



SDV/MEL

24 October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

The Year 11 PPEs will commence on Tuesday 5 November, finishing on Friday 15 November 2024.

These are internal assessments to check students' academic progress as we move closer to the Summer examination period. Data collated will be used to help identify needs for intervention and help inform students' academic report. It is important to note that these pre-public exams are what teachers will base predicted grades on and, at this time of year, colleges and sixth forms will be asking for predicted grades as part of the application process. It is therefore crucial that your child works as hard as they can in these PPEs to enable staff to predict their grades which will support their applications post-16.

Please see overleaf the overview timetable for the examinations. Students will be given an individual exam timetable, which indicates the time of their exam and their seat number. All examinations will take place in the school Sports Hall (unless access arrangements are in place), providing a valuable opportunity for students to experience the exam environment, assess their understanding of the material, and identify areas for improvement. They serve not only as a practice for the real examinations but also as a tool to help students build confidence and develop effective study habits.

Students can access revision materials from the school website, located [here](#). During the October half term holiday, the following revision sessions will be on offer for the students:

**Monday 28 October:** History in G01 (10am – 2pm), Photography coursework catchup in F21 (12:30pm – 2:30pm)

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November:** Geography in G01 (10am – 2pm)

All students who study these subjects are invited and we strongly recommend that you and your child make the most of this additional revision support.

Here are a few ways you can support your child during this preparation period:

1. **Create a Revision Timetable:** Help your child develop a balanced study plan that allocates time for each subject, ensuring they cover all necessary material before the exams.
2. **Encourage a Positive Mindset:** Remind your child that these exams are a learning experience. Encourage them to approach their studies with a positive attitude.



3. **Provide a Supportive Environment:** Ensure that your child has a quiet, organised space to study, free from distractions.
4. **Promote Healthy Habits:** Emphasise the importance of a good night's sleep, regular meals, and breaks during study sessions to keep their mind fresh and focused.
5. **Stay Engaged:** Talk to your child about their subjects and any areas where they feel challenged. Your involvement can motivate them and help them feel more confident.

Thank you in advance for your support, and if you have any issues or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the year team – Mr Ryan: [Danny.Ryan@hartschool.org.uk](mailto:Danny.Ryan@hartschool.org.uk) or Mrs Kirby: [Bex.Kirby@hartschool.org.uk](mailto:Bex.Kirby@hartschool.org.uk)

Yours sincerely,

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# THE HART SCHOOL

## Year 11 Assessment Schedule November 2024

Schedule	04-Nov-24 Monday	05-Nov-24 Tuesday	06-Nov-24 Wednesday	07-Nov-24 Thursday	08-Nov-24 Friday
Start Time	Normal Timetable	09:15	09:15	09:15	09:15
Exam		English Language Paper 1 (1h 45m)	Maths Paper 1 (1h 30m)	English Literature Paper 2 (2h 15m)	Maths Paper 2 (1h 30m)
Finish Time		11:00	10:45	11:30	10:45
Start Time	Normal Timetable	13:15	13:15	13:15	13:15
Exam		Biology Triple (1h 45m) Combined (1h 15m)	Chemistry Triple (1h 45m) Combined (1h 15m)	Spanish Paper 4 (Writing) Foundation (1h) Higher (1h 15m)	History Paper 3 (Germany) 1h 30m Geography Paper 1 (1h 30m)
Finish Time		Combined - 14:30 Triple - 15:00	Combined - 14:30 Triple - 15:00	Foundation - 14:15 Higher - 14:45	14:45

Schedule	11-Nov-24 Monday	12-Nov-24 Tuesday	13-Nov-24 Wednesday	14-Nov-24 Thursday	15-Nov-24 Friday
Start Time	09:15	09:15	09:15		
Exam	Physics Triple (1h 45m) Combined (1h 15m)	Maths Paper 3 (1h 30m)	History Paper 2 (Anglo Saxon) (1h 50m)	Catch Ups	Catch Ups
Finish Time	Combined - 10:30 Triple - 11:00	10:45	11:05		
Start Time	13:15	13:00	13:15		
Exam	History Paper 1 (Crime) 1h 20m Geography Paper 2 (1h 30m)	Design & Technology (2h)	Spanish (Reading/Listening) Foundation (1h 20m) Higher (1h 45m)	Catch Ups	Catch Ups
Finish Time	History - 14:35 Geography - 14:45	15:00	Foundation - 14:35 Higher - 15:00		