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Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Year 10 – GCSE Mock Examinations Wednesday 16th to Wednesday 23rd June 2021

With the Covid interruptions to learning and assessment this year, our next major assessment period will be Year 10 GCSE mock examinations. These are scheduled to take place after the half term from Wednesday 16th until Wednesday 23rd June 2021.

Students will be sitting exams in each of their subjects under examination conditions within their normal classroom environment with the exception of Core subjects (English, Maths & Science). Core subject examinations will take place in the secondary canteen, much the same as they will in the summer exam series in Year 11.

The results of this process will not only allow our staff detailed insight into knowledge retention and application for each student, but also serve the dual purpose of allowing students to experience sitting examinations under JCQ regulations.

Teachers have been, and will continue to be, structuring learning and revision over the upcoming period to allow students the opportunity to demonstrate their current levels of knowledge and skill. You can find resources to support your child at home with their revision on the school website:
<https://parkfieldschool.org/curriculum/revision-support> We will publish the Year 10 mock exam timetable on this webpage shortly.

It is essential students treat their mock examinations with the seriousness as they would their final GCSE examinations in order to ensure teachers have the best possible picture of their strengths and weaknesses in each subject ahead of them starting their final year at Parkfield School in Year 11. We wish them the very best of luck.

Kind regards,

Kim Taylor
Vice Principal