

Preparing for your exams and mocks

Exams at Taverham High School



NO equipment will be loaned during exams therefore you must be prepared with pens, pencils, rulers, erasers and calculators in a **clear** pencil case.

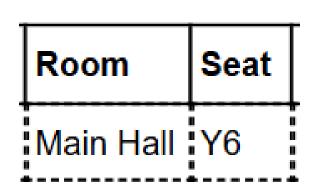


Do not register in class, we will register you in the hall. Go straight to the atrium/canteen to be ready to store your belongings.



Bags are stored in the canteen during exams.





Where to find my seat?

Your exam timetable shows your seat number and exam room.

Seat number 1 is at the **front** of the hall. The back wall is labelled with letters A-Z. Row A is **closest to the canteen**.

On each exam desk is a candidate card which will have your name on it. This is how you can be sure you are in the correct seat. If you get stuck, please speak to an invigilator.

All mocks will take place in the **Main Hall** unless advised otherwise.



Seating reminder

Before every exam there will be seating lists in the canteen and atrium.

All names will be listed in alphabetical order A-Z. Find your last name and look across to the seat and room to remind yourself of your seat before the exam starts.

Cand. No.	Last Name	First Name	Seat	Room
1234	Α	Joshua	W1	Main Hall
5678	В	Amy	X1	Main Hall
9101	С	Harrison	W2	Main Hall
1213	D	Gemma	W3	Main Hall
1415	Е	Joseph	W4	Main Hall

Mock Exams



We expect **all** students to treat mock exams as though they are the 'real thing'.

This means following all the JCQ rules and regulations.

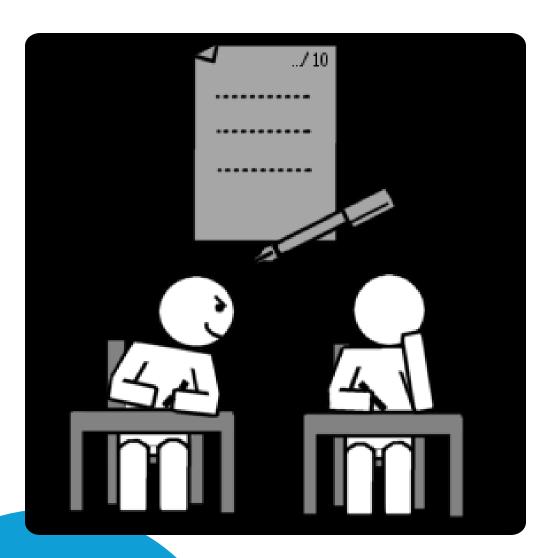


The Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ) sets the guidelines and regulations for exam boards and schools, ensuring the proper administration and delivery of exams.



Be on time for **all** your exams.

If you are late, your work might not be accepted.

