



The
Portsmouth Academy

19 July 2018

Dear Parent/carer

Re: Year 11 Mock Exams

I am writing in reference to the year 11 mock exam period which begins on 10th September, 2018. I am delighted to attach a timetable for you so that you are aware of which exams will be scheduled on each day.

Whilst we want your daughter to enjoy the summer break, we also know that year 11 is a demanding time and therefore want to support our students in the lead up to these exams as much as possible. As a result, your daughter attended a launch assembly which took place on Wednesday 18th July 2018. She has also been provided with some resources to begin creating revision resources that can be collated together in one revision folder.

We have high expectations regarding the attendance of these exams, and treat them in the way that we would treat the GCSE exams next summer. As a result, any non-attendance will be immediately followed up by our Education Welfare Office with a phone call to check where your daughter is. It is also important to note that, in order for us to be able to assess your daughter as accurately as possible; any non-attendance to exams will mean those papers being caught up after school in your daughter's own time.

You will be invited to attend a Parents' Briefing on Wednesday 12th September 2018 from 6pm during which you will find out more about the upcoming year and be given information about how best to support your daughter with her exams across the year.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to meeting you at the Parent's Briefing in September.

Yours sincerely,

Mr L. Dolphin
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