

The Douay Martyrs Catholic Secondary School



Monday 10th June 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to inform you that Year 10 Pre Public Exams and End of Year assessments will be taking place from Monday 17th June to Monday 1st July 2019. The exams will be run in the Sports Hall (Tuesday 25th June only) or in the classroom. Please see the timetable attached in the email and a copy will also be put on the school website.

On Tuesday 25th June, all exams will take place in the Sports Hall and students are to line up in the Year 7 playground prior to these exams. The morning exam will start at 9.00am, students are asked to be prompt to school by 8.40am and line up according to the seating plan which will be on display for each subject.

Students are equally expected to arrive on time for any End of Year assessment that takes place during lesson – these assessments will also be conducted in line with exam conditions.

All students are expected to prepare for their exams. They are to revise thoroughly, bring the correct equipment, be well organised and be punctual to school and exam sessions. Students are to adhere to exam regulations regarding expectations of conduct; no communication with other students and **all mobile phones are to be switched off and kept in their bag at the front of the hall or classroom**. Equipment is to be kept in a clear plastic container/bag or held in the hand. Students are to write in black ink only. Clear water bottles with labels removed are permitted.

It is essential that the students are well organised and have a clear understanding when and where they have an exam. A hard copy of the timetable will be given to your child. When they are not in an exam they will be in lessons and consequently they must come prepared for those lessons with the correct books and equipment.

Any child who is absent during this exam period will be required to sit their exams on their return. Please be aware some exams may overrun into lunch break and that students will have a shorter lunch break but will still be able to buy food from the canteen.

The MFL speaking assessments will run week commencing Monday 17th June but please note the day and time slot will be given to your child in advance. There will be no Pre Public Exams or End of Year assessments in Design and Technology, Geography or Sports Studies.

These exams will give parents/carers, students and staff at The Douay Martyrs Catholic Secondary School a further indicator of the progress your child is making ahead of them beginning Year 11 in September 2019. All students are at a crucial stage of their education and I would greatly appreciate your support in further emphasising the importance of the upcoming Pre Public Exams and End of Year assessments.

Please do not hesitate to contact myself, Ms Meade (Acting Deputy Headteacher, Mr Magee (Acting Deputy Headteacher) or Mrs Bart Assistant Headteacher) should you have any questions on the information above.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

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Year 10 Summer Pre Public Exams and End of Year Assessment Timetable

Monday 17 th June 2019 (Week B)	10B/Ar1	Art MFL Speaking Assessments
Tuesday 18 th June	10B/Hi1	History (Conflict and Tension) MFL Speaking Assessments
Wednesday 19 th June	10C/Mu1 10X Triple Science 10X (10C) Triple Science 10Y (10A) Triple Science 10A/Px1 10A/Hi1 10A/Hi2 10C/Hi1	Music Performance Exam Physics Chemistry GCSE PE Component 1 History (Conflict and Tension) MFL Speaking Assessments
Thursday 20 th June	10Y/Sc1, 2, 3 & 4 10A/Dr1	Chemistry Drama Practical Assessment MFL Speaking Assessments
Friday 21 st June	10X/Sc1, 2 & 3 10Y Triple Science 10D/Hi1	Chemistry Physics History (Conflict and Tension) MFL Speaking Assessments
Monday 24 th June (Week A)	10B/Co1 10C/Mu1 10X/Sc1, 2 & 3 10B/Bs1 10D/Bs1	Computer Science Music Theory Exam Physics Business Studies

	10B/Hi1 10D/Hi2	History (Germany)
Tuesday 25 th June	English (1 hour 45 minutes) Maths (1 hour 30 minutes) Science (1 hour 15 minutes)	English Language Paper 2 Maths Higher Maths Foundation Biology
Wednesday 26 th June	10A/Co1 10A/Co2 10C/Co2 10A/Px1 10A/Bs1 10C/Bs1 10A/Hi1 10A/Hi2 10C/Hi1 10X/Re1, 2, 3, 4 & 5	Computer Science GCSE PE Business Studies History (Germany) Religious Education (Judaism)
Thursday 27 th June	10Y/Sc1, 2, 3 & 4 10Y/Re1, 2, 3, 4 & 5	Physics Religious Education (Judaism)
Friday 28 th June	STAFF INSET DAY	
Monday 1 st July 2019 (Week B)	10A/So1 10B/So2	Sociology