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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 11 Mock Examinations: Wednesday 27th November – Friday 13th December 2024

I am writing to inform you of arrangements relating to important internal practice examinations that take place towards the end of this term.

The main mock exam period starts on Wednesday 27th November, although students will have had their Language speaking before this time and also their Food practical. When not sitting an exam, students will be in normal lessons.

All subjects will give students clear direction as to what to study and this will be posted on Teams/Class Charts and the school website - <https://www.oaklandscatholicschool.org/students/year-11-revision/>.

During the mock exam period, I will use the Year 11 'Team' to communicate with students the practical arrangements, such as seat numbers and exact start times. Student must monitor this Team during the exam period.

Results of the examinations will be sent home in January in preparation for the **Year 11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 16th January 2025.**

Finally, may I take this opportunity to thank you for your support in ensuring your son/daughter prepares thoroughly for these extremely important examinations.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Bamford
Assistant Headteacher

	Session 1 - 9:20	Session 2 - 11:45	Session 3 - 2:20
Wed 27/11 (W2)	English Literature Paper 1 1h45m: Shakespeare & 19th Century novel	Computing 1h30m	
Thurs 28/11 (W2)	Maths Paper 1 Non-Calculator 1h30m	Food - Principles of Food Preparation and Nutrition 1h45m	
Fri 29/11 (W2)	Design and Technology 2h		PE practical (Mr Wade's class)
Mon 2/12 (W1)	RE: Christianity, Judaism and Peace and Conflict 1h20m (set 5 only) RE: Judaism - 1h sets 1-4	Geography Physical 1h	
Tues 3/12 (W1)	History Paper 1 America 1920-1973 & Cold War 1945-1972 2h	Business 1h45m	
Wed 4/12 (W1)	Biology 1h15m (1h45m Triple)	Music 1h30m	
		PE (Mr Neil's group): NCFE Level 1/2 Technical Award in Health and Fitness 1h30m	
		PE: PE Physical factors affecting performance 1h	
		Film Studies – Component 1 Key Developments in US Film 1h30m	
Thurs 5/12 (W1)	Maths Paper 2 Calculator 1h30m	Geography Human 1h	
Fri 6/12 (W1)	Media - Investigating Media 1h30m	History Paper 2 Health and the People 1h	
	Drama Understanding Drama 1h45m		
Weekend			
Mon 9/12 (W2)	Chemistry 1h15m (1h45m Triple)	Media - Exploring Media Texts 1h30m Film Studies - Component 2 Global Film: Narrative, Representation and Film Style 1h30m	
Tues 10/12 (W2)	Languages: Reading 45m F / 1h H, then Listening 35m F / 45m H	Languages: Writing 1h F / 1h15m H	
Wed 11/12 (W2)	Maths Paper 3 Calculator 1h30m	Physics 1h15m (1h45m Triple)	
Thurs 12/12 (W2)	Art (both groups) A7&8	Art (both groups) A7&8	Art (both groups) A7&8
	Photography A6	Photography A6	Photography A6
	Textiles A5	Textiles A5	Textiles A5
Fri 13/12 (W2)	Art (both groups) A7&8	Art (both groups) A7&8	Art (both groups) A7&8
	Photography A6	Photography A6	Photography A6
	Textiles A5	Textiles A5	Textiles A5
Weekend			

Food practical: 11Z will have their practical mock exam on Tuesday 19th November; 11Y will be on Wednesday 20th November.

Language speaking mocks: Spanish will be Wednesday 20th and Thursday 21st November. French will be Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd November. Your Language teacher will let you know the arrangements nearer the time.

Missed papers: We will attempt to run catch up sessions on Thursday 12th and Friday 13th for students who have missed papers. If you know you have missed a paper, speak to Mr Bamford and we can arrange to sit them earlier if there is an exam taking place that you are not involved in.

NEA day for Design: This will be on Monday 16th December.