



PARMITER'S SCHOOL

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Headmaster: Mr M Jones BA MEd

6 February 2024

Dear Year 11 Students and their Parents/Carers

GCSE Spring Term 2024 Assessments

We write to provide details of formal assessments that will take place this term and at the start of the Summer term. Our Heads of Department have considered very carefully whether a formal assessment at this point in the course is appropriate. Where subjects have decided to go ahead with an assessment, this is usually because there was one or more elements of the qualification that was not assessed during the trial examinations. These assessments, therefore, provide students with the opportunity to revise, and be tested on, these parts of the course. Other subjects may choose to run shorter, more regular assessments during lesson times.

The schedule for the formals assessments is as follows:

| Date | Time | Main Exam Location(s) | Exam details |
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| Monday 11 March | Reg & Period 1 | Conference Centre | History Henry VIII and his Ministers (55 mins) |
| | Periods 3 & 4 | Conference Centre | Food Preparation & Nutrition (1hr 45 mins) Design & Technology (2hrs) |
| Thursday 14 March | Periods 3 & 4 | Main Hall | Economics Paper 2: National & International Economics (1hr 30mins) Business Paper 2: Building a Business (1hr 45mins) |
| Friday 15 March | Reg, Periods 1 & start of 2 | Main Hall & Conference Centre | Geography Paper 3: Fieldwork & UK Challenge (1hr 30mins) |
| | Periods 3 & 4 | Main Hall & Conference Centre | English Language Paper 1 (1hr 45mins) |

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| Friday 26 April | Periods 3 & 4 | Main Hall & Conference Centre | Maths Calculator Paper (1hr 30 mins) |

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More specific details about examination locations and exact timings for these assessments will be shared with students nearer the time. Please note that students will **not** be on study leave on the days of these assessments. When not in an assessment, they will attend lessons as usual. Appropriate provision will be made for those students who have agreed access arrangements.

We politely request that no absences (for example, medical appointments) are arranged for these days.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E Berks', with a stylized, cursive flourish at the end.

Mrs E Berks
Deputy Headteacher