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Dear Parent/Carer,

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with the information you require to support your child throughout the mock exam period. This letter includes three attachments: the half-term timetable for revision and coursework completion sessions; the mock exam timetable; and an overview of key revision information and links. This is an incredibly important time for your child, and we want to support them as much as possible.

Revision Conference

We are inviting all Year 11 students to attend a **'Revision Conference' on Wednesday 21st October 3 – 4pm (in place of period 6)**. It's an hour-long session with interactive activities modelling the best ways to approach their revision. Students will be provided with revision 'takeaway bags' at the end of the session with all the essentials they need to help support various revision strategies and techniques that we'll employ during the session.

Half Term Revision/Coursework Catch -up

We have attached the revision and coursework catch-up timetable for half term. If your child is expected they will be informed by their teachers. You will also receive a text the day prior to the session reminding you that the session is on for your child.

Key Reminders for Mock Exams

All students must be on time to their exams. In the official summer exams students cannot enter the exam hall late and therefore forfeit their chance at sitting that exam paper. We want to ensure they're in good habits early on and make it on time to each exam.

We provide a free breakfast for all students. If your child needs a first (or second) breakfast in the morning, please encourage them to do so. It's setting them up for the best possible start with the right fuel to sustain them throughout the exams.

Sleep is essential during this period. The more rested they are the better the mindset for the next day. Please encourage them to get plenty of sleep during this time.

Gain at Least a Grade

Every year, every exam season, we challenge our students to “Gain at Least a Grade” in each subject. Last year during this mock season, year 11 gained a total of 190 grades in comparison to their end of year 10 exams. 56 students gained 5 or more grades individually. We know this year’s cohort will go on to exceed these achievements through their motivation and focus.

We look forward to supporting your child through this first set of mocks and celebrating the outcomes with them.

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Director of Year 11

Year 11 Half Term Revision

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	Time	Subject (1)	Staff	Subject (2)	Staff
Monday 26th October	0930-1200	History (Germany)	ENA		
	1230-1500				
Tuesday 27th October	0930-1200	English	MLU		
	1230-1500				
Wednesday 28th October	0930-1200	Maths	LYM		
	1230-1500				
Thursday 29th October	0930-1200	Health and Social	JMC		
	1230-1500				
Friday 30th October	0930-1200	Art	CHI/KST	History (Medicine)	ENA
	1230-1500	Art	CHI/KST		

Year 11 Revision Resources

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Subject	Board	Revision Platforms	Useful Links
English	AQA	Sparx Reader - Set Texts: Macbeth & A Christmas Carol Seneca - Lit: plot, theme, quote revision & Lang: question specific practice Learn Anything - Lit & Lang: mini quizzes and long form essay practice	https://revisionworld.com/a2-level-level-revision/english-literature-gcse-level https://revisionworld.com/a2-level-level-revision/english-literature-gcse-level https://www.youtube.com/c/FirstRateTutors https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zr9d7ty
Maths	Edexcel	Sparx Maths - Practice questions on every topic Revision guide and workbook will be given to students	mathsgenie.co.uk/gcse/maths mathswhiteboard.com www.onmaths.com
Science		Sparx Science - Independent study section BBC bitesize - Key information for each topic Youtube - 'free science lessons' channel - summary of each lesson Physics and Maths tutor - past paper questions	https://www.freesciencelessons.co.uk/videos/ AQA combined science https://www.physicsandmathstutor.com/past-papers/gcse-science/
History	Edexcel	CPG Revision Guide (All Year 11 History Students have been given a copy)/Paper booklet will be set. Link 1: Medicine 1250-Modern Day. Link 2: The Cold War 1945-1991. Link 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-1939. Link 4: Execel Past Papers.	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zppr4xs?scrlybrkr=4453dae1 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwbysg8 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zymqwxs https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/support/support-topics/exams/past-papers.html?Qualification-Family=GCSE&Qualification-Subject=History%20(9%E2%80%931)%20from%202016&Status=Pearson-UK:Status%2FLive&Specification-Code=Pearson-UK:Specification-Code%2Fgcse16-history
Geography	AQA	SENECA - independent study is set here once a fortnight and pupils can access resources of their choice when they want Revision guides have been handed out to pupils, if anyone does not have one they need to ask their geography teacher	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zy3ptyc?scrlybrkr=37ff09f1 - revision for each unit is here https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources?secondaryResourceType=Question+papers - access to past papers and mark schemes Exercise books have fluency sheets for each unit, they have the specific named examples we have studied. These are the best revision tool. Green books - paper 1. Orange books - paper 2. Light green books - paper 3. Fluency sheets are also available on the school website.https://www.stockport-academy.org/portals/0/filetree/ks3-knowledge-organisers/Geography%20KS4%20KO.pdf?ver=2026-04-27-134217-347 https://www.internetgeography.net/aqa-gcse-geography/ - use the student hub section for resources and interactive quizzes
Computer Science / Business	OCR	Revision guides (CGP blue book) for Computer Science and (my revision notes) for Business. Seneca for both as well.	Past papers materials finder - Cambridge OCR
PE	OCR	OCR website- past papers and mark schemes. Revision guides, work books given in lesson.	Past papers materials finder - Cambridge OCR
MFL	Edexcel	Pearson Revise Online, Pearson Edexcel Revision Guide and Pearson Edexcel Workbook (Both work together) collect from Teacher or KRO, Pearson Edexcel GCSE Vocabulary, Grammar and Translation Workbooks, Padlet French/Spanish Edexcel Website Past Papers.	Home - Pearson Revise https://padlet.com/elenadiaz26/gcse-spanish-revision-guide-edexcel-z2sruu3uzmwphuhn?scrlybrkr=701d3697 https://padlet.com/elenadiaz26/remake-of-gcse-french-revision-guide-edexcel-hdf0faz6ysvidxx
RSS	AQA	Seneca, revision guides have been handed out to students.	GCSE Religious Studies 8062	Specification	AQA, https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zg8b7v4 (relationships and families videos), https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zjgx47h?scrlybrkr=8e9a2377 (Podcast episodes on Christianity and Islam),
Enterprise	OCR	CGP book or booklet (Ask Miss Martindale) (R067)	Past papers materials finder - Cambridge OCR
Drama	Edexcel	Edexcel website for past papers, books for vocab and revision guides.	Preparing for the written exam - How to answer set text exam questions - Edexcel - GCSE Drama Revision - Edexcel - BBC Bitesize
I Media	OCR	CGP book or booklet (Ask Mr Lewis) (R093)	Past papers materials finder - Cambridge OCR

