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Dear Parent/Carer

### **Year 11 Full Written Report**

Full written reports were emailed to parents and carers yesterday. They should provide a clear indication of how well your son/daughter has settled back into school and include a written commentary from their subject teachers.

Subject target grades are an indication of the grade students should be working towards by the end of Year 11. Please note, these are used only as a guide and we will always work with students to ensure they can achieve the best grade possible. Subject teachers have also provided guidance with regards to preparation for upcoming mock exams in November.

Please note that for this report we have included academic attainment data from the end of Year 10. An interim progress report will follow after the mock exam fortnight scheduled for 22 November - 3 December. This will enable us to provide you with detailed and accurate assessment data based on full examination papers sat in exam conditions.

A subject evening for parents will take place in early January to discuss next steps as a result of Mock outcomes.

### **Mock Exams**

From Monday 22 October Year 11 students will sit their first set of Mock exams over a two week period. These will take place under full exam conditions. A copy of the overall timetable can be found at the end of this letter. Students will receive individual timetables when they return after half term.

Subject teachers have provided students with revision tasks over the half term break. This break provides students an opportunity to organise their revision and begin to prepare for these important assessments.

We have updated the exams section of the school website which is available to view on the following link (<https://www.bristolfreeschool.org.uk/exams>). Here you will find the Mock exam logistics and revision strategies shared with students, alongside useful information for all students sitting examinations. We hope to continue building this resource throughout the year.

### **Summer 2022 Exam Series**

It is currently the government's policy that exams and assessments will go ahead in summer 2022. However, it is recognised that students in the 2022 cohort have had their education disrupted and that this should be taken into account.

Information about the proposed adjustments can be found on the government website by clicking [here](#).



The DfE have made clear that depending on how the pandemic affects education during the 2021/22 academic year, they may decide to cancel exams and use Teacher Assessed Grade. This would be an exceptional measure but it is important that students note that should this happen the outcomes from these Mock exams could be used as qualifying evidence. It is important that students prepare thoroughly for their upcoming mocks and are able to demonstrate progress from their End of Year 10 assessments.

As always, thank you for your support. We hope that you and your families have a restful half term.

Yours sincerely,



Mr J Fernandes  
Deputy Headteacher

### Year 11 Mock 1 Timetable

Week 1: WC - 22 November					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 9:00am	English Language Paper 1 1h 45min	DT	English Language Paper 2 2hrs 05 mins	Comp Sci / Health and Social	Food / Drama
Period 3 + 4 / Lunch					
PM 1:30pm	Business	Maths Paper 1 (Non- Calculator) 1h 30mins	RP	History	Biology Paper 1 (1h 15mins / 1h 45mins)

Week 2: WC - 29 November					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 9:00am	English Literature Paper 2 1h 20mins	French	Maths Paper 2 (Calculator) 1h 30mins	PE / Music	INSET DAY Art
Period 3 + 4 / Lunch					
PM 1:30pm	Spanish	Chemistry Paper 1 (1h 15mins / 1h 45mins)	Geography	Physics Paper 1 (1h 15mins / 1h 45mins)	INSET DAY Art

