

January 2022

Dear Pupils, Parent and Carers,

I am writing to inform you of the arrangements for the forthcoming assessments that will take place during the week beginning Monday 21st February 2022 for all Year 11 pupils. You will find details of specific assessment details attached to this letter and I shall share a specific timetable next week. Normal timetabled lessons will continue when assessments are not taking place.

I would like to remind you that, whilst it is highly likely that exams will take place this summer, this assessment will be used as evidence to support teacher assessed grades, should exams be cancelled. Pupils should make sure that they are fully prepared for each of their assessments to give them the best chance of success. As we expect and hope that summer exams shall take place as normal, this work will support summer preparation if Teacher Assessed Grades are not required. This was discussed at length with all pupils during a series of assemblies delivered by Mr Barrowclough and I last week.

In line with the guidance from Ofqual these assessments will take place under formal examination conditions. Pupils will receive all required access arrangements.

There will be an additional assessment series after Easter; I will confirm these dates with you closer to the time.

If you have any further questions in relation to these assessments, please do not hesitate to contact me through my e-mail address: jwatson@forgevalley.sheffield.sch.uk

Yours faithfully,



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