Senior Boys

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MERCHANT TAYLORS' SCHOOLS

For Boys and Girls
aged 4 to 18 years

12th November 2019

Dear Middle School Parents/Guardians,

MOCK EXAMINATIONS

I am writing to inform you of the mock examination period your son will be partaking in in the New Year. The purpose of this is to prepare them for the Summer examinations, as well as gauge progress at this point in the year.

The examinations will begin on Wednesday 8th January and end on Wednesday 15th January. A timetable of examinations will be made available to the students before the Christmas period.

I would like to reiterate what we will be speaking to the students about in terms of rules and expectations during that period. In a bid to make the mock examinations as close to the final examinations as possible, we will be allowing the students study leave during that week. That means they will be able to stay at home for the morning should they only have an examination in the afternoon. Equally, they will be able to leave school and go home at lunchtime should they have an examination in the morning. If they choose to do this, they MUST sign in and out at the Lodge. For those students wishing to study in school, classrooms will be made available as quiet study areas, supervised at all times. These will be silent working areas, with no food or drink being allowed. Should any student break these rules, they will be asked to leave. Students will not be allowed to come and go freely; if students are in school revising, they must remain in school for the entire half day (morning/afternoon) or full day. They will not be allowed to sign in and out during the morning or afternoon, unless they are departing for home or arriving from home for examinations.

After the mock examination period there will be a Parents' Evening on 4th February, in which full analysis of these assessments will be given. I look forward to seeing you there.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, in the meantime, either via the School Office on 0151 928 3308 or via email to <u>r.yates@merchanttaylors.com</u> with any queries or concerns.

Yours sincerely

Mr R Yates

Head of Middle School