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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope all is well with you and your family. I am writing to let you know about the upcoming mock exams for our Y11 students. **Mock assessments will take place during the fortnight commencing 4th November 2024**.

The complete timetable is on the website and students have been given an individual one which they can also view on their MCAS student portal. We have also uploaded to the website, a list of the topics to revise and ideas of how best to revise for each subject. I have also attached these for your

Mock assessments are very important as they help both students and staff to understand their current strengths, and any areas for improvement. Students should prepare for the exams by revising; it is useful to plan a revision timetable, putting aside time every day for revision.

You can support your child in the next few weeks by ensuring that:

- They plan and follow a revision timetable. Make sure they revise for each subject and spend time, every day, revising. Little and often is the most effective technique.
- They know when and where their exams will take place.
- They are on time for school and have the right equipment (pen, pencil, scientific calculator, ruler, highlighter, pens etc. in a clear pencil case or bag)

If your child is absent from school during the day of a mock assessment, they will complete this upon their return.

To help your child reach their fullest potential, students are being guided in revision techniques for each individual subject. We also subscribe to the online platforms, GCSE Pod and Pearson Revise Online which has useful videos and revision guide pages for each topic, as well as knowledge quizzes.

There is also a section of our website called the 'Y11 success hub', where you can find lots of useful information including the mock timetable, 100 day countdown, how to revise guide and revision topics.

https://www.medenschool.co.uk/page.php?p=y11success











If your child is feeling particularly anxious or worried about these assessments, please do not hesitate to contact their form tutor. We would like to wish all of our students every success in this assessment period, and we are confident that, with thorough preparation, they will fulfil their true potential.

Kind regards,

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