



22/05/2026

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Year 10 Mock Examinations Information

Your child will be taking mock examinations over a 1 week period, commencing **15th June** through to **19th June 2026**. You will find the exam timetable attached to this letter.

Our vision is to improve the life chances of every student, and we know that these examinations give essential practice for the real GCSE examinations in the summer of 2027. They also allow us to measure progress and help to identify any students that need extra support. The teaching and interventions will be tailored to the gaps in the students' knowledge, and we will be able to make gains in the areas required.

We aim to make the experience as authentic as possible. Maths, English and Science examinations will take place in the Sports Hall or Gym. Option subject exams will take place in lessons. I will share the expectations for the entry and exit to exams in an assembly, but please help us to ensure that your child is aware of the following rules:

- Students must arrive on time for the start of exams.
- Students are not permitted to communicate with each other in any way whilst in the examination room.
- Students must remain silent whilst in the examination room.
- Food, sweets or chewing gum are **not** allowed in any examination. Students may bring a drink (water only) in a clear plastic bottle with a screw top and label removed.
- Students must only bring authorised equipment into the examination room. This includes pens, pencils, rulers and calculators (if allowed). The equipment should be in a clear pencil case or bag.
- Students must **not** bring any unauthorised devices or materials into the examination room. This includes mobile phones and other digital devices, watches, bracelets and revision notes.
- Unauthorised devices or materials must be left in bags or coat pockets or handed in before the examinations start. Bags and coats will be locked away in a separate area.
- Once papers are collected students must return to their normal lessons.
- If students are not in a timetabled exam, they will be in lessons as normal.

We are excited to see what this year group is capable of and look forward to working with you to ensure their success. Please encourage your child to prepare for these examinations. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. J. Green - Assistant Head - Assessment, Exams, Reporting

WEEK B

	Exam Start 9:15 P1	P2	PM Entry Method P3	Exam Start 1:30 PM P4	P5
Students to make sure that electronic devices are off and in their bag. Students to go to hall before being instructed to go to exam rooms. Bags and outdoor wear placed in the open lockers provided. Examiners will direct students to their seat. Calculators and equipment will be provided. Students will go back to their timetabled lesson when the exam is finished.					
Monday, 15 June					
Tuesday, 16 June	Maths Y10 Non-Calculator 1hr30m			Biology Y10 1hr	
Wednesday, 17 June	English Language Paper 1 Y10 1hr45m			Chemistry Y10 1hr	
Thursday, 18 June	Maths Y10 Calculator 1.5 hours			Physics Y10 1hr	
Friday, 19 June	English Literature (Half paper) - Romeo & Juliet Y10 45m				