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13th December 2023

Year 9 | Assessments – January 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

I would like to draw your attention to the upcoming Year 9 assessments taking place in January 2024. These exams will take place between Monday 15th January and Friday 26th January, and students will be provided with a blank timetable in order to speak with their subject teachers and record when these are to take place over the course of the fortnight.

These assessments will be for the whole year group, and will be used to monitor your child's progress and any need for additional support. They are communicated in advance by subject teachers, and guidance is provided on how students should prepare for them. These will be supplemented by additional informal assessment within lessons.

The assessment schedule for the remainder of the academic year is available on our website: www.bluecoatwollaton.co.uk/parents/exam-information/. Additional subject assessments for the remainder of the year will be informal assessments, and the only formal assessments taking place will be New Group Reading Tests, scheduled to take place before Easter.

Preparation for all examinations is important. Strategies and advice for effective revision can be found on the Revision page under the Learning menu of the school website: www.bluecoatwollaton.co.uk/learning/revision/. Students are also encouraged to utilise the variety of resources that they have been provided with, such as their Knowledge Organisers, as well as subject-specific online resources such as Bedrock, Educake, Sparx Maths, Seneca and Kerboodle as appropriate. Other resources for each subject can be also be found in the revision resources on our website here: www.bluecoatwollaton.co.uk/learning/revision/subject-revision-resources/.

Yours sincerely,

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