## S5 and S6 Assessment Schedule Update



From Thursday 30 September until Friday 29 October you will have assessments in some of your subjects.

#### **Purpose**

October assessments give students the opportunity to chart their progress for the first time this session. These assessments identify areas of success and highlight areas for development. They also help students to make targets and plan what to do next. Learning conversations will take place between student and teacher about what strategies to use next. It's also an opportunity to discuss progress at home.

#### How to do prepare?

Students should ensure they know when their assessment is happening: speak to teacher/ familiarise yourself with the timetable attached. Information is also on the year Team and the website. Make up a revision calendar to plan revision. Further advice can be found within the subject specific TEAMs groups. There are suggested websites including BBC Bitesize and SCHOLAR.

Talk to your teacher about how to prepare or study; make lists, use study techniques such as retrieval practice, mind maps or other metacognitive strategies.

If these assessments cause you anxiety or stress talk to a trusted adult at school or home, if we know we can help.

#### What next?

Once all students get their results, they should note any feedback from teachers and use this to plan next steps such as: complete past paper questions, review course notes etc. In the winter term we will deliver a programme of supported study after school from a range of subjects to help prepare for prelims.

## **S5 and S6 Updated October Assessment Schedule**

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### Monday 20 September 2021 – Friday 24 September 2021

| Date     | Day       | Subject                               | Level   | Assessment  | Column |
|----------|-----------|---------------------------------------|---------|---|--------|
|          |           | Administration and IT                 | H/N5    | Word Processing/Admin Practices Integrated Assessment | F      |
|          |           | Accounts                              | Н       | Partnership   | E      |
|          |           | Chemistry                             | Н       | Hydrocarbons check test                               | E/F    |
| 20/09/21 | Monday    | French                                | AH      | Reading comprehension                                 | E      |
|          |           | History                               | Н       | Source questions                                      | E/F    |
|          |           | HFT                                   | Н       | Food for health (written test)                        | F      |
|          |           | Music                                 | AH/H/N5 | Performing assessment (1)                             | С      |
|          |           | Spanish                               | AH/H/N5 | Reading comprehension                                 | F      |
|          | Tuesday   | French                                | H/N5    | Reading comprehension                                 | С      |
| 21/09/21 |           | Music<br>Technology                   | H/N5    | Midi M/track assessment                               | B/D    |
| 22/09/21 | Wednesday | Art & Design (design focus)           | АН      | Design folio review                                   | F      |
| 23/09/21 | Thursday  | Art & Design<br>(expressive<br>focus) | АН      | Expressive folio review                               | F      |
|          | Thursday  | French                                | H/N5    | Reading comprehension                                 | D      |
|          |           | Spanish                               | H/N5    | Listening comprehension                               | В      |
| 24/09/21 | Friday    | SEPTEMBER WEEKEND                     |         |   |        |

## **Monday 27 September 2021 – Friday 1 October 2021**

| Date     | Day       | Subject                  | Level   | Assessment   | Column   |  |
|----------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|--|----------|--|
| 27/09/21 | Monday    | SEPTEMBER WEEKEND        |         |  |          |  |
|          |           | Art & Design             | H/N5    | Re-assessment : investigation & research complete for expressive and design folios | A/E      |  |
| 28/09/21 | Tuesday   | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н       | Timed extended response essay  | С        |  |
|          |           | Practical<br>Cookery     | N5      | CTSP Written question paper  | D        |  |
|          |           | P.E.                     | H/N5    | Check test   | С        |  |
| 29/09/21 | Wednesday | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н       | Timed extended response essay  | A        |  |
|          |           | Spanish                  | AH/H/N5 | Listening comprehension  | F        |  |
|          | Thursday  | Business<br>Management   | Н       | Understanding Business   | D        |  |
| 20/00/21 |           | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н       | Timed extended response essay  | Е        |  |
| 30/09/21 |           | Dance                    | H/N5    | Check test   | D        |  |
|          |           | French                   | AH/H/N5 | Listening comprehension  | C, D & E |  |
|          |           | P.E.                     | H/N5    | Check test   | F        |  |
|          | Friday    | Chemistry                | H/N5    | October assessment   | В        |  |
| 01/10/21 |           | Geography                | Н       | Unit assessment  | В        |  |
|          |           | Graphic<br>Communication | H/N5    | October assessment   | В        |  |
|          |           | Modern Studies           | Н       | Democracy essay and a skills question  | В        |  |
|          |           | Modern Studies           | N5      | Democracy in the UK PEE questions and a skills question                            | В        |  |
|          |           | Music Tech               | Н       | October assessment   | В        |  |

