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Dear Parents/Carers,

### **YEAR 10 REVISION SESSIONS & ASSESSMENTS**

I wrote to you last week to share with you the plans for end-of-year assessments. As you will be aware, Year 10 have been in school last week and this week to have revision lessons for their impending assessments. It was wonderful to meet with them and welcome them back. The students welcomed returning to school and enjoyed seeing the faces of their teachers and peers. The students who attended school received pre-lesson briefings on social distancing and the current coronavirus guidelines, as well as having PPE supplied to them if requested. They also participated in wellbeing sessions, which they found to be informative and useful. All the classrooms were regularly and thoroughly cleaned for everyone's safety. If your son could not/did not attend these sessions, resources have been uploaded onto Show My Homework, as well as the study skills resources.

From Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June, all Year 10 students will follow a bespoke Weekly Work Plan (WWP) for their Summer Assessments (AP2). Assessments will start at 9.00am, but students are encouraged to log onto Google classroom fifteen minutes earlier to ensure a prompt start to their assessment. Each day is divided into three sessions and most students will have a maximum of two assessments per day. Students are expected to carry out revision work when not writing assessments.

These assessments will be used to assess your son's progress towards his GCSE target grades and are an important opportunity to show what he has learnt in his subject areas. Besides this, the assessments are vital in providing staff with an accurate overview of which areas students need more support in and will therefore be used in planning for September when the site is likely to re-open.

Please do support your son with organising his revision to give him the greatest chance of success in these assessments. Your son will have already received the documents listed below. All subjects have provided revision materials and a list of topics to support their preparation for these assessments and should be used at home to ensure they are fully prepared. It is also important that students time themselves when completing each of their assessments and spend no more than the allocated time on each. Please see the links below to the resources and information supplied, which include:-

- [Assessment timetable](#)
- [Study skills presentation](#)
- [GCSE revision guide](#)

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours Sincerely

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