Year 11 – Mocks 1 – November 2026 - Final

Date	Start	Len	Exam title		Start	Len	Exam title		Start	Len	Exam title
3rd Nov	08:55am	2 hrs 2 hrs	Product Design Gp 1 Textiles		11:15am	2 hrs 1 hr 30 mins 2 hrs	Art Gp 1 iMedia Food Practical Gp 1		01:55pm		
4th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 45mins 1 hr 15mins	Triple Science Biology H Combined Science Biology H / F		11:15am	1 hr 20 mins 2 hrs	History – Medicine Food Practical Gp 2		01:55pm		
5th Nov	08:55am	2 hr 15mins	English Literature P2		12:20pm	1 hr / 45 mins	French Listening H / F		01:55pm	1 hr / 45 mins	Spanish Listening H / F
6th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 45 mins 1 hr 30 mins 2 hrs	Religious Studies P1 – Islam & Christianity Computer Science Food Practical Gp 3		11:15am	1 hr 30mins	Maths Non-Calculator P1 H / F		01:55pm		
9th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 45mins 1 hr 15mins	Triple Science Chemistry H Combined Science Chemistry H / F		11:15am	2 hrs 2 hrs 2 hrs	Art Group 2 Product Design Gp 2 Food Practical Gp 4		01:55pm		
10th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 30 mins 2 hrs	Geography P1 – Physical Food Practical Gp 5		11:15am	1 hr 30 mins 1 hr 15 mins 2 hrs	Business Studies Enterprise Food Practical Gp 6		01:55pm		
11th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 20 mins 30 mins	Drama Religious Studies P2 – Religion and family		11:30am	1 hr / 45 mins 1 hr / 45 mins 2 hrs	French Reading H / F Spanish Reading H / F Food Practical Gp 7		01:55pm	55 mins	History – Cold War
12th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 45 mins	English Language P2		11:15am	1 hr 30 mins	Maths Calculator P2 H / F		01:55pm		
13th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 45 mins 1 hr 15 mins	Triple Science Physics H Combined Science Physics H / F		11:15am	1 hr 20 mins / 1 hr 15 mins 2 hrs	French Writing H / F Spanish Writing H / F Food Practical Gp 7		01:55pm		
16th Nov	08:55am	2 hrs 1 hr 15 mins 2 hrs	Health and Social Music Food Practical Gp 8		11:15am	1 hr 30 mins 2 hrs	Geography P2 – Human & Fieldwork Food Practical Gp 9		01:55pm	1 hr	Child Care
17th Nov	08:55am	1 hr 30mins	Maths Calculator P3 H / F		11:15am	1 hr 30 mins	History - Weimar		01:55pm		

Year 11 mock speaking tests (French and Spanish) will take place w/c 16/11/26. Actual dates and times to be confirmed in due course