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Dear Parents / Guardians of Year 10 pupils,

RE: Year 10 Exams

As part of the schools' assessment procedure for your son / daughter, there will be Year 10 mock exams, for certain subjects, in the Top Hall, **weeks beginning 8th and 15th December. Please see the Mock Examination timetable accompanying this letter.**

These exams will focus on the work completed so far this year and, where appropriate, any work completed in previous years. These exams will allow teachers to identify where your son / daughter has strengths in each subject and any areas that require improvement.

Whilst it is important that the pupils do not get too anxious over these exams, at the same time all pupils need to take the exams seriously and prepare in the best possible way. Therefore, it is essential that pupils perform to the best of their ability.

To this end, your son / daughter may find the tips below useful when preparing for the exams:

- Have a good night's sleep before the exams.
- Look over any work completed and make notes (in a suitable environment).
- Make simple notes (perhaps in bullet points) on cards / or post-its and stick them around their room.
- Eat a balanced meal.
- Drink plenty of water to keep hydrated.
- Stay positive.

If you have any queries or concerns regarding the exams, please do not hesitate to contact either myself, Mr Will Beddoes or Mr Gareth Jones, Head of Year 10 and 11, on the school number.

Yours sincerely

R Ransome
Senior Assistant Headteacher

Assessment Timetable
Weeks beginning Monday 8 & 15 December

	Lesson 1	Lesson 2		Lesson 3	Lesson 4		Lesson 5
Wk2 Mon 8th Dec	Yr 10 Art (All Day)			Yr 10 Art (All Day)			Yr 10 Art (All Day)
Wk 2 Tue 9th Dec							
Wk 2 Wed 10th Dec	Yr 10 Welsh				Yr 10 English		Yr 10 English
Wk 2 Thur 11th Dec							Yr 10 Option P Food Music
Wk 2 Fri 12th Dec	Yr 10 Maths						Yr 10 Chemistry (Triple and DA)
Wk 1 Mon 15th Dec							Yr 10 Biology (Triple and DA)
Wk 1 Tues 16th Dec	Yr 10 Option R Digital Tech Geography RE			Yr 10 Option P PE			Yr 10 Option P Spanish
Wk 1 Wed 17th Dec				Yr 10 Physics (Triple and DA)			