



18 March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 10 PPE timetable & expectations

Yesterday, year 10 students had an assembly where I outlined the Pre-Public Exam (PPE) timetable and expectations. A copy of the key slides can be found [here](#) - they have also been added to Google Classroom for students to refer to.

This first round of PPEs are an opportunity for students to experience sitting exams in the Main Hall or Training Suite and to experience the demands of sitting multiple papers in a given day. Students who have previously agreed Access Arrangements will conduct the exams with these in place. The PPEs will run between **28 April – 2 May** and students will sit exams in each of their subjects (except in Art and Youth Award) as per the timetable below. Exams will be run to the JCQ regulations which can also be found on the [website](#).

When not in exams students will return to their regular timetable or will attend a dedicated workshop.

	Monday 28 April	Tuesday 29 April	Wednesday 30 May	Thursday 1 May	Friday 2 May
Session 1 (8.45 start)	English 1h30	Biology 1h15/1h45	Maths 1h30	Chemistry 1h15/1h45	Physics 1h15/1h45
Break					
Session 2 (11.30 start)	Maths 1h30	Option D <i>Food, History, French</i> Up to 1h30	Option C <i>Geography, D&T, BTEC Sport</i> Up to 1h30	Option A <i>History, Food, BTEC Sport</i> Up to 1h30	Option B <i>Drama, Geography, History, Computer Science</i> Up to 1h30
Students return to the remainder of Period 4, have lunch and Period 5 runs as timetabled.					



Students who are following the additional qualification in Music will have a 45 minute assessment on Wednesday 30 April during period 5 in the Training Suite.

To support students to prepare for their PPEs teachers will be issuing topic checklists and focusing homework tasks on guided revision from this week. In class there will be targeted activities that focus on developing exam techniques and opportunities for students to re-visit previously learnt material. Mrs Hills has also delivered a workshop on effective revision habits – a copy of which can be found [here](#).

Yours sincerely



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