



10th May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 9 Bi-Annual Assessment

Our second Year 9 assessment fortnight begins on Monday 17th May, individual teachers will set revision activities and/or list topics for students to revise on Satchel One and Google Classroom. An examination timetable of the fortnight can be found <u>here</u>.

If an assessment is missed due to absence, staff will make allowance for it to be caught up at their convenience, but where possible the next lesson. These assessments are important as it will be the last curriculum assessment before the students enter Key Stage Four, for some it will be the last formal assessment in subjects they have chosen not to study further. In class assessments and end of topic assessments are still calendared until the end of the year, but this is the last whole curriculum focused assessment in Key Stage Three for this year group.

The Year 9 Options deadline is Friday 14th May, thank you to all those who attended our Year 9 Options Evening, we hope you found it useful. We have been impressed with how the students have presented themselves in their option interviews and we have thoroughly enjoyed supporting them during this process. As explained during options evening, confirmation of their choices will be sent after the timetable has been created in July.

If you have any questions about the assessments or the options process, please do not hesitate to get in touch, via Mrs Street, our Year 9 Pastoral Officer, her direct line 01553 825910.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs L Towle

Assistant Headteacher - KS3