

9<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Dear Year 11 parent/carer,

**Autumn mock timetable and intervention update**

I am writing to share with you the mock timetable for the Autumn term and an update to the way after school intervention will run.

**Intervention**

After school intervention has been run differently this year due to changes in the union’s stance to this time. As a result, it has been difficult to have the same clarity and consistency as was communicated in previous years. Thank you for your patience as we have worked on a suitable solution.

The schedule for after school intervention is below. Interventions will still run everyday bar Wednesday (staff training and meetings). However, as of **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October**, all year 11 students will be expected to remain in school until **4:10pm** each **Monday** and **Thursday**. If they are not selected for intervention, they will go to the diner for silent study. Resources will be provided by the heads of core subjects for the Monday and Thursday study groups.

We appreciate this may cause some disruption to some of your routines. If you have concerns over the changes, please contact your child mentor in the first instance. There will be the odd occasion where a student needs to leave for an appointment or college visit, this will be permitted but only once we have been notified by home.

	Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
After school	Maths JBL & JT English (BHO, JOS, DN, AOR) PE (RG) Science (IF) <b>Diner study (JKE)</b>	Textiles Maths Grades 7-9 (JBL)	Textiles Maths (JBL) History Science (OA, LD, IF) Art <b>Diner study (JvG)</b>	Music Science (11x1 JvG) Resistant materials

**Autumn mocks**

It goes without saying that mock exams are a pivotal part of year 11. They provide rich feedback to teachers, parents and students about each student’s strengths and areas for development.



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Year 11s will receive extensive revision resources over half term to support them with their preparations. Some teachers will also be running interventions during half term, the timetable for this is currently being finalised.

After the mocks have been completed, we will collect the data and of course update predicted grades which can also be passed onto Post-16 institutions.

I would like to wish all our students the very best of luck with their preparations and thank you in advance for all that you do to support their progress.

Attached is a copy of the Mock Exam timetable. Please remind students they are required to bring all the necessary equipment, this should include;

- Black pens
- Pencils
- Rubber
- Ruler
- Scientific calculator
- Protractor
- Clear pencil case
- Water bottle.

Please keep your son/daughter in a routine of study, support them in keeping to a revision timetable and praise their effort.

Yours sincerely,

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