



Parents@Park (13.11.20)

Year 11 Examination notices

External formal Examinations starting this week

- **Weds 18th Nov 9.00am START NCFE Health & Fitness students final exam**
- **Fri 27th Nov 9.00am START NCFE Business and Enterprise students final exam**
- **Year 11 Mock Examinations** will continue Monday 16th & Tuesday 17th Nov - students have approached these examinations in a really mature manner and have been a credit to work with. Thanks also to parents for supporting the smooth running of examinations and continuing to support students in their preparations.



- On Weds 18th November we will begin the 'mop up' of missed mocks due to absence. These will take place period 1&2 and 4b&5 between Wed 18th - Thurs 26th Nov. Students that receive SEN support will receive an individual timetable on email.

Notices



- This week it is **National Anti-Bullying Week**. There will be a series of assemblies and lessons to mark this event and to educate our students on positive relationships within both school and our wider community. **Friday 20th November** will be **Wear Odd Sock Day!** Please encourage your sons and daughters to wear odd socks next Friday to celebrate diversity.
- We would gratefully appreciate **feedback on the recent new remote format Year 9 parents Evening**- please click on the link (it is a very quick electronic form) here [Year 9 Remote Parents Evening feedback](#) and will help us to bring together positive aspects from the event as well as making any informed improvements as suggested by our families for future events.
- Please could families look at home for any school library books, they have a coloured sticker on the spine and a barcode inside the front cover. Books being returned must be put in the collection bins in the year group area.
- Feedback still greatly appreciated to inform the design of our new Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) Policy. Parent questions [click here](#). **The draft policy currently displayed on the website can be found [here](#)**

- Please [click here](#) for information on our Local Authority's Emergency Assistance Grant for Food and Essential Supplies to support people who are struggling to afford food and other essentials due to COVID-19.

The week ahead

- Anti - Bullying Week 2020
- Year 11 formal examinations



- Odd Sock wearing day Friday 20th November
- Year 11 Mocks continue /Mop up Mocks

Dates for diary - further ahead

Tuesday 24th November 2020 Personal Development Day

We are delighted to be able to continue with our Personal Development provision despite the difficulties presented by COVID restrictions. Our next PD Afternoon is on **Tuesday 24th Nov.**

The students will be following a programme of activities covering the following topics which complement their PD curriculum.

- Year 7 - Diversity
- Year 8 - Citizenship (including anti-social behaviour and anti-bullying)
- Year 9 - Careers
- Year 10 - Mental Health
- Year 11 - Relationship & Sex Education

There will also be Nurture Group activities as part of the programme.

There is no change to the timings of the school day or lunchtime provision and lessons in the morning remain the same as the normal timetable. This means if students have PE in the morning, as part of their usual lessons, they should be in PE kit. Otherwise, they should be in school uniform. **The PD sessions are from 4a-Prep.**

If there are any further changes or requirements, students will be informed beforehand.

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