# Year 10 Virtual Event Exam Success in Year 10

Date: 13th May 2024

Time: 5pm



## Aims of the presentation:

- ☐ Share our core expectations
- ☐Suggest ways that you, and we can support your child's achievement and outcomes in the year 10 mock exams
- ☐Remind you about key points of contact for Year 10 parents





# Attendance and punctuality to school – we need your support!

Target 96%

100% Attendance	0 weeks of missed learning
96% Attendance	1 week and 4 days of missed learning
90% Attendance	3 weeks and 4 days of missed learning
85% Attendance	5 weeks and 3 days of missed learning
80% Attendance	7 weeks and 3 days of missed learning
70% Attendance	9 weeks and 1 day of missed learning

The best results in year 11 were achieved by those with the best attendance at HT





#### What is revision?

It means going over previous work on a regular basis:

- to remind you of all the things you have forgotten
- to make links with other learning to see the bigger picture
- to reinforce learning
- to check understanding
- to remind you of what you don't already know





## Why encourage your child to revise?

- It reduces panic
- It means that their exam results will show what they can do, not what they didn't do
- It helps identify problem areas
- It will improve their results





## Why should I help my child revise?

- Research and experience shows that pupils whose parents show a regular and active engagement with their child's learning do better in exams
- You get to know your child's strengths and weakness
- Discussing their work with them strengthens their understanding
- Many students don't know how to revise effectively.
- Students love revision programmes, but too often don't do the work





#### What should students be doing?

- Constructing revision timetables
- Getting advice from subject areas on how to revise
- Revising at home





#### **Revision Timetable**

#### Link to BBC Bitesize on building a timetable

## WEEKLY REVISION PLANNER

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	TIME	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
8:30AM -4PM	SCHOOL	SCHOOL	SCHOOL	SCHOOL	SCHOOL	9AM— 10AM	BREAKFAST/ SHOWER	BREAKFAST/ SHOWER
4PM- 5PM	HOMEWORK	TV/ GAMING/ SOCIAL MEDIA	HOMEWORK	TV/ GAMING/ SOCIAL MEDIA	HOMEWORK	10 AM- 11 AM	REVISION - ENGLISH	REVISION - SCIENCE
5PM- 6PM	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	11AM- 1PM	SEEING FRIENDS/ LUNCH	SPORT/ LUNCH
6РМ- 7РМ	REVISION — GEOGRAPHY	HOMEWORK	REVISION - HISTORY	REVISION — FRENCH	REVISION - SCIENCE	1PM- 3PM	REVISION — MATHS	REVISION - FLASH CARDS
7PM- 8PM	REVISION - MATHS	REVISION — ENGLISH	FREE TIME	HOMEWORK	FREE TIME	3PM- 5PM	OUT WITH FAMILY	SPORT/ TV/ GAMING
8PM- 9PM	FREE TIME/ SHOWER	FREE TIME/ SHOWER	FREE TIME/ SHOWER	FREE TIME/ SHOWER	FREE TIME/ SHOWER	6PM- 8PM	DINNER/ FREE TIME	DINNER/ FREE TIME





## What should students be doing?

- Being active, not passive
- Equal focus on content and exam technique
- Getting the balance right between work and rest
- Speaking regularly with their teachers to find out what they need to do





#### What should students not be doing?

- Nothing!
- Revising whilst also doing other things
- Simply reading notes and textbooks
- Spending lots of time making revision timetables
- Being unsupervised (unless you are sure they can do this)
- Focusing only on content also focus on technique





#### Where shall I start?

- Help your child understand how much time they have to revise
- Factor in rest & play time
- Help them understand the best time for them to revise
- Break down their revision into chunks





#### Your role

- Provide a suitable environment for study at home
- To help provide essential resources
- Removing the excuses
- Monitor both quantity and quality of revision
- Direct help asking questions, testing, helping learning
- Strike a balance between support and challenge
- Reward them
- Contact teachers for advice or information as needed
- Calm them down and gear them The power of letters





#### Create a suitable workspace

- A desk
- An upright chair
- A place to store and organise books
- Calm & quiet music
- Mobile phone switched off
- Bright and well circulated
- Comfortable temperature
- No disruptions social media, phone, TV etc.
- If possible not their bedroom





#### Resources

- Pens, pencil, scissors, paper, glue
- Scientific calculator
- Post-it-notes
- Coloured pens
- Highlighters
- Dictionary
- Revision guides





#### **Essentials**

- Sleep (7-8 hours a night)
- Positive thinking
- Praise & rewards
- Water
- Revision timetable
- Comfortable & tidy space
- Fresh air
- Exercise
- Relaxation
- Healthy & balanced diet





## Breaks are important!

 Students should take a 5-10 min break every 50 mins and a 20-30 min break every two hours

Teenagers' brains stop taking in information after 50 minutes

The break should be short and include refreshments



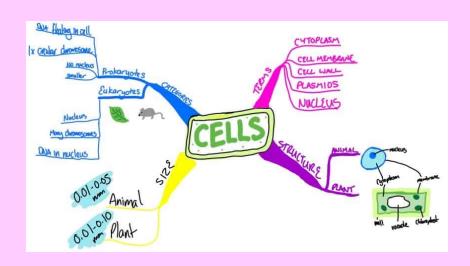


#### Mind Maps

Association helps a lot of people to remember because it is much more powerful we use our imagination.

