



Lady Hawkins' School

Kington - Herefordshire
Headteacher: Mr Allen Brace BSc NPQH

15th April 2024

Dear Parent / Carer,

As part of our program to prepare students for their end-of-year 11 exams, we have scheduled a series of mock exams for all year 10 students. These exams will take place over two weeks, from June 10th, 2024, to June 21st, 2024. The aim of these mock exams is to provide students with a realistic experience of an exam setting and help them identify areas where they need to focus their efforts in the remainder of the academic year and the beginning of year 11.

Please find the timetable for the upcoming exams accompanying this letter and on the school website. Students have received a booklet that contains a comprehensive breakdown of what they need to revise, including revision techniques and directions to revision materials. It is highly recommended that all students take these exams seriously and allocate quality time for revision in the coming weeks. These exams are significant as they offer students valuable practice and experience under examination conditions, highlighting any gaps in knowledge and exam technique for both students and teachers.

The results of the mock exams will be distributed before the end of the academic year and will serve as a guide for grade predictions for college applications in the autumn term.

Please take note of these important details regarding the upcoming mock exam period:

- In the event that your child is unable to attend an examination due to illness, please inform the school immediately via telephone.
- The exams will be conducted in full compliance with GCSE regulations and conditions. As per these regulations, students are not allowed to carry any electronic device, like a smartphone, during the exam. Such items must be kept at home or at the office before the exam.

It is crucial that every student is fully prepared for their exams. We expect your child to have a clear pencil case containing at least one black pen, pencils, a ruler, eraser, sharpener, pair of compasses, a protractor and a calculator.

Thank you for your support during this process. If you have any queries regarding the mock exams, please do not hesitate to contact either me or Mrs. Gadfield, the Exams Officer, at school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Collister
Deputy Headteacher