplies required to write the exam will be provided by your classroom/supervising teacher. Students are expected to provide their own pens, pencils, erasers, ruler, calculator, etc. Pencil cases are not permitted in the examination room.
- 9. If calculators are allowed during an exam, you **MUST** provide your own; **borrowing will NOT be allowed**. Instruction booklets pertaining to calculators are **not allowed** in the examinations room. **DO NOT USE A CELL PHONE AS A CALCULATOR.**
- 10. Coats, purses, gym bags, books, notes, electronics etc. <u>will not</u> be permitted into the examination room. **This** includes cell phones and smart watches (ie: Apple Watches)
- 11. All students writing the examinations are expected to **remain** in the examination room for at least one hour Students not writing the examination are expected to remain in the cafeteria or library for the entire examination period. **NO** students are to be in the hallways during examination time. They should not be out of the room to go to the washroom.
- 12. Students who have a spare in their timetable are not required to be in school on that particular day.
- 13. <u>Cheating Policy:</u> No phones or electronic devices (ie: Apple Watches) are allowed in the exam room. If a student is caught cheating during an exam, or if a student is in possession of any material that could be used for cheating during an exam, the incident will be reported to the Vice-Principal immediately and a mark of **ZERO** may be assigned. A school consequence may also be assigned.
- 14. <u>Dress Code</u>: Exam days are Civvies Days. Proper attire is required e.g. tank tops, halter tops, bare midriffs or bare shoulders, short skirts, and torn or ripped jeans are <u>not permitted</u>. <u>Hats are never to be worn in the building.</u>
- 15. <u>Buses</u> January 23rd January 30th inclusive, buses will run on their normal schedule. There will be no early dismissal bus runs. The regular bus schedule will be followed on Monday February 3rd.
- 16. <u>Textbook/Course Materials Return:</u> Students are responsible for returning the textbook(s) issued to them and any outstanding money for textbooks/materials PRIOR to writing the exam. STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT RETURNED OUTSTANDING ITEMS MAY NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE EXAMINATION AREA, AND WILL BE SENT TO THE VICE-PRINCIPALS.
- 19. **EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE POLICY:** If for any reason, i.e. inclement weather, the school is closed for a day during the exam period, the remaining exam days will be shifted back one day (e.g. if school is cancelled on Thurs. January 23rd, that exam will be written on Friday January 24th.)