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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: Year 11 AP2 Report Letter and Parents Evening

Following the second successful mock examination period, I am writing to inform you that your child will receive a paper copy of their Assessment Point Two (AP2) report during a mock results day on Thursday 21st March. You will also be able to access this report by using your parental Arbor login.

Report Contents

Your child's report will including the following subject related information:

- Mock Exam Grade: The level of attainment that the student achieved in their most recent mock examination.
- Current Grade: The current level of attainment that a student is working at using all tangible assessed evidence of work completed up to the date of data input.
- Projected Grade: This is the grade that a student is currently expected to achieve at the end
 of the course. The projected grade is based on a teacher's professional judgement, using the
 following factors:
 - Data and projections from previous cohorts
 - The increasing level of course content/difficulty of what is still to be delivered
 - The student's previous assessment outcomes
 - The student's current level of attainment
 - The student's standard of classwork
 - The student's standard of homework
 - Evidence of independent learning and effective revision
- These are represented as a fine grade.

Explanation of fine level grading:

Fine Grade GCSE	Fine Grade Vocational	Descriptor
7+	Distinction+	Almost working at the grade above
7	Distinction	Secure at this grade
7-	Distinction-	Insecure at this grade









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Explanation of GCSE and Vocational (e.g. BTEC/RSL) Level 2 grading:

GCSE	Vocational (e.g. BTEC/RSL)	Old GCSE Equivalent
Grade 9		
Grade 8	Level 2 Distinction* (L2D*)	A*
Grade 7	Level 2 Distinction (L2D)	A
Grade 6	Level 2 Merit (L2M)	В
Grade 5	-	B/C
Grade 4	Level 2 Pass (L2P)	С
Grade 3	Level 1 Distinction (L1D)	D/E
Grade 2	Level 1 Merit (L1M)	F
Grade 1	Level 1 Pass (L1P)	G
U	U	Unclassified

In addition to a student's attainment in each subject, we will use the scale of; Excellent, Good, Satisfactory and Unsatisfactory to measure a student's:

- Attitude to Learning: This looks at a student's work ethic, how well a student is conducting themselves and their approach and engagement in their learning.
- Homework completion and quality: This considers all of the work that has been submitted, the standard that is being produced, the capacity to meet deadlines, wider reading and effective revision.

Subject Parents Evening

There will be a subject parents' evening on Thursday 21st March, from 4-7pm. This will be a 'virtual' event. Students and parents/carers can meet with their child's subject teachers online to discuss their current performance and agree on targets for improvement. We operate an online booking system, which allows parents/carers to select their own appointment times with teachers and these will be confirmed by email. Appointments can be booked from 8am on Monday 11th March. Please visit https://magna.schoolcloud.co.uk/ and log in using your child's details. You can also find this page on the academy website under 'useful links'. A guide to setting up appointments may be found here.

Interventions

The assessment point outcomes have allowed us to carefully identify students requiring raising attainment (RA) intervention, additional SEND provision and inform subject grouping. Subject leads have worked extensively with our pastoral and phoenix teams to ensure students are placed in the most appropriate teaching groups to suit their needs. New group changes will commence on 16th

April. You can access your child's new groups by using your parental Arbor login and checking their newly allocated timetables from this date.

Subject RA sessions will continue during the day and after academy hours. In addition, we will soon inform you of the holiday and Saturday RA offer. These sessions are vitally important and will impact the progress your child will make. Every time a student attends they will receive a signature on their Passport to Prom.

Key Assessment Dates for Year 11

Please find access to the provisional Public Examination timetable for summer 2024.

Date	Description	
19 Feb - 15 Mar	Mock Exam Period 2	
21 Mar	AP2 Reports Distributed	
	Parents Evening (4-7pm) - Virtual	
16 - 23 Apr	Vocational Subject Assessment Window	
3 May	Passport to Prom Deadline	
13 May	Study Stay Begins	
18 June	Study Stay Ends	
20 June	Prom, 7-11pm at the Hamworthy Club, Canford Magna	
22 Aug	Results Day, 8.30-10am	

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact your child's tutor using our <u>email</u> <u>contact service</u>.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Buller Vice Principal