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Dear Parents/Carers,

### Year 11 Mock Examinations 2023

The core mock examinations for Year 11 are due to run between Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023 and 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023 (dependent on which subjects your child studies).

This is the timetable for the mock examinations.

	Morning	Afternoon
27.02	Geography (1hr 30)	Maths P1(1hr 30)
28.02	English language (1hr 45)	Biology (1hr 15) Triple (1hr 45)
01.03		Languages F (1hr 45) H (2hr 15)
02.03		Chemistry (1hr 15) Triple (1hr 45)
03.03	History (55 minutes)	Food (1hr 30) and GCSE Music (1hr 30)
	Morning	Afternoon
06.03	English literature (1hr 45)	Design Technology (1hr 45)
07.03		Maths P2 (1hr 30)
08.03	BTEC Construction (2 hours) and Religious Studies (1hr 45)	Physics (1hr 15) Triple (1hr 45)
09.03	HSC and Computer Science (1hr 30)	Maths P3 (1hr 30)
10.03		GCSE Sport (1hr 30)

It is expected that examinations in the summer will go ahead without any restrictions, however, the Department for Education (DfE) in England and Ofqual (national body for ensuring the standards in examinations) have asked all schools to collect examination evidence ahead of the summer of what students can do in case of individual student absence or national disruption to the examinations because of covid related illness.

We will be keeping the original copies of these mock examinations as our evidence should there be an issue in the summer.

There will not be any opportunities for these mock papers to be completed later should a student be absent on the day shown above. This is because we must ensure that all of the assessments are taken in examination conditions and that all students complete the papers at the same time.

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If a student does not have a mock examination, they will be expected to attend their lessons as usual.

Shaded sections on the timetable represent when all students should be in their normal lessons. Students should come prepared for each lesson with the appropriate equipment and should not assume that these lessons will be used for revision for other subjects.

If a student has an afternoon examination, they may leave school once their examination has finished. However, if they usually attend revision sessions or the National Tutoring Programme, we advise that they continue to do so.

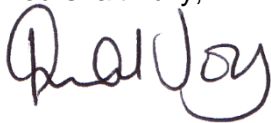
We will be issuing a copy of the summer timetable in the next few weeks, but we can confirm that students will need to be available until the 28<sup>th</sup> June as this is a contingency day and could be utilised if there is an issue nationally with any papers.

Finally, just a reminder that there is a Year 11 parent's evening this Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January where parents will be able to speak face to face with classroom teachers. Click here to make your appointments if you haven't already done so - <https://meadowhead.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

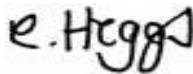
We look forward to meeting you and working together to ensure that your child has the very best chance of success this year.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us using the email address [heggsc@meadowhead.sheffield.sch.uk](mailto:heggsc@meadowhead.sheffield.sch.uk)

Yours faithfully,



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