



# YEAR 11 BULLETIN

Friday 9th February 2024

## Helping your child prepare for the PPEs after February half term



As we conclude this fantastic half term, we are thrilled to highlight the amazing achievements of our Year 11 students. From a successful prom fundraiser to over 50 dedicated students attending breakfast revision sessions each morning, and over 100 chocolate bars awarded for line up shout outs, it