# **S5 and S6 Assessment Schedule**

### Monday 4 October 2021 – Friday 8 October 2021

| Date     | Day    | Subject                  | Level                   | Assessment   | Column |
|----------|--------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|--------|
|          |        | English                  | H/N5                    | RUAE (Close Reading)<br>Assessment   | F      |
|          |        | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н                       | October Unit 1 assessment  | E      |
|          |        | Art & Design             | H/N5                    | Written assessment for image questions done during double period for Higher candidates and single period for N5 candidates | A/E    |
|          |        | Business<br>Management   | Н                       | Understanding Business   | E/F    |
|          |        | Accounts                 | Н                       | October assessment :PLC  |        |
|          |        | Chemistry                | H/N5                    | October assessment   | E/F    |
|          |        | Computing<br>Science     | H/N5                    | October assessment   | E      |
| 04/10/21 | Monday | Drama                    | Н                       | October assessment   |        |
|          |        | Engineering<br>Science   | H/N5                    | October assessment   | F      |
|          |        | Geography                | Н                       | Unit assessment  | Е      |
|          |        | History                  | Н                       | 1905-14 essay  | E/F    |
|          |        | Care                     | N5                      | October assessment   | E      |
|          |        | Maths                    | AH Maths<br>Mechanics/H | Progress check unit 1  | D/B/E  |
|          |        | Maths                    | N5                      | Non-calculator paper   | B/D    |
|          |        | Modern Studies           | Н                       | Democracy essay and a skills question  | F      |
|          |        | Modern Studies           | N5                      | Democracy in the UK PEE questions and a skills question  | F      |
|          |        | PE                       | Н                       | October assessment   | F      |

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|----------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|---|--------|
|          |           | Geography                | Н       | Unit assessment   | С      |
|          |           | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н       | October Unit 1 assessment                               | С      |
|          |           | Chemistry                | АН      | October assessment                                      | С      |
|          |           | Music                    | N5/H/AH | October assessment                                      | С      |
|          |           | English                  | H/N5    | RUAE (Close Reading)<br>assessment                      | С      |
| 05/10/21 | Tuesday   | History                  | АН      | October assessment                                      | С      |
|          |           | Modern Studies           | Н       | Democracy essay and a skills question                   | С      |
|          |           | Modern Studies           | N5      | Democracy in the UK PEE questions and a skills question | С      |
|          |           | PE                       | Н       | October assessment                                      | С      |
|          |           | Politics                 | Н       | Democracy essay and a skills question                   | С      |
|          | Wednesday | Sociology                | Н       | Human society   | A      |
| 06/10/21 |           | Biology/Human<br>Biology | Н       | October Unit 1 assessment                               | A      |
| 00/10/21 |           | Maths                    | N5      | Calculator Paper  | B&D    |
|          |           | English                  | H/N5    | RUAE (Close Reading)<br>Assessment                      | A      |
| 07/10/21 | Thursday  | Graphic<br>Communication | H/N5    | October assessment                                      | D      |
|          |           | Music Tech               | Н       | October assessment                                      | D      |
|          |           | RMPS                     | H/N5    | Buddhism unit assessment                                | D      |
| 08/10/21 | Friday    | IN-SERVICE DAY           |         |   |        |

# **S5 and S6 Assessment Schedule**

### Monday 11 October 2021 – Friday 15 October 2021

| Date     | Day       | Subject | Level | Assessment   | Column |
|----------|-----------|---------|-------|--------------|--------|
| 11/10/21 | Monday    |         |       |              |        |
| 12/10/21 | Tuesday   |         |       |              |        |
| 13/10/21 | Wednesday |         | 0     | CTOBER BREAK |        |
| 14/10/21 | Thursday  |         |       |              |        |
| 15/10/21 | Friday    |         |       |              |        |

### Monday 18 October 2021 – Friday 22 October 2021

| Date     | Day       | Subject                               | Level | Assessment   | Column |
|----------|-----------|---------------------------------------|-------|--|--------|
| 18/10/21 | Monday    | Cake craft                            | N5    | Written paper – functional properties of ingredients                           | F      |
|          |           | Physics                               | Н     | Unit 1   | F      |
| 19/10/21 | Tuesday   | Photography                           | Н     | Exam : multiple choice questions   | A      |
| 20/10/21 | Wednesday | Art & Design (design focus)           | АН    | Design folio review  | F      |
|          |           | Physics                               | AH/H  | Unit 1   | A      |
| 21/10/21 | Thursday  | Art & Design<br>(expressive<br>focus) | АН    | Expressive folio review  | F      |
| 21/10/21 |           | History                               | АН    | Dissertation Chapter 1   | С      |
|          |           | Physics                               | Н     | Unit 1   | D      |
| 22/10/21 | Friday    | Business<br>Management                | АН    | Progress check: Section 1/external environment/evaluating business information | В      |

# **S5 and S6 Assessment Schedule**

### Monday 25 October 2021 – Friday 29 October 2021

| Date     | Day       | Subject                | Level | Assessment   | Column |
|----------|-----------|------------------------|-------|--|--------|
|          |           | Administration and IT  | H/N5  | Word processing/administrative practices/communication   | F      |
| 25/10/21 | Monday    | Business<br>Management | Н     | Operations   | E/F    |
|          |           | History                | Н     | Source questions   | E/F    |
| 26/10/21 | Tuesday   | Chemistry              | АН    | October assessment   | С      |
| 27/10/21 | Wednesday |                        |       |  |        |
| 28/10/21 | Thursday  | Business<br>Management | H/N5  | Operations   | D      |
|          |           | Administration and IT  | Н     | Word processing/administrative practices/communication   | В      |
|          |           | Art & Design           | H/N5  | Assessment : investigation, research & development of expressive & design folios   | D      |
| 29/10/21 | Friday    | Photography            | Н     | Complete image making unit with contact sheets and finals for high and low key images (evidence to be stored by mid November to safeguard those who may be Unit passes only) | A      |