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Dear Parent/Carer,

At midday on Tuesday 16th November Year 10 Tracking Data shall be uploaded to pupils' MCAS profiles. You can view this by selecting the 'Reports' section within the menu of your child's page. We have already begun to share assessment results and next steps in lessons with our Year 10 pupils in order to quickly drive progress.

I hope that this has focused the minds of pupils on what needs to be done to achieve what they need to meet their expectations. This will be achieved hand in hand with a focus on behaviour, attendance and the steps required to achieve target grades.

For each subject, the following information will appear in your child's data report:

- Target Grade This is the TSAT end of KS4 target grade; this is aspirational and should encourage pupils to aim high.
- Assessment Percentage This is the percentage that your child achieved in the most recent assessments, taken in October 2021.
- Average Year 10 Assessment Percentage This is something we produced after consultation with families earlier this academic year. I hope that this supports pupils and families contextualise their progress and achievement. This shows the average percentage achieved within each individual subject assessment.
- Assessment Range Percentage achieved by Year 10 This is something we produced after consultation with families earlier this academic year. I hope that this supports pupils and families contextualise their progress and achievement. This shows the highest and lowest marks achieved within each individual subject assessment.
- A Behaviour Judgement ranging from outstanding, good, requires improvement or inadequate.
- Meeting Expectations
 - 'Y' and a green coloured box this indicates they are meeting or exceeding their teacher's expectations
 - 'N' and an orange coloured box this indicates they are not yet meeting expectations. When a pupil has been marked as 'N' in any subject this will be supported by a specific teacher comment to provide further details on the support your child requires and specific areas for improvement. As above, this is in response to feedback received from families earlier this year.

This tracking will be used by Subject Leaders and the School Leadership Team to review the progress of each pupil in Year 10 and to help plan for success as we move towards next summer and final assessment and exams.

Please note that there is no assessment information included for pupils studying BTEC Sport. This is because pupils are currently working toward their Unit 1 formal, external exam. Further details of this will be shared by BTEC Sport teachers in due course.



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I hope you find this useful in supporting your child's progress. If you have any concerns or queries or are unable to view the report, please contact me directly. My email address is jwatson@forgevalley.sheffield.sch.uk. For more general issues contact the Head of Year 10, Ms Rebecca Lewis.

We shall be happy to continue to support our pupils and families.

Yours faithfully,

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John Watson Assistant Headteacher