

Dear Parent/Carer

Casio Calculators Year 7 to 11 Maths & Science

With the new GCSE Mathematics and Science exams, the requirement for students to have a suitable calculator which they understand how to use in the exam has increased. Two of the three Mathematics papers and all Science papers students sit allow the use of a calculator. As departments we require all students to have a calculator as part of our “Ready to Learn” ethos. We recommend the Casio FX-83GT Plus or Casio FX-85GT Plus.

Parents are under no obligation to buy the calculators from the school. However, if you do decide to buy one elsewhere, please try to do so as soon as possible.

The details for the two calculators are:

Calculator Model	School Price	R.R.P.
Casio FX-83GT Plus	£ 7.00	£ 11.99
Casio FX-85GT Plus with solar power (available in Black, Blue, Pink or White)	£ 8.50	£ 13.99

Both of these calculators are approved to be used in exams. To purchase the calculators please use the online school shop using the link below:

<https://www.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Uniform/Default.aspx?shopid=510>

A bulk order will be place on Monday 1st October and again on Monday 15th October. The students will be notified when the calculators are ready to collect from the Maths Department.

Yours faithfully

Two handwritten signatures in black ink. The first signature is on the left and the second is on the right.

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