

May 2022

Dear Parent / Guardian

Year 7 will have an exam week from Monday 13th June – Thursday 17th June 2022.

The main aim of this exam week is to help students build the skills needed to sit a set of 'terminal' exams. This means developing strategies to help revise a large amount of work for several subjects all at once. To help with this, subject teachers will be giving advice about how and what to revise for their subject and we will be discussing revision and organisation in form time and assembly. We understand that it takes time to develop these skills and students may not get it right first time but it's important that all students attempt some revision.

Not all subjects will have an end of year exam. They will take place for Science, RS, History, Geography, English and Maths. In addition, all pupils will have a short French speaking exam of 2-3 minutes' duration during one of their French lessons over the fortnight beginning 13th June.

Exams will take place in normal lesson time, in the students' classrooms. A timetable has been produced to show when each exam will take place (see overleaf).

In some lessons students will not have exams and they will be expected to bring their normal books and equipment for these lessons. In particular students should bring their PE kits as normal.

The results of the exams will be used along with all the other assessments they completed during the year to help teachers make a judgement about the progress students have made. This will be reported to you at the end of the year.

Yours sincerely

Mr Taylor Head of Year 7