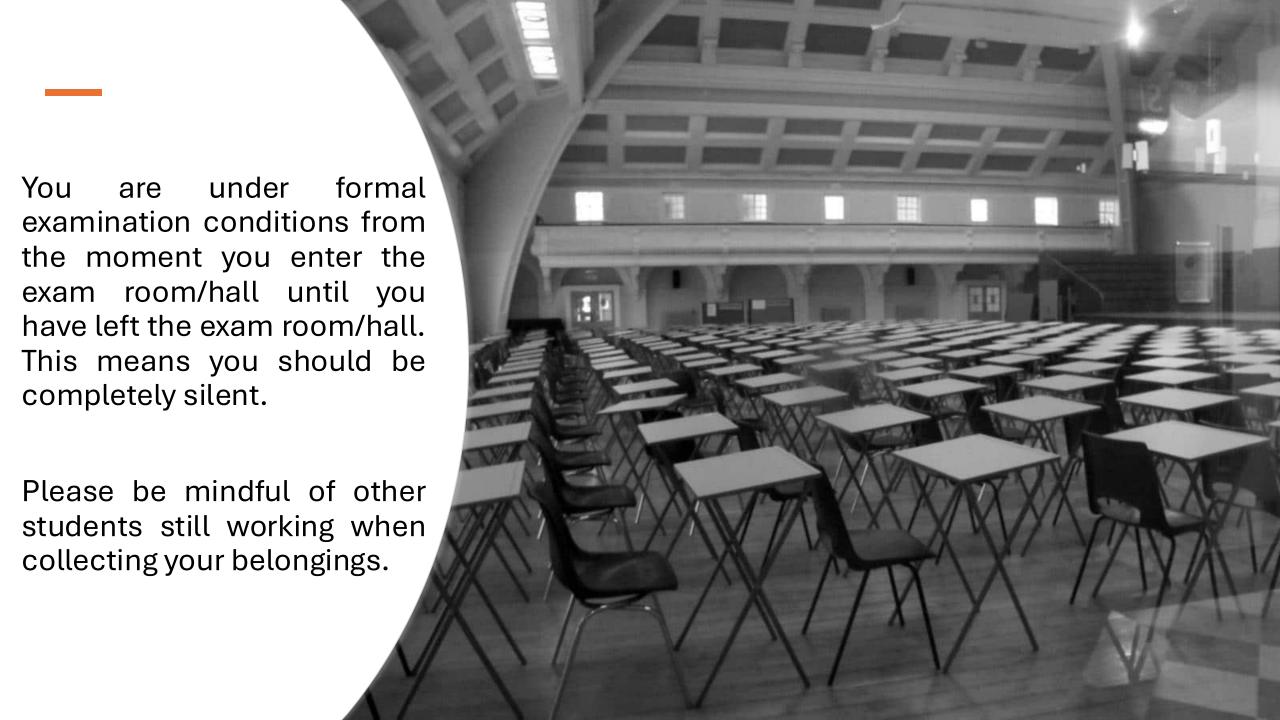


- Do not become involved in any unfair or dishonest practice during the exam.
- If you try to cheat, or break the rules in any way, you could be disqualified from all your exams.
- You must not write inappropriate, obscene or offensive material.

 Do not borrow anything from another candidate during the exam.

 Do not talk to or try to communicate with or disturb other candidates once you have entered the exam room.





You must not talk to, attempt to communicate with or disturb other candidates once you have entered the examination room.

Schools are instructed by the JCQ to report **all and any** communication or disruption in the exam room/hall.

This includes turning around to look at your friends.

Exam boards may decide to penalise you, which could include disqualification.







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NO MOBILE PHONES NO WATCHES

NO TECHNOLOGICAL OR WEB-ENABLED POTENTIAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION



Possession of unauthorised items, such as a mobile phone or any watch, is a serious offence and could result in

DISQUALIFICATION

from your examination and your overall qualification.

You must not take into the exam room:

- (a) notes, books or papers;
- (b) AirPods, earphones/earbuds, an iPod, a mobile phone, an MP3/4 player or similar device, a watch, smart glasses or any other smart device.



If you have a watch, the invigilator will ask you to hand it to them. Water bottles must be clear **without** any writing, markings or labels.

Water bottles





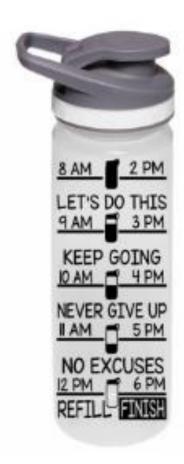




Water bottles









Remember: possession of unauthorised material is breaking the rules, even if you do not intend to use it, and you will be subject to penalty and possible disqualification.

Make sure your pockets are empty!



Do not use correcting pens, fluid or tape, erasable pens, highlighters or gel pens in your **answers**.

You can highlight the **question** if you want to.

You should only use a **black pen** to write your answers.

Pencil is used for drawings and graphs.





If you leave the exam room unaccompanied by an invigilator before the exam has finished, you will **not** be allowed to return.

Using the toilet during an exam

Unless you have a toilet card, you shouldn't need to go to the toilet during your exam.

Make sure you have used the facilities **before** you enter the exam hall.

Students repeatedly leaving the hall disturbs the working of others.



You must not open the question paper until the examination begins. If you do, this will be reported to the exam board.



When you have finished working

You should use the entire time allocated for your exam. Once you have completed your work, use any remaining time to review your answers.

Please do not disturb other students who are still working. Turning around or attempting to communicate will be reported to the exam board.



Mocks are a time for...

Compassion

We can support each other through revision, helping classmates prepare and succeed.

Compassion can be shown in the exam hall, where we create a focused and calm environment for everyone.



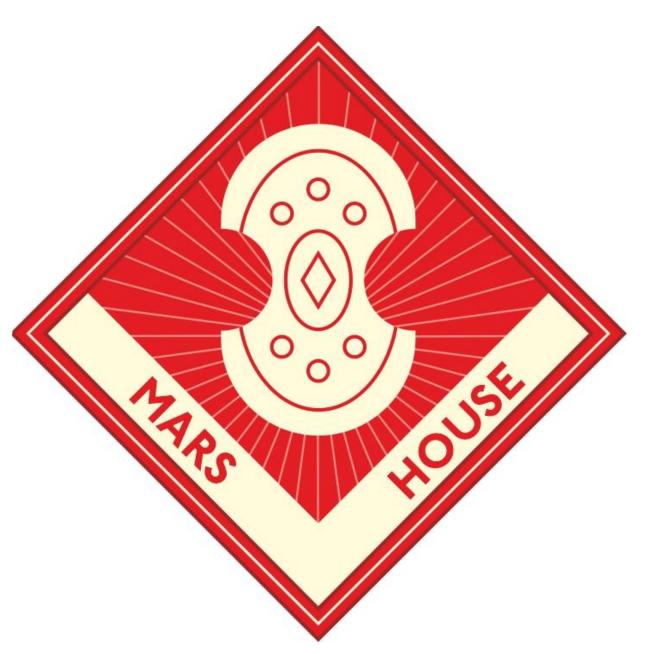
Opportunity

Mocks are an **opportunity** to showcase the knowledge we've gained and apply it.



Resilience

We build **resilience**, strengthening our stamina and preparing ourselves for the final exams.



Discovery

Mocks are a time for **discovery**, helping us identify areas for improvement and refine our approach for even greater success in the future.



Finally.....

