



Year 11 Mock Examinations

In recent years there have been a number of significant changes to the nature of assessments at GCSE level – as a result, all qualifications are now assessed with a final exam.

As the terminal assessment model places greater responsibility on students to perform in exam conditions, it is vital that they are prepared for and practised in these modes of assessment.

Please be aware that your child will be undertaking a two-week mock exam period commencing **Monday 9th November.**

As your child approaches the Year 11 mock examination period, we would like to provide you with some details as to how you can support them at home with their assessment preparation. Students have been provided with an assessment checklist for each subject that provides an overview of revision resources to use prior to the mock examinations. This information will be available to parents and students via the Show My Homework app.

All students have received an exam board approved revision guide for each of their subjects. Specific page numbers from these books have been included on the assessment checklists which link to a unit your child will be assessed on.

Your child has also been undertaking revision-related sessions during tutor time to ensure that they are prepared for the upcoming mocks and final examinations.

How can you support your child during the mock assessment process?

Parental tips to help your child overcome examination pressure:

- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zckydxs>
- <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/coping-with-exam-stress/>

We are confident that the preparation and support that your child receives, both at school and at home, will be of great benefit to their progress and attainment in the upcoming Year 11 mock exams.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact m.siviter@snacademy.org.uk or d.monterosso@snacademy.org.uk

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