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Dear Parent/Guardian

## Year 12 Mid-Year Mock Examinations

I wanted to take this opportunity to inform you about plans for Year 12 students to undertake midyear mock examination between 18-22 March 2024.

The purpose of the mid-year mocks is to prepare students for the realities of post-16 examinations and to get them used to writing under timed conditions in an exam setting. It will also provide staff with vital information about where students strengths and areas for developments are.

Information from the mock results will help to shape our Sixth Form revision strategies and will allow us to put greater weight onto the end of year exams, therefore giving us a better guide for UCAS predictions and for their suitability to continue into Year 13.

The length and structure of each exam will depend on what each subject feels are appropriate for their students at this stage of the course. During the week the timetable will be collapsed for Year 12 with normal lessons resuming on Monday 25 March. There may be some subjects with heavy coursework elements where exams are not appropriate, where possible students should still attend these lessons.

Our belief as a Sixth Form is the more we prepare students for their final exams, the less stressful those exams will be at the end of Year 13.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school or email me directly at: hed.hyder@hedingham.essex.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Mr R Hyde

Head of Sixth Form

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Year 12 March Assessments Timetable

Date	Time	Exam	Duration
18/03/2024	08:40	Applied Science	02:00
		Chemistry	02:00
		History	02:15
		Media Studies	01:00
		Physics	02:00
18/03/2024	11:30	English Literature	01:30
		Mathematics	02:00
		English Language Rs	01:45
		Sociology	01:30
19/03/2024	08:40	Geography	01:45
		Politics	02:00
		Sport	01:30
		Child Development	01:45
19/03/2024	11:30	Psychology	02:00
20/03/2024	08:40	Biology	02:00
		Business Studies	02:00
		English Language Rs	01:45
		Computer Science	01:30
20/03/2024	11:30	Criminology	01:30

All exams are being held in the Learning Centre except for Computer Science which will be held in T3