

Year 9 Assessment Week

Wednesday 22nd June at 1.30pm English in the Sports Hall

Friday 24th June at 1.30pm Maths in the Sports Hall

Other subjects in classrooms during week of 20/6/22 to 24/6/22.

Dear Parents/Carers,

From **Monday 20th June 2022 to Friday 24th June 2022**, all students in Year 9 will sit assessment tasks in their subjects, either in the sports hall (English on Wednesday 22nd June at 1.30pm and Maths on Friday 24th June at 1.30pm) or in their classrooms. Below, you will find a revision guide. These assessments will inform students next reports and act as an indicator to create appropriate sets for the students to continue their learning. Could you please ensure that students have the correct equipment for these assessments: **2 black pens, pencil, rubber, ruler, protractor, a pair of compasses and a calculator in a clear pencil case.**

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the Head of Year, Mrs Wright at swright@sta.magnificat.org.uk

Yours sincerely,

Mr Andrew Madden
Deputy Principal

Subject:	Assessment topics:	How your son/daughter can prepare:
Art	Review of Beyond Realism project work to date exploring tasks set by the teacher and completed independently.	Look back over the artwork you have completed to date. Check it is all completed to the best of your ability making improvements from verbal feedback received in lessons if necessary.
Business	Students will complete an End of Topic Test covering all content in; Business in The Real World	Students can revise using: Class notes, Exercise Book, Revision Guide, Lesson PowerPoints, Learning journal's Mind maps and Key Terms .
CPLD (Children's Play, Learning & Development) (BTEC FIRST)	Component 2: Task 1 - See Miss Britt for further details	TEAMS PowerPoints and resources Practice assessments in lesson
Computer Science	Students will be sitting a series of end of topic tests on the topic of programming fundamentals. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Computational Thinking• Algorithms (Searching and Sorting)• Programming constructs (sequence, selection and iteration)• Data types• String manipulation	Class notes Resources on Teams https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize https://isaacomputerscience.org/

Design Technology	AQA GCSE Product Design past paper; part A	Basic materials knowledge Ensure all DT work from previous schools is reflected upon, so that you have a broad basis of knowledge on which to build for the GCSE course ahead. Simple drawing skills practice within lessons.
Drama	Group Devising Task	Students will work in groups to produce a practical response to a stimulus. This will be performed and assessed. Students will also analyse their work in their portfolios
Engineering (BTEC TECH)	AQA GCSE Engineering past paper; part A	Basic materials knowledge Ensure all DT work from previous schools is reflected upon, so that you have a broad basis of knowledge on which to build for the GCSE course ahead. Simple drawing skills practice within lessons.
English Language	Paper 1 Section A: Questions 2 and 4 Section B: Creative Writing	Use of exam skills in exercise books and practice exam papers
English Literature	Not assessed at this point in the year.	Not assessed at this point in the year.
Film Studies	ET and Invasion of the Boady Snatchers	Go over key terminology, sequences and context using class notes and the resources on Teams. Also, revise exam technique ie how to answer stepped questions and 20 mark comparison question.
French	Translation assessment (French to English/ English to French) based on theme 1: Identity and Culture vocabulary	Students will need to revise theme 1 vocabulary to prepare for this as well as key grammatical points such as past, present and future tenses and agreements.
Geography	Nature of assessment: Duration - 60 minutes A range of previous exam questions on Coastal Environments and Resources/Water	Make use of: Lesson notes and practice questions in books. Lesson notes are on Teams
HSC (Health & Social Care) (BTEC TECH)	Component 1: Task 3b – See Miss Britt for further details	TEAMS PowerPoints and resources Practice assessments in lesson
History	Medicine Through Time and Richard and John	Make use of: Moodle and contains revision guides, past papers, advice on exam style questions, revision tips and subject content. Class notes and workbooks.

		Really Good Revision History Podcasts available on iTunes and Spotify. hutchisonj@sta.magnificat.org.uk
Hospitality & Catering (WJEC VOC)	Practical assessment 'Lasagne Challenge'	Use of prior skills, time management and independence in the kitchen.
iMedia (CAM NAT)	Students will sit an assessment on Unit R094: Visual identity and digital graphics. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purpose of visual identity • Features of visual identity • Elements of visual identity • Design styles • Concepts of graphic design • Layout conventions • Technical properties of graphics (bitmap and vector) 	Classroom notes Teams resources
Maths	There will be a single Non-Calculator paper taken in exam conditions in the Sports Hall. Students will need a pen, pencil, ruler, protractor and compasses. It will be a full paper worth 80 marks, so ANY topic may appear.	Make use of: Exercise books – work done in Year 9 so far. mathsgenie.co.uk to revise specific topics Corbett Maths website Maths Watch revision materials Topic lists will be confirmed by teachers before the exam time.
Music	Progress assessment of performance skills.	Group performance skills should be practiced at home (individual parts). Pieces have been chosen and worked on in class.
Physical Education	Components of Fitness Fitness Tests Training Methods Skeletal System Muscular System	Make use of: Personalised Learning Checklists for this topic. Work in folders TEAMS Past exam questions Log onto the OCR website for further exam questions and mark schemes
Performing Arts (BTEC TECH)	Unit 1 Exploration of Musical Theatre portfolio presentation.	
Religious Education	Students will be tested on an Eduqas-style paper	Make use of: BBC Bitesize World Religions and teaching on the internet Notes in exercise book

	<p>1 hour paper with 2 sets of abcd questions</p> <p>Topics to revise:</p> <p>Family types for Catholics</p> <p>Different views of sexual relationships</p> <p>Different views of using contraception</p> <p>Consent and the law</p> <p>Reformation</p> <p>Saint Augustine of Canterbury</p> <p>Different views on the Pope's authority</p> <p>The Church being modern e.g. Vatican II</p>	<p>Revision PowerPoint provided by teacher</p> <p>Lesson PowerPoints on Teams</p> <p>Exam technique and structure in books</p> <p>A3 Revision sheet completed in class</p>
<p>Science Combined Trilogy</p>	<p>Students will sit one exam. The topics assessed will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cell biology • Organisation • Atomic structure and the periodic table • Bonding, structure, and the properties of matter • Particle model of matter • Atomic structure 	<p>You should make use of:</p> <p>Your Educake quizzes, you can repeat these as revision or even set yourself quizzes.</p> <p>The Knowledge Organisers, which are available in the Class Materials folder in your Teams.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8r997h</p>
<p>Sport (BTEC FIRST)</p>	<p>Practical Performance in Sport Unit - Class Tasks</p>	<p>Resources shared via TEAMS.</p> <p>Lesson notes/preparation</p>