



Important Year 11 dates for the Spring Term 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year to you all and I hope you had an enjoyable break.

I wanted to remind you of the key dates in the term ahead to ensure you have a clear picture of the coming weeks:

Thursday 20th January P4 - Yr11 KAP Results Assemblies – we will share scores, but no grades will be issued for Core KAPs in case they are required for Teacher assessed grades in the summer.

We will discuss next steps for Yr11 and organisation for the upcoming KAPs. (These assemblies will be face to face, but in smaller groups with social distancing and mask wearing as required.)

Thursday 27th January - Year 11 Remote Parents Evening - please book appointments when the window opens on Thursday 13th January.

Monday 7th - Friday 11th February – Yr11 Option KAP 2 - these will be longer papers and will be sat under exam conditions.

Monday 28th February - Friday 4th March - Yr11 Core KAP 2 – these will be full papers sat under exam conditions.

Currently, we still do not know if there will be final GCSE exams or if the grades will be teacher assessed grades. But whatever happens we are encouraging Year 11 to achieve the best they can for either assessment model by preparing well for the KAP weeks, so that whatever the outcome, they will have put their very best effort into their learning and preparations.

Forgive the repetition from my previous letter, but it is worth reminding everyone of the following things, which will help each student to do their very best:

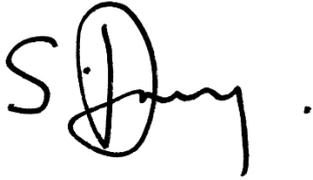
- **Attendance is really important** – The best learning takes place in everyday lessons so please try to attend every day.
- **Participate in the learning** - Join in, answer questions, try hard, see mistakes as opportunities to learn. They are part of good learning and will build confidence.
- **Use Warlinghamtl.co.uk and watch the videos and try some new ways of memorising and preparing for your KAPS.**
- **If the examinations do not go ahead**, your final grades are likely to be a mix of evidence of learning from a range of sources, this includes KAP assessments, classwork, homework. Please continue to put effort into all these areas as they all provide evidence of learning and the chance to demonstrate your knowledge and understanding.

The current situation is far from easy for all concerned, but I am impressed with the way the Year 11 students are taking this in their stride and continuing to show resilience and a positive attitude to their learning and exam preparations as we move forwards towards the summer.

The Spring Term is a relatively short term, so I encourage each student to make the most of the time available and to continue to put in their very best effort on a consistent basis. We will of course do our very best to support them each step of the way.

I wish you and your children all the very best for a happy and successful 2022.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Day', followed by a period. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped 'S' and a stylized 'Day'.

Mr Day
Deputy Head Teacher