



8th October 2024

Dear Parents/Carers and of Year 11 students

Year 11 Core Mock Examinations – commencing Monday 4th November

As you are hopefully aware, there will be a short series of 'mock examination' assessments in the sports hall during the week commencing on Monday 4th November. These will only be in some of the core subjects: English, Maths, Science and Religious Studies. In class assessments will also take place, week commencing Monday 11th November for all other subjects. Please note additional guidance and support will be given out during the 'Countdown to Success Evening' on Thursday 17th October 5.00pm-7.00pm (information about this event was sent out last week).

Enclosed is a timetable for these mocks alongside an internal revision timetable to support all students prepare for their exams. We are planning for all of these to take place in the Sports Hall, and information on how they will be run will be shared with students in form time. Some students with examination concessions will sit these assessments separately, and Miss Robinson will contact those students to explain the arrangements.

We will run these examination sessions following the rules that apply for external exams wherever possible, and I would be grateful if you could ensure that your child is aware of them.

- No mobile phones, iPods, MP3s, MP4s or watches are to be taken into any examination.
- No food, sweets or chewing gum allowed in any examination. Students may bring a drink (water only) in a clear plastic bottle with a screw top and label removed.
- Students must bring appropriate equipment with them to all examinations. This includes pens, pencils, eraser, ruler and calculator (if allowed). Please note that there are no calculators available to be handed out to students who do not bring them. The equipment should be in a clear pencil case or a clear plastic bag.
- Students should follow instructions from staff on where to line up, ready to go into the Sports Hall and find their designated seat.
- Students are not permitted to communicate with each other whilst in the Sports Hall during examination times.
- If students are not in a timetabled exam, they will be in lessons as normal.
- Where students have an exam p1, they will go straight to the hall (or exams concessions venue where appropriate) and be registered in their exam.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

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