



20 May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

### Year 11 Progress

I hope you and your family are well and starting to feel as though we are on the way back to some normality. I would like to update you on Year 11 and how we are progressing with exams, assessments and collecting evidence.

The vast majority of Year 11 continue to work hard as we undertake mock exams and topic assessments in class; the programme of 'mock exams' finishes on Monday and then next week we will be collecting the final pieces of evidence and assessment before starting to decide grades after half-term. These final pieces of work are essential for the awarding of grades. All subjects will inform students to prepare; in the core subjects, the focus will be as follows:

Week beg: 24 May	
English	Speaking assessment – the school submits a grade to the exam board and this will appear on students' GCSE certificates
Maths	Final topic assessment – Geometry or Statistics
Science	Required practicals to be assessed

In all subjects, students will be directed to specific work which could help them to improve their grade.

As you know, the week after half-term has been allocated to virtual work experience – if they haven't already, please encourage your child to download the app and to sign up. It will be a valuable experience and important on their CV as they move forward next September.

Once the process of assessment and collecting evidence is complete, we will write to you again with more information. At this point, we can tell you that students will not be required in school after 18 June 2021.

I hope this information helps. Please do not hesitate to get in touch with Ms White, Head of Year 11, if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully,

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AMBITION



RESILIENCE



COURTESY



KINDNESS