

Year 7 Parent Notes

We hope the students had a restful half term and have come back to school refreshed and ready to tackle another half term of making progress!

A reminder that assessments are taking place next week. The individual dates of the assessments should be set on FROG by the subject staff. Students should have received information in their lessons on the content they will be assessed on and should make sure they are suitably prepared for their assessments. Please refer to the exam summary document for a reminder of how the students will be assessed and some guidance on what topics they should be revising.

Senior members of staff will be checking students have the correct basic equipment (pen, pencil, rubber and ruler) when dropping into lessons. If students are missing any items they will be required to show their tutor the next day they have the equipment otherwise they will receive a lunchtime detention. Tutors will also continue to complete random checks in tutor time. It is vital our students are correctly prepared for lesson to enable them to make continued and sustained progress.

Over the next fortnight we will be asking students to reflect upon their grades from December and make predictions for their next set of grades which will be released before Easter. Staff will be assessing students in terms of their flight path grade and also their approach to learning.

We would also like to remind you all about World Book Day on Thursday 1 March. Year 7 and Year 8 lessons across the school will begin with 15 minutes of silent reading. Please ensure that students have a reading book with them every day. They could then take the opportunity to complete an Accelerated Reader quiz on the books they read, either at home or in school.

Have a good week.

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