

Monday 6th January 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: Mid-year Assessments/Real Exams

I hope this letter finds you well.

Students in years 7-13 will be sitting their internal assessments and/or real GCSE/A level exams between the end of December and early January. Students need to take these seriously as the grades they achieve on these will be reflected in their reports and/or go towards their final grade

- 1. Real exams Please see the timetable below vellow blocks are REAL exams. Students MUST attend.
- 2. Mid-year Exams in the Main Hall Maths and English Only please see the timetable below. English Years 7-9 will sit their assessments in class between the 16th of December and the 10th of January. Maths Year 10s will sit their Maths exam in the Main Hall on Friday 10th January at 12.55pm. Years 7-9 will sit their exams in the Main Hall between the 13th-17th of January.

3. Non-English and Maths subjects - 16th December -10th January

Assessments for all other subjects will take place between the dates above in the students' lessons. Teachers have been instructed to put the dates and times for the assessments, and revision materials on show my homework by end of November.

Main Hall and Real exam reminders

- **No mobile phones** these are officially not allowed in the exam hall. Students must ensure that they are **off** (not on silent).
- They are only allowed Clear plastic pencil cases/document wallets
- **Equipment Black pens only,** pack of 4 highlighters, pencil, ruler, eraser and maths set including a compass and protractor, scientific calculator. **We will not be providing them with any equipment.**
- Be on time they should be in school every day from 8.25am

Due to the length of some exams – particularly for those students who have extra time – please be aware that for afternoon exams, students may finish between 3.30pm-4.00pm approximately. I kindly request that you do not phone your child before 4.00pm/wait for them to call you after they have left school because if their phone is heard during an exam, it will be confiscated.





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Please encourage your child to speak to their teachers about topics they should be revising and when their exams will be so that you can support them in revising at home. Thank you in advance for your continued efforts. If you have any questions about in class assessments, please feel free to email your child's tutor/head of year/subject teacher. If you have any questions about real exams, please email Ms Tasmin (Exams Manager), h.tasmin@baconscollege.co.uk or me.

Kind regards

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Associate Vice Principal

December 24/January 25 Exam Timetable	December 24/	January	25 Exam	Timetable
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Timings	Thurs 19th Dec		Timings	Tues 7th Jan	Weds 8th Jan	Thurs 9th Jan	Fri 10th Jan	Timings	Mon 13th Jan	Tues 14th Jan	Weds 15th Jan
8.25am- 10.40am	NORMAL LESSONS	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS	8.25am- 10.40am	Y11 BTEC Business	NORMAL LESSONS	CTEC Sport Unit 1 (Ext Cert 5827) Year 12	NORMAL LESSONS	8.25am- 10.40am	Year 7 Maths Yr12/Yr13 Business	NORMAL LESSONS	Year 8 Maths
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11.00am- 12.40pm	NORMAL LESSONS	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS	11.00am- 12.40pm	NORMAL LESSONS	NORMAL LESSONS	NORMAL LESSONS	Year 12 Maths Paper 2 (10.50am start)	11.00am- 12.40pm	NORMAL LESSONS	Year 9 Maths	NORMAL LESSONS
1.20pm-3.05 (4pm)	Year 10 English	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS	1.20pm- 3.05 (4pm)	NORMAL LESSONS	Year 12 Maths Paper 1	CTEC Media Unit 1 (Ext Cert 5846) Year 13	Year 10 Maths Section A Section B (Higher only) (12.55pm start)	1.20pm- 3.05 (4pm)	CTEC Sport Unit 3 (Ext Cert/Dip) Year 13	NORMAL LESSONS	CTEC Sport Unit 4 (Dip 5829) Year 13





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