



9<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Dear Parents or Carers,

Year 9 students have had an assembly today to explain our expectations for them in the upcoming end of year exam series. The presentation is available on our website for you to view. They will be sitting end of year exams in English, maths and science in the week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> June. These will be in the sports hall, giving students an opportunity to experience what it feels like to sit their exams in authentic exam conditions.

Students are expected to adhere to exam conditions and should not bring watches or electronic devices such as phones into the exam hall. They are also expected to bring their black pens, pencils, ruler etc. in a transparent pencil case or bag. They should also ensure they have a calculator for each of the exams that require one, they will not be supplied by school.

Year 9 End of Year Assessments		
Date	9.00am	1.30pm
29th June	English	
30th June	Maths	
1st July	Science	

Following the end of year 9 assessments students will then sit the following exams in year 10 and 11:

- **Year 10 Summer Benchmark Exams (June)**
- **Year 11 Benchmark Exams (January)**
- **Year 11 Summer Final Public Exams (May)**

This adjustment increases available teaching time and removes the disruption of an extra mock exam series.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if there are any questions you'd like to discuss.

Yours sincerely

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