

16/4/2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Now we have entered the final stages of your child's time at Kirk Hallam we want to confirm the arrangements for the allocation of grades. We have been waiting for input from various sources but are now in a position to confirm what will be happening.

In summary, each grade will be calculated through a mixture of evidence from various sources including mock exams, coursework, classwork and a final assessment. The dates for these assessments can be found below. We have published comprehensive revision lists with interactive revision links that can be found on our website for year 11 and are given directly through lessons in year 13.

Each assessment has been designed to take place in a classroom and will last for an hour. Where students have special consideration or additional time this will be catered for.

Where students miss an assessment, there will be an opportunity to catch up during a specific catch up week as well as chances to gather any additional evidence that is required after half term. The assessments that are given in the catch-up week will be equal but contain different questions so as to retain integrity in the process.

Please take some time to look through this timetable, remind your child to keep showing the Excellence they have demonstrated so far and I have no doubts that they will gain the grades they deserve come the end of this process.

Can I also take this opportunity to request that parents not approach staff with regards to marks or grades as we are not allowed to release these under any circumstances.

Once again, and always, many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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Year 13 Assessment Timetable

Block	Subjects	Assessment 1	Assessment 2
Α	German English Language Physics Religious Studies Sociology	Monday 10 th May Period 4	Monday 17 th May Period 4
В	Biology Business Computer Science Further Maths	Tuesday 11 th May Period 2	Tuesday 18 th May Period 2
С	History Mathematics Media Studies Product Design	Friday 14 th May Period 2	Friday 21 st May Period 2
D	Chemistry Drama Law PE	Thursday 13 th May Period 1	Thursday 20 th May Period 1
E	English Literature Geography Mathematics Psychology	Friday 14 th May Period 3	Friday 21 st May Period 3

	Monday 3/5/21	Tuesday 4/5/21	Wednesday 5/5/21	Thursday 6/5/21	Friday 7/5/21
Period 1		<u>A Band</u> Maths (Assessment 1)	<u>A Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 1)	<u>B Band</u> Biology (Assessment 1)	
Period 2		<u>B Band</u> Maths (Assessment 1)	<u>B Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 1)	<u>A Band</u> Biology (Assessment 1)	
Period 3		<u>C Band</u> Maths (Assessment 1)		<u>C Band</u> Biology (Assessment 1)	
Period 4			<u>C Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 1)		<u>Option B</u> Computer Science History Geography German (Assessment 1)
Period 5				<u>Option A</u> Computer Science History Geography Religious Studies (Assessment 1)	

	Monday 10/5/21	Tuesday 11/5/21	Wednesday 12/5/21	Thursday 13/5/21	Friday 14/5/21
Period 1	<u>A Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 2)	<u>A Band</u> Maths (Assessment 2)	<u>C Band</u> Chemistry (Assessment 1)		<u>A Band</u> English Language (Assessment 1)
Period 2	<u>C Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 2)	<u>B Band</u> Maths (Assessment 2)	<u>A Band</u> Chemistry (Assessment 1)		<u>C Band</u> English Language (Assessment 1)
Period 3	<u>B Band</u> English Literature (Assessment 2)	<u>C Band</u> Maths (Assessment 2)			<u>B Band</u> English Language (Assessment 1)
Period 4	<u>Option C</u> Computer Science History Geography (Assessment 1)		<u>B Band</u> Chemistry (Assessment 1)		
Period 5				Option A Computer Science History Geography Religious Studies (Assessment 2) Drama Food Technology Design Technology Textiles (Assessment 1)	

	Monday 17/5/21	Tuesday 18/5/21	Wednesday 19/5/21	Thursday 20/5/21	Friday 21/5/21
Period 1	<u>C Band</u> Physics (Assessment 1)	<u>A Band</u> Maths (Assessment 3)	<u>A Band</u> English Language (Assessment 2)		
Period 2	<u>B Band</u> Physics (Assessment 1)	<u>B Band</u> Maths (Assessment 3)	<u>B Band</u> English Language (Assessment 2)		Option A and C Separate Sciences (Assessment 1)
Period 3	<u>A Band</u> Physics (Assessment 1)	<u>C Band</u> Maths (Assessment 3)			
Period 4			<u>C Band</u> English Language (Assessment 2)	Option C Computer Science History Geography (Assessment 2) Food Technology (Assessment 1)	
Period 5	Option B Computer Science History Geography German (Assessment 2) Food Technology Design Technology Music (Assessment 1)				