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Dear Parents and Carers,

Key Stage 3 Assessment Weeks: 9 – 18 December

I am writing to inform you about the upcoming Key Stage 3 (KS3) Assessment Weeks, scheduled to take place between **Monday**, **9 December**, **and Wednesday**, **18 December**. These assessments will occur during normal lesson times and are designed to provide valuable insights into your child's progress across their subjects.

During form time today, all KS3 students have been provided with a blank Assessment Week timetable. This is a key tool to help them stay organised and plan their revision effectively. Teachers are also dedicating time in lessons this week to support students in:

- **Logging the date and period of their assessments** into their timetable, ensuring they have a clear understanding of when each assessment will take place.
- **Recording what they need to revise** for each subject on the revision timetable within their Student Planner. (please find a copy of this below)

This structured approach is intended to help students take ownership of their learning and develop effective revision strategies. We encourage you to discuss the timetable with your child and support them in creating a manageable revision schedule at home.

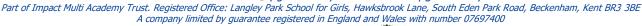
Should you or your child have any questions about the assessments or require additional guidance, please contact their subject teachers or form tutor. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

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Revision Topics				
Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	
English Language	N/A	N/A	 Revise structure and typical content for newspaper articles. Revise conventions of persuasive writing 	
English Literature	Structure of analytical writing Practice zooming in on words and phrase	 How Scrooge changes throughout the novel Closed book, so remember quotations from throughout the novella 	N/A	
Maths	 Sequences Algebraic notation Equality and equivalence Place value and ordering integers 	 Ratio and scales Multiplicative change Multiplying and dividing fractions Coordinates and straight-line graphs 	 Coordinates and straight-line graphs Equations and inequalities Types of numbers and expanding brackets 3D shapes 	
Science	 Biology: Cells and life processes Chemistry: Environmental and industrial chemistry Physics: Motion, forces and radiation Skills: introduction to science 	 Biology: Cells and life processes Chemistry: Structure and bonding Physics: Electricity and waves Skills: Graphs and data 	 Biology: Cells and life processes Chemistry: Structure and bonding Physics: Energy and matter Skills: Evaluation 	
Geography	 UK Geography (Topic 1 Autumn 1) Rivers (topic 2	 Coasts (Topic 1	 Development (Topic 1 Autumn 1) Climate Change (Topic 2 Autumn 2) 	
History	Why did William win the Battle of Hastings?	The consequences of the British Empire, including its impacts on: • Australia • The African Continent • What do historians think about the British Empire?	Dictatorships. including: Communist Russia Fascist Italy Fascist Japan Fascist Spain	
RS	Who am I?	Does God exist?	How do we make moral decisions?	
French	Mon monde perso	Vive les vacances	Mon monde a moi	
German	Hallo!	Meine Schule	Meine Schule	
Spanish ICT	 Presenting myself Problem solving - Bebras challenge style questions. General PowerPoint and Microsoft skills eSafety 	 Problem solving Logo design HTML General ICT skills 	 Problem solving Graphics Binary Encryption	

Revision Topics				
Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	
Dance	The 5 basic actions (Practical)	Characterisation (Practical)	Contact work (Practical)	
Drama	The Perfect Family. Practical assessment	Melodrama. Learn lines from script 'Foiled Again'	Naturalism Learn lines from script 'Be My Baby'	
Music	 Treble clef notes Note lengths Dr P's 4x T's 	 Chords Bass clef notes Ledger lines Ground Bass Theme & Variations Dr P's 4x T's 	 Treble & Bass clef notes Music eras Impressionism Pointillism Aleatoric (Music of Chance) Minimalism Dr P's 4x T's 	