

22nd November 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Bi-Annual Assessment Fortnight

Our Y9 assessment fortnight begins on Thursday 2nd December, 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>.

These assessments will assess the students on the content taught and skills gained in Year 9 so far as well as assessing previous learning from Year 7 and Year 8. Their knowledge organisers are a useful tool to aid revision as they summarise the content for each unit for each subject, all have been published on Satchel One, but I can provide additional printed copies of all Knowledge Organiser if requested. In class assessments and end of topic assessments are still calendared throughout the year, but this is an opportunity to prepare students for an intensive examination period.

If an assessment is missed due to absence, staff will make allowances for it to be caught up at their convenience, but where possible the next lesson.

Further to the work set by class teachers, tutors will support in school developing revision techniques with students. Mrs Rye, our Y9 pastoral support officer, will also be providing additional support for the students during this period.

If you have any concerns or questions about these assessments please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours Sincerely,

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