



S4-S6 Assessment Opportunities

Dear Parent / Carer of S4-S6 young people,

I write to inform you that we are planning our approaches to assessment to ensure our young people can achieve their full potential. We continue to keep informed from the SQA and The Scottish Government we will communicate with you with any updates.

We understand and appreciate there are anxieties around assessment and upcoming exams which currently, remain the National Approach. To support this, we want to ensure that you and your child are as well informed about any planned SQA course assessment. Below is a summary of some key points for this academic year 2022.

- It is currently the plan for exams to take place between April-June 2022. The exam timetable is available on the SQA website using the following link:
 - https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/files_ccc/nq-2022-exam-timetable.pdf
- Course assessments have already been adapted to reflect the disruption to your child's learning caused by COVID-19.
- If the Scottish Government takes the decision to cancel the 2022 exams, teaching staff will present a provisional result for each of your child's subjects.
- This provisional result will be based on course assessment throughout the year.
- Support for Learning staff are working closely to ensure your child receives any additional support they are entitled to.

Please find attached to this letter the school plan for a period of assessment opportunities this term. The majority of these will take place during class time. They have been carefully planned to ensure pupils are not overloaded with assessment. Some assessments which require longer than the allocated class time have been arranged out with. Your child's teacher will keep them informed of these assessments and any work they are required to do in order to prepare to the best of their ability.

Following this period of assessment, the following supports will be in place, more information to follow:

- S4-S6 Targeted Parents Night: Wed 9th February
- Report to parents: Mon 28th February

Please be assured we are carefully planning our approaches to assessment to ensure our young people are in the best place possible to achieve their full potential. Similar to previous years assessment is ongoing and not dependant on one single assessment therefore the following expectations are a crucial part of this process:

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- Attendance above 90%
- Attendance at study support
- Completing home study and homework
- Meeting deadlines set by teachers and giving their very best to all tasks set

We will keep well informed from the SQA and Scottish Government, but I assure you I will communicate with you if there are any changes that will impact your child.

At the heart of our planning, the health and wellbeing of all our young people remains a main priority. Thank you for your continued support. If you have any concerns, please contact your child's guidance teacher in the first instance.

Yours,

Mrs Hayley Ross

Acting Depute Head Teacher

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