

Year 12 mock examinations – w/c Monday the 29th of April 2024

I am writing to remind you about the Year 12 mock examinations that will begin on Monday the 29th of April 2024.

The assessments will be sat in exam venues. In the coming weeks, students will receive an overview of when exams are scheduled. A mock exam will be held for most subjects. Typically, a mock exam will not be held for students studying subjects that have recently completed coursework, or those who are scheduled to sit a real exam this summer.

The results from these exams will be used, alongside other assessment data, to help teachers decide students' **reference grades** – these are the predictions submitted with their university, apprenticeship, or employment applications. For most students, **reference grades** are submitted by teachers in the autumn.

The results of these mock exams, along with accompanying teacher predictions and effort scores, will be shared in May.

Students must prepare and revise for their mock exams now. Please encourage your child to check with their class teachers about the arrangements for their mock exams.

More details about the mocks, including an overview of when exams are scheduled, will be shared shortly. In the meantime, if your child has any questions about their exams, please encourage them to contact the sixth form team at sixthform@wickersley.net

Yours sincerely,

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