

2nd October 2017

Dear parent/carers,

Assessment and Reporting 2017/18

You will receive three student report cards this year. These will contain, for each subject, your child's predicted attainment grade, an attitude to learning grade and a recommended student action. The report cards will also include some pastoral information, including current attendance, punctuality and House Points.

Several weeks prior to the report cards being issued, all students will sit formal examinations in the Sports Hall. Years 7 to 9 will sit formal examinations in English, Maths and Science. Years 10, 11 and 12 will sit examinations in all of their subjects. We do this so that students can become accustomed to formal exam practice and so that we can accurately assess their progress.

EA Exams will be taking place in the following weeks...

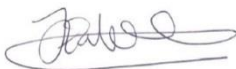
- EA Exam Week 1 (Years 7 – 12): w/c 9th October 2017
- EA Exam Week 2 (Years 7 – 12): w/c 29th January 2018
- EA Exam Week 3 (Years 7 – 10 and 12): w/c 8th May 2018

In addition, Year 11 students will be sitting Mock Exams in the following weeks...

- Mock Exam Week 1 (Year 11 only): w/c 11th December 2017
- Mock Exam Week 2 (Year 11 only): w/c 12th March 2018

Please find overleaf a copy of the timetable for EA Exam Week 1, which commences on Monday 9th October. Students will receive support and guidance from their class teachers about how to prepare for the assessments. Please support your child in revising at home and give reassurance as required. Please note that if a student misses any of their exams, for a medical reason or otherwise, they will be required to sit the exams after school upon their return. Your attention and that of the students studying A Levels, GCSE & vocational courses are also drawn to the exam notices and regulations that can be found on the academy's website and VLE.

Yours faithfully,



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EA1 Exams Monday 9th October – Friday 13th October 2017

	MONDAY 9th October	TUESDAY 10th October	WEDNESDAY 11th October	THURSDAY 12th October	FRIDAY 13th October
PERIODS 1 & 2	<u>Year 7: Science</u> <u>Year 11: Maths</u> Non calculator	<u>Year 10: RS</u> <u>Year 11: Science</u> (Not 11a/SC4) <u>Year 12: Option D</u> Economics/IT	<u>Year 9: Science</u> <u>Year 10: Option B</u> Design Technology /Geography History/PE/ Food Technology <u>Year 12: Option B</u> Biology/Finance	<u>Year 9: English</u> <u>Year 11: Maths</u> Calculator	<u>Year 7: English</u> <u>Year 10: Option C</u> Computer Science Design Technology <u>Year 12: Option A</u> Pyschology/History
PERIODS 3 & 4	<u>Year 10: Option A</u> Computer Science Geography History Spanish	<u>Year 10: Maths</u> <u>Year 11: Option A</u> Computer Science Geography/History	<u>Year 8: English</u> <u>Year 11: Science</u> (Not 11a/SC4)	<u>Year 10: Citizenship</u> <u>Year 11: R.S.</u> <u>Year 12: Option a</u> Chemistry	<u>Year 10: Science</u> <u>Year 11: English</u>
PERIODS 5 & 6	<u>Year 9: Maths</u> <u>Year 11: Option B</u> Product Design/Spanish <u>Year 12: Option C</u> English/Maths	<u>Year 8: Science</u> <u>Year 11: English</u>	<u>Year 10: English</u> <u>Year 11: Option C</u> Food Technology/Music Product Design	<u>Year 7: Maths</u> <u>Year 8: Maths</u>	
		<u>Monday's Catch-up Exams</u> 3.30pm – 4.30pm	<u>Tuesday's Catch-up Exams</u> 3.30pm – 4.30pm	<u>Wednesday's Catch-up Exams</u> 3.30pm – 4.30pm	<u>Thursday's Catch-up Exams</u> 2.00pm – 3.00pm
	MONDAY 16th October				
	<u>Friday's Catch-Up Exams</u> 3.30pm – 4.30pm				