



ST. AIDAN'S

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

21 September 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

I write to inform you of the arrangements for the new academic year.

Information about when controlled assessments are happening, and in which subjects, is available on the school website (in the 'learning and progress' section). From Monday 5th to Thursday 15th December the students will be sitting a formal set of mock exams in Constance Green Hall. During the mock exam period when students are not sitting any exams they will be supervised in their normal lessons where they will be able to do quiet revision. The school day will remain otherwise unchanged.

During the year we will work with the students to help them develop effective revision techniques. In addition to this, individual subjects will be offering revision or booster sessions. The timing and location of these sessions will be provided to the students well in advance. I should also like to draw to your attention to provision we have put in place for students to do supervised work after school on a Tuesday evening until 5pm starting in October. Those for whom this is especially recommended this year will be receiving notification soon.

Students' progress will be monitored closely by staff throughout the year and you will receive a review of their progress on Friday 21st October. You will also have an opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their class teachers at the Parents' Evening on Thursday 3rd November at 4.30pm. Finally, you will also receive a report containing feedback from the Mock Examinations on Friday February 10th.

We hope that our students will enjoy the learning experience of Year 11 and continue to mature and develop within the Christian ethos of the school.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

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