



The Sutton Academy

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Principal: Mr Paul Willerton

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Dear Parent/Carer

### **Y11 January Vocational exams**

Due to the national lockdown and the recent Department of Education update, we are no longer planning to run the scheduled January/February external exams in:

ICT

Hospitality and Catering

Business

Health and Social

This decision has been taken on the grounds of Health and Safety and ensuring fairness that all students have been fully prepared for these exams. If you feel your child should still be entered for the exam please contact me by 3 pm Thursday 7 January to discuss.

It is essential that students continue to work on these subjects, especially the coursework elements, as we expect the Department of Education to update us in the near future on what will replace these exams.

We understand this is a worrying time for students and parents and we will update you with further information as soon as we know.

Yours faithfully

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Vice Principal

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