

IB Examination Re-sits

The school is happy to accommodate IB re-sit exams in May. Students need to register for these with the school between 9 August and 16 October.

The *November* session of IB exams is designed for schools in the southern hemisphere. Sevenoaks has never prepared for or hosted these. In the past, a small number of UK schools has offered them as effective re-sit exams; it seems that almost all have ceased to do so, though we hear that Dover Grammar School for Boys may now host them and be willing to facilitate external candidates. To register interest, email the IB co-ordinator, Kieron Hoyle direct at khoyle@dovergramboys.kent.sch.uk

We have no control over the quality of assessment or the administration of any November re-sit exam, and so we are not in a position either to endorse or advise against them. You should be aware that some papers may be subtly different from the northern hemisphere papers.

In the same way that the very top universities may look unfavourably on A-Level module re-sits, these same universities are likely to attach less significance to IB re-sits. All grades for any original or re-sit examination must, of course, be declared on a student's UCAS form.