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## **RE: Y8 Summer Assessment Week**

Dear Year 8 Parents and Carers,

The week beginning **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** will be the Summer Assessment Week for Year 8. This is an important time as it gives students the opportunity to demonstrate progress and learning from across the year. The outcomes of these assessments will serve to inform students where their areas of strength lie, and will also be useful to identify areas for development so students can seek to improve.

Further information regarding the assessment week is as follows:

- Year 8 students will sit test papers in English, Maths, Science, History, Geography, Religious Studies, French and German. These will take place in classrooms during timetabled lessons.
- Please find attached the timetable for the assessment week which informs students when the test will be in each subject. This has been designed to ensure where possible assessments are spread across the week. In some cases, due to timetable restrictions, some assessments may be sat the week *before* the official assessment week. These are indicated under the timetable.
- Tests are either sat in form groups or in J and K band classes. Any student unsure of the class code for J and K band classes can check this on their timetable or confirm with their subject teacher as necessary.
- Revision lists will be posted on ShowMyHomework shortly. We encourage you to support your son/daughter in conducting suitable preparation for their assessments.
- Students will not sit formal tests in Art, Computer Science, D&T, Drama, Food, Music or PE, however other formats of summative assessment will be conducted during the summer term in lessons
- All results will be reported back to parents/carers in the tracking report later in the summer term.

Many thanks for your ongoing support. We look forward to seeing the progress all students have made this year.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Ryan

Year 8 Pastoral Leader

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	Y8 Assessment Week				
	Monday - 22nd	Tuesday - 23rd	Wednesday - 24th	Thursday - 25th	Friday - 26th
P1			8K2 Science - Mr Dodd 8K3 Science - Miss Lowe		
P2	8M Geography - Ms Bramwell		8T English Mr Ahern 8M English Mr Warnes	8S History - Mrs Bourne	
Р3	8U Geography - Ms Bramwell 8R Geography - Mr Neale 8T RS - Mr Panter	8K1 Science - Mr Patel	8J1 Science - Mr Patel 8J2 Science - Mrs Motiwala 8J3 Science - Mr Leech	All Y8 Mathematics	8U German - Mr Cummins 8T German - Mr Gough 8M French - Mr Elston
P4	8T Geography - Ms Bramwell 8S Geography - Mr Neale 8M German - Mr Cummins 8R German - Mrs Rogers		8U RS - Mr Uthman 8R English - Mrs Harness 8S English - Miss Hammond		8M RS - Mr Panter
P5	on outside managers	8M History - Mr Corrigan 8U French - Mrs Feenan	8R RS - Ms McDevitt 8U History - Mrs Bourne 8S German - Mr Gough 8T French - Mr Bridge	8U English - Mr Ahern 8S French - Mrs Feenan	
	85 RS (Mr uthman) will take place P5 on Friday 19th May (before the official assessment week) 8R History (Mr Corrigan) will take place P5 on Friday 19th May (before the official assessment week) 8T History (Mrs Bourne) will take place P5 on Wednesday 17th May (before the official assessment week) 8R French (Mrs Feenan) will take place P2 on Friday 19th May (the week before official assessment week)				