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Dear Parent / Carer

## Year 11 Vocational exams - Art, Drama, Music, Hospitality and Catering

As part of Key Stage 4 study, students who opted for some vocational subjects have a very important assessment window coming up which you need to be aware of.

Unlike GCSE's, Vocational subjects are examined unit by unit, two of the examinations are coursework/ practical based, with one written exam. The timescales for these courses do not run in line with summer GCSE examinations, and the deadlines with the exam board is late April.

For some subjects students have been working on coursework since November, with the remaining vocational practical examinations having recently been launched.

For students in Hospitality, can I please request that you are supporting students at home where they should be practising their dishes.

Please see the attached Vocational exam timetable, this will allow students to complete the examined coursework in the set exam window.

If you have any questions, please use the school contact form to contact the teacher concerned.

Yours sincerely

Tasha Board  
Head of Chesil Cove School





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## Year 11 Unit 2 PPE Timetable Vocational Final Examinations

Day	Date	Week	Tutor	1 9:00-10:00	2 10:00-11:00	break 11:00-11:30	3 11:30-12:30	4 12:30-13:30	break 13:30-14:00	5 14:00-15:00
Wednesday	22 Feb 2023	B		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 1						
Friday	24 Feb 2023	B		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 2						
Tuesday	7 Mar 2023	B		Art			Art	Art		Art
Tuesday	14 Mar 2023	A		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 3 Yr 11 Music exam						
Wednesday	15 Mar 2023	A		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 4						
Thursday	16 Mar 2023	A		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 5						
Friday	17 Mar 2023	A		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 6 Yr 11 Drama Exam						
Tuesday	21 Mar 2023	B		Yr 11 Hospitality exam practical group 7						

