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Dear Parents and Carers

During the fortnight commencing 9th June 2025, we will be holding our end of year mock exams for students in Year 10.

### Mock exams

The mock exams will act as a checkpoint to see how students have progressed during this year and to allow teachers to identify gaps in learning and plan to address these during the last few weeks of school and into the next school year. Some of the Year 10 mock exams will take place in the assessment room allowing students the opportunity to get used to sitting their exams in this formal exam environment in preparation for their Year 11 mock exams and final public exams which will take place at the end of next year.

### Knowledge Organisers and Homework

There will be no Knowledge Organiser homework from the 9th June to 27th June but students will need to provide evidence of their revision each morning and this will be reviewed by tutors. Knowledge Organiser homework will be reinstated the week beginning the 30th June following work experience. All students need to continue to focus on preparing for these exams by carrying out their own independent revision. The following websites can be used to support students revision for the mock exams (there are links to these on the Atlantic Academy Website):

- Focus elearning (GCSE Science Required Practical support)
- Seneca Learning (Online revision site)
- Sparx Maths (Online Maths revision)

Please see below a **provisional** overview for the mock examination timetable for your reference.

Any student who is absent during the mock window will be required to complete any missed exams under exam conditions on their return to the Academy and students may be expected to stay after school to complete these.

Yours faithfully,

**K Biddle**

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## Year 10 Mock and Assessment Timetable Monday 9th June - Friday 20th June

These exams will happen in the assessment room

	Day	Date	Tutor	Lesson 1	Lesson 2	AM Break	Lesson 3	Lesson 4	PM Break	Lesson 5
Week B	Monday	9/6/25		Geography Field Trip		AM Break	Geography Field Trip		PM Break	Geography Field Trip
	Tuesday	10/6/25		English Language 1h 45m			Business 1h 45m Health and Social Care 1h 15m	History 1h		
	Wednesday	11/6/25					English Language 2 1h 45m	Geography 1h		
	Thursday	12/6/25					English Literature 1 1h 45m	History 1h		
	Friday	13/6/25		Geography Field Trip			Geography Field Trip	Geography Field Trip		
Week A	Monday	16/6/25		Drama?	Drama?		English Literature 2 1h 45m	French - Listening 1h		
	Tuesday	17/6/25		Science 1h 15m			Maths 1h 15m	History 1h		
	Wednesday	18/6/25		Maths 1h 15m			French - Reading 1h	Philo and ethics 50m		
	Thursday	19/6/25		Science 1h 15m			Philo and ethics 2h	French Speaking Exams		
	Friday	20/6/25		French Speaking Exams			French Speaking Exams	Geography 1h		
				Work experience preparation day		Work experience preparation day	French Speaking Exams			
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### Learning/Revision Techniques

<p><b>Post It</b></p> <p>Write key words on post its and stick them around the room.</p> 	<p><b>Index It</b></p> <p>Transfer the key points to index cards. Test yourself!</p> 
<p><b>Flip It</b></p> <p>Write questions and answers and flip it anywhere.</p> 	<p><b>Map It</b></p> <p>Create a mind map of the key points.</p> 

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