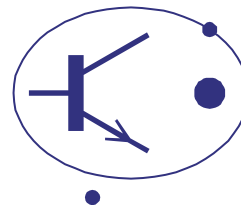


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Dear Teacher,

Please find enclosed copies of BPhO Paper 3 for your students. Paper 3 is a 3hr 15min exam, intended to be taken at school on Monday 28th February. If this date is inconvenient the paper can be taken on another day, but please note the short turn around for marking. If your student has decided not to participate in Paper 3, please let me know and I will remove their name from the list.

Please read the instructions on the front of the test paper and ensure any necessary equipment is available. Students may write on loose paper or surplus examination booklets. At the end of the exam, students should complete a cover sheet and attach this securely to their script. A standard formula sheet can be used.

Please:

- Send completed scripts by **1st class post, do not use signed-for or registered mail.**
- to: Mr A.G. Bagnall
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- Send scripts AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, to **arrive before 3rd March.** If later than the above date please contact me.
- Email bagnall@stpeters5.demon.co.uk to confirm scripts have been posted.
- Keep a photocopy of the scripts, in case they are lost in the post.

The top 15 students will be invited to a Training Camp at Oxford University from 4th - 7th April, with all expenses paid. Subsequently five students will be selected to form the British team to compete in the International Physics Olympiad in Bangkok, Thailand.

This paper is designed to be more challenging than the standard A-Level paper in order to select the 15 Candidates to qualify for the Training Camp. Please inform your students of this and ensure they know they have done exceptionally well to get this far.

Many thanks for your continued support of the British Physics Olympiad.

Yours Faithfully,

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