



22 October 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YEAR 10

I am writing to you to inform you about important events that are coming up in the next few months for our Year 10 students.

Year 10 Autumn Assessments – Commencing Monday 16th November 2015

These will follow a formal procedure for Mathematics/English/Science/RE and Catering and will take place in our examinations hall. This is to familiarise students with examination procedures and prepare them for the GCSE examinations in Year 11.

The other options subjects will also have an assessment but this will be classroom based and administered by the subject teacher.

Students will require appropriate equipment for all their assessments which includes a black pen, pencil, rubber and ruler. These items must be placed in a clear see-through pencil case.

It is extremely important that your son spends time revising for his assessments. All students will be issued with their examination timetable in due course and this document will also be placed on the school website, along with the revision topics that will be covered.

Year 10 Parents Evening

The Year 10 Parents Evening will take place on Wednesday 13th April 2016 between 4 and 7pm. This will be an opportunity for parents to discuss their son's progress with teachers and also to review the assessment data and the further examination results from formal tests that will occur over a two week period starting Monday 22nd February 2016. We will again include more detail about these and revision topics closer to the time.

Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact me at a.baker@arkwilliamparker.org

Yours sincerely

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