



17th November 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 13 Mock Examinations

Please be reminded that Year 13 mock examinations will take place from **Monday 5th January to Friday 16th January**. The whole Year 13 timetable will be suspended for these 10 days and all students will have study leave. However, Year 13 students taking Year 12 courses are expected to attend Year 12 lessons as normal – unless the lesson clashes with an exam. Students who do not have many exams must spend their time productively consolidating their learning and reading around their subjects. Students who study one or more subjects where a mock exam is not being taken, will be expected to attend school as directed by the relevant Head of Department to continue with their coursework in those non-mock exam subjects.

Clearly, the coming weeks are of considerable importance for your child and it is crucial that s/he undertakes a structured **revision programme**. Revision done now will be of great importance in determining the final grade achieved at the end of the year.

These mock exams will provide an important measure of the progress made and are scheduled at this stage in order to enable students time to respond to their outcome. The following week, staff will be marking the tests and entering the data for the second **Year 13 Progress Report**. This report, which will be issued on Friday 6th February, will focus on current performance grades, target grades, exam scores, attitude to learning and deadlines.

We hope that this letter keeps you in the picture about the pattern of assessment in Year 13 and alerts you to the importance of the next few weeks in particular. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this process, do not hesitate to get in touch with us.

Yours faithfully,

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Assistant Headteacher
Head of Sixth Form

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Assistant Head of Sixth Form
Head of Year 13

Year 13 Mock Examinations (Monday 5th January – Friday 16th January 2026)

Morning Session <i>Assemble at 8.30am unless otherwise instructed</i>	Date	Afternoon Session <i>Assemble at 12.20pm unless otherwise instructed</i>
Drama [2h 30m] Maths P1 [2h] <i>North Hall</i>	INSET Monday 5th January	Biology P1 [2h] Economics P1 [2h] Applied Business [1h] <i>North Hall</i>
Geography P1 [2h 30m] Law P1 [2h] Art & Design 1 <i>Room 46</i> Photography 1 <i>Room 45</i>	Tuesday 6th January	Politics P1 Media P1 Electronics P1
Cambridge Technical IT U1 Y13 Resits Cambridge Advanced National Health & Social Care Y12 & Y13 F090 08.30 1hr 30m – C Block Travel & Tourism [3h] Further Maths P1 [1h 30m]	Wednesday 7th January	Computer Science P1 [2h 30m] History [2h 15m] Core Maths (Y12&Y13) [1h 30m] PE P1 [1h 30m]
French P1 <i>MP3s</i> [2h 30m] English Language P1 [2h 30m] Chemistry P1 [2h]	Thursday 8th January	Psychology P1 [2h] Physics P1 [2h]
Spanish P1 <i>MP3s</i> [2h 30m] Business Studies P1 [2h] Further Maths P2 [1h 30m]	Friday 9th January	Cambridge Technical Health & Social Care U3 Y13 Resits Cambridge Technical IT U2 Y13 Resits 13.00 [1h 30m] - C Block Sociology P2 [2h]

<p>Maths P2 [2h] French P2 [2h]</p>	<p>Monday 12th January</p>	<p>English Language P2 [2h 30m] Chemistry P2 [2h]</p>
<p>English Literature [2h 30m] Geography P2 [2h 30m]</p> <p>Art & Design 2 <i>Room 46</i> Photography 2 <i>Room 45</i></p>	<p>Tuesday 13th January</p>	<p>Business Studies P2 [2h] Spanish P2 [2h] Further Maths P3 [1h 30m]</p> <p>Art & Design 3 <i>Room 46</i> Photography 3 <i>Room 45</i></p>
<p>Psychology P2 [2h] Physics P2 [2h]</p>	<p>Wednesday 14th January</p>	<p>Computer Science P2 [2h 30m] Sociology P3 [2h]</p>
<p>Maths P3 [2h] Law P2 [2h] 3 clash students only</p> <p>Art & Design 4 <i>Room 46</i> Photography 4 <i>Room 45</i></p>	<p>Thursday 15th January</p>	<p>Electronics P2 [2h] Media P2 [2h] Politics P2 [2h] Law P2 [2h]</p>
<p>Economics P2 [2h] Biology P2 [1h 30m]</p>	<p>Friday 16th January</p>	<p>Further Maths P4 [1h 30m] Health & Social Care [1h 15m] PE P2&3 [45m each]</p>

Notes

1. Unless otherwise stated, all exams are in **C Block**
2. Assemble in **C03 for morning exams and C07 for afternoon exams**
3. If you discover that you have a clash, notify Mrs Keeley immediately