

October 2022

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

On Monday 7th November, our Year 11 students will begin their mock examinations. The examination period will last for two weeks and students will sit papers in almost all of their subjects.

The main focus of the mock examinations is to provide both students and staff with an indication of where good progress is being made and where further work is needed. They present an excellent opportunity for everyone to review what needs to be done ahead of the final exams in the summer term of Year 11.

Students have had an assembly to provide further details on the examinations as well as some guidance on revision strategies. More information regarding the revision process can be found on the school website at <https://chaseterraceacademy.co.uk/school-life/revision/> Mock examination timetables will be given directly to the students once they are finalised.

We appreciate that many of our students will be apprehensive about sitting a full round of examinations, however, this provides an opportunity for them to build on the experience of the Year 10 examinations and undergo the preparation process required for an intensive period of exams.

Students will of course be supported in individual subject areas with specific revision activities and this work will be set through show my homework. Planning revision is key and there is a document on the website to support this along with a range of other guidance.

Some of the afternoon examinations will be completed before the end to the normal school day. Once these exams are finished, students will be free to leave the site. Please note that there will be no school crossing support on the main road outside the school at this time, so students should take extra care if they need to cross the main road. Any students who get the bus home will be able to wait in the library until the end of the day.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Cain
Deputy Headteacher