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Re. Upcoming Year 11 Internal Assessment Fortnight: 6.12.21 – 17.12.21

Dear Parents/Carers,

We write to inform you that Year 11 pupils will sit a range of **internal subject assessments across the final two weeks of this term (6th – 17th December 2021)**. Given the ongoing context and our commitment to minimise risk on site, these assessments will take place during the 'normal' school timetable (i.e. within Year 11 lesson slots) and within classrooms.

Over the coming days, subject teachers will communicate the specific times/dates and assessment requirements so that all pupils may prepare and revise accordingly. In the majority of cases, GCSE-style questions/papers will be used and pupils will be required to sit assessments under examination conditions.

We ask for your support in ensuring your child has the time and opportunity to revise for these assessments over the coming weeks.

Assessment results will inform our tracking of pupils' attainment against expected targets. **We will issue an interim report detailing this information prior to Year 11 Parents' Evening in January.**

Key dates:

- Ongoing - Year 11 revision
- **Monday, December 6th – Friday, December 17th** - **Two week Y11 Internal Assessment window**
- Monday, January 10th - INSET day (including Year 11 data collection)
- W/b Monday, January 17th - Year 11 Interim Reports published
- Thursday, January 20th - Year 11 Parents' Evening

Thank you for your continued support.

Should you have any queries, please contact the school.

Yours faithfully,

The Senior Leadership Team

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