The idea is to link objects and ideas to each other in the craziest way possible.

Mindmaps (also called Spidergrams) are good for remembering topics and subtopics such as, characters in a book.



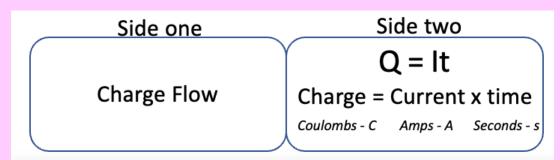




#### Flash Cards



- Question and Answer
- Summaries
- Organising Revision



How to use flashcards





#### **Mnemonics**

Mnemonics help you remember things by using smaller words that stand for something else.

Rest

**E**xercise

**V**ariety

**I**magination

**S**tructure

**I**ndividual

**O**ngoing

Not too long





## Chunking

Breaking down larger pieces of information using bullet points or simple sentences.

## For example:

The average person can take in four numbers or words at a time, can concentrate on revision for a maximum of 45 minutes at a time and remembers information best shortly before bedtime.

#### Becomes...

- Remember four words at a time
- Max 45 minutes

How to revise





## Supporting documents linked on Class charts

# Revision Guides and Course info

Year 10 revision guides and course information 2024/25

Core Subjects:

Subject	Exam board	Link to revision guide/s	Links to past papers / useful websites
Maths	Edexcel	Higher revision guide here Higher exam practice workbook here Buy the Higher set revision bundle here	All past papers since 2017 for both higher and foundation with mark schemes can be found here
		Foundation revision guide here Foundation exam practice workbook here	www.hegartymaths.co m https://www.mathsgeni e.co.uk/gcse.html
English Language	AQA	A range of revision guides are available here Amazon CGP – Revision guides and practice books.  Revision bundle here	Link to past papers AQA
English Literature	AQA	Amazon CGP – Revision guides and practice books. AQA Specification (Appropriate revision guides include the following titles - Macbeth, A Christmas Carol, An Inspector Calls, Power and Conflict poetry, and Unseen Poetry)	Link to past papers AQA
Combined Science	AQA	Amazon CGP - Revision guide Higher Amazon CGP - Revision guide Foundation	AQA Combined Science Past papers can be found here Revision resources here





## Supporting documents linked on Class charts

## Mock exam topic list

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Combined	AQA	Combined Science	Use KayScience where revision will be set. You can also download past papers from the AQA website or from
Science	AQA	Biology, Chemistry and	physics and math stutor.com
		Physics paper 1s	
		Cells, Inheritance,	Lica KaySaianaa yybaya yayisian yill ba sat. Yay san alsa daymlaad nast nanays from the AOA wabsite or from
Biology	AQA	Bioenergetics,	Use KayScience where revision will be set. You can also download past papers from the AQA website or from
		Organisation, Infection	physics and math stutor.com
		& Response	
Chemistry	AQA	Paper 1: Topics 1-5 on	Use KayScience where revision will be set. You can also download past papers from the AQA website or from
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		Energy, Electricity,	
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		and radioactivity Component 1 folder	Attend into continuo accione an Manday after cabaci and Thursday biness to complete mastical work value achacic facilities
Art – Fine Art	AQA	work	Attend intervention sessions on Monday after school and Thursday lunch times to complete practical work using schools facilities.
		WOLK	Take work home to comlete any drawings or development work to ensure deadlines are met.
Art –	AQA		Access work from home via onedrive to complete any written analysis, statement of aims and annotations.
Photography			Attend Interventions on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday (agreed days).
		Theme 1: intro to small	
Business	Edexcel	businesses. 1.1	
		Enterprise &	
		Entrepreneurship. 1.2	GCSE Business - Edexcel - BBC Bitesize. use this link to find breif revison notes on every topic, followed by a 10 questiosn quiz.





#### Questions to ask them

- When is your exam?
- What are you being tested on?
- What do you need to take on the day?
- What strategies are helping you the most?
- What can you tell me about what you've just revised?
- What support do you need?
- Do you need some food or drink?
- Is it time for you to have a break?





## **Important contacts – AP/YAC/AYAC**

Year	Assistant Principal	Year Achievement Coordinator	Assistant Year Achievement Coordinator
10	Mr Williams	Miss Bilsby	Miss Robinson



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### Explanation

#### The safeguarding team at HT

Anyone can report a concern if they believe a child is at risk of harm:

0300 123 4043 – call us any time if you're a child or young person being abused. Call 999 if you're in immediate danger or if a crime is being committed.



Mrs. Goodes
Vice Principal Lead DSL



Mrs. Elliott

Concerned about a child's safety and welfare? Please speak to our Lead for Safeguarding or a Deputy Designated Lead for Safeguarding.



Mr. Newman Principal DDSL



Mr. Megaw Assistant Principal DDSL



Mrs. Shivalkar Assistant Principal DDSL



Mr. Walsh Assistant Principal DDSL



Miss. Newman Assistant Principal DDSL



## **Key calendar dates for Year 10**

**Year 10 Mock exams** – Monday 17th June – Friday 28th June. Timetable will be shared once confirmed

Work Shadowing - Monday 15th July – Wednesday 17th July

**End of Summer term** – Friday 19th July



