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To: Y11 parents/carers

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Dear Parent/Carer

As you will no doubt be aware, the Government have been clear that they expect full examinations to take place this summer in order to give young people the fairest opportunity to succeed in their qualifications and progress to their next destination in education, employment or training.

In addition to preparing students for their exams, schools are also being asked to ensure that young people have three formal opportunities, preferably one per term, to sit exam style assessments so that robust data can be collected to support the awarding of qualifications from teacher assessed grades should this prove necessary.

I am writing, therefore, to make you aware that your child will be sitting mock examinations for most of their subjects in both the week commencing 21 February 2022 (immediately after February half term) and from 21 April 2022 to 27 April 2022 (immediately after the Easter break). This will allow them ample opportunity to prepare for their assessments and to demonstrate their aptitude, as well as being excellent preparation for final exams.

Please be aware that, should teacher assessment grades be requested by exam boards, it is likely that these assessment points will be the evidence used to draw attainment decisions from. It is therefore imperative that your child works as hard as possible to achieve well in these assessments and treats them as seriously as their final exams.

Over the next few weeks, we will send out exam week timetables; students who are entitled to access arrangements or extra time will receive further information.

Class teachers will work with students to ensure they are aware of the content that they will be assessed on to allow them to prepare properly for their assessments.

If you have any queries about these exam periods, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours faithfully



Mr G Yassin
Deputy Headteacher