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Dear Parent/Carer,

End of Year 10 Assessments

I am writing to remind you that students in Year 10 will undertake end of year assessments in most subjects between Monday 3 June and Friday 14 June 2024. These assessments will provide class teachers with in-depth information regarding your child's progress and their understanding of the subjects they study, allowing us to further support them to be successful as they move into Year 11.

Student Preparation

We are extremely pleased with the committed approach our Year 10 students are demonstrating towards their studies, and are confident that with ongoing revision both in and out of school that they will achieve excellent results due to their hard work.

Class teachers have shared the dates of Year 10 assessments with students in lessons and these are also available on Satchel One (Show My Homework), along with a range of revision resources. During lessons, students have received clear guidance on what to revise, and details about the resources available. This will allow students to structure their ongoing revision to help them prepare for these important assessments. Staff from the SEND department will be working closely with teachers to ensure that any students who require additional support in their assessments will receive this.

Attendance

It may sound obvious, but attendance is vital for academic success, now more than ever. Students with excellent attendance gain higher grades than students who have days off school and so are therefore more likely to achieve their academic goals. We therefore ask for your support in ensuring your child attends school every day, especially this week, during final preparations and during the assessment window.

Results

After the assessments, students will be given feedback by their class teacher. They will also be provided with next steps to ensure they are able to work on any gaps in their knowledge. You will be provided with a report towards the end of the year, indicating your child's progress in each subject.

If you have any queries regarding these assessments, please email admin@kings.patrust.org.uk.

Yours faithfully

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