

The Douay Martyrs Catholic Secondary School



9th December 2019

Headteacher:
Mr Anthony Corish
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Dear Parent/Carers,

I am writing to remind you that **Year 10 Pre Public Exams and assessments will be taking place from Tuesday 7th January to Monday 13th January 2020**. All subjects will be running exams in the Sports Hall apart from MFL. Please see the timetable attached in the email. A copy will also be put on the school website.

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For exams taking place in the Sports Hall, students are to line up in the Lower School (green) playground prior to these exams. Morning exams will start at 8.50am, students are asked to be prompt to school by 8.35am 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 assessments or 'mini-exams' taking place during lesson – these assessments will also be conducted in line with exam conditions.

Students need to be well organised and have a clear understanding when and where they have an exam. Each child will be asked to highlight their individual exams on the timetable. A hard copy of the timetable will be given to your child during Form Time. 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.

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**. **Students are not allowed to have any notes of any description on their person when they enter the hall.**

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.

You will receive the **Year 10 Progress Report on Thursday 13th February during the Year 10 parents' evening**. I would like to thank you for your continued support in your child's education. Please do not hesitate to contact myself or Mr Rogers, Assistant Headteacher should you have any queries on any of the above matters.

Yours faithfully

Ms H Murphy
Head of Year 10

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	PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2	PERIOD 3	FORM TIME / ASSEMBLY	PERIOD 4	PERIOD 5
	8.35am for 8.50am start		11.30am for 11.45 start		1.50pm for 2.00 start	
Tuesday 7	RE		Computer Science		Sc: Biology	
WEEK B	(1h30)		(1h00)		(1h00)	
Wednesday 8	Sociology		Sc: Chemistry			
WEEK B	(1h45)		(1h00)			
Thursday 9	English		French/Spanish		Sc: Physics	
WEEK B	(1h45)		Reading (50 mins)		(1h00)	
Friday 10	Maths		History		French/Spanish	
WEEK B	(1h30)		(1h00)		Writing (1h00)	
Monday 13	Business Studies		DT (1h30)		Drama (1h30)	
WEEK A	(1h30)		Food (1h00)		Music L. (1h00) - G6	
Tuesday 14	Geography		Option A: French L.			
WEEK A	(1h30)		S7+S11			
in lessons:	Spanish Listening Option B Thu 16 Jan P3 S5 & S6		French Listening Option C Thu 16 Jan P4 - F4 & S8		Spanish Listening Option D Fri 17 Jan P4 S5 & S6	