



Parents@Park (12.03.21)

As we are now back together in school we can continue to grow and be the best we can possibly be. The school feels happy and vibrant with all students back on school site - long may this continue!

Notices

- Year 11 Parents Evening Thursday 18th March [click here](#) for the invitation [and here](#) for a guide to booking appointments on our remote Parents Evening platform.

- Lateral flow testing continues to run smoothly in school with the students involved coping brilliantly. It has been a real team effort to get all consenting students tested and logged. Huge thanks to all involved.

- As initial on site lateral flow testing nears completion, **a letter with Covid home testing details and instructions will follow next week.** In addition, all students involved will be having a training session and walk through with the home testing kits to ensure they are confident, happy and able to safely and accurately test from home.

- Year 10 Parents Evening – For those of you that missed the **Essential Year 10 update with Mrs Eulert and Mr Allen.**

[Link to the video click here](#)

- [Please click here](#) to find the vocabulary words of the week (WOW) for Year 7 and 8 students week commencing 8th March

A message from Mrs Kegg:

"I would first of all like to say a massive well done to all our Year 7 and 8 students who have been working hard learning their Words of the Week and their quizzes. The engagement and scores for the quizzes have been amazing! Now that students are back in school, they will all be given a word book to record their words every week. I will continue to email these word lists out to students and post the lists on Teams but they will also be displayed in classrooms. Students will be responsible for ensuring these words are written in their books but they will be reminded by staff. It would also really benefit your child if you could support them in this, perhaps giving your own examples of the words in a sentence or trying to drop them into conversations with your child. There will be more prizes on the way very soon".

- Sadly, we have had to postpone PD Afternoon scheduled for Monday 15th March.

- For parents wishing to purchase the new Green blazer please note that Whitakers Website (who supply Pendle Village Mill with blazers) are accepting orders online.

- Please note, the Trawden bus is putting the 8am service back on from Monday 15th March.



Year 11 Final Grades

How GCSEs, AS and A levels will be awarded in summer 2021

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Working out your grade	Evidence	Results and appeals
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Graded by teacher judgementNot graded by an algorithmSchool and college assessments can continueYou'll only be assessed on what you've been taughtYour teacher will tell you what evidence is used to grade youPrivate candidates to work with a school, college or exam centre to provide evidence for them to be graded	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Mocks, tests and work already done can be used as evidenceNon-exam assessment should continueNon-exam assessments can be used as evidence even if incompleteArt & design grade based only on your portfolioTeachers can use question banks provided by exam boards if they want toResults will be based on completed and future work, so keep doing your best	<p>Results days AS and A level: 10 August GCSE: 12 August</p> <p>If you're unhappy with your grade, you can appeal it. First step is to submit an appeal to your school or college.</p> <p>You can find out more details from your school, college or exam board, or by visiting the Ofqual website</p> <p>www.gov.uk/ofqual</p>

Work experience and Careers Update

- Please click here for [Careers newsletter week 23](#)
- Please [click here](#) for information on Virtual Work Experience including the benefits for our students [and here](#) for a huge number of virtual work experience opportunities

- School careers email address is careers@park-high.co.uk

The week ahead

- Year 8&9 Virtual Options Evening Monday 15th March

- Year 11 parents evening Thursday 18th March 2021

Park news



#LockdownGoals

Some wonderfully creative work from one of our KS3 Technology students!

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Dates for diary - further ahead

- Year 8&9 Virtual Options Evenings will be taking place on Monday 15th March
- Year 11 Parents Evening Thursday 18th March

[School Holiday Dates 2020-21 \(click\)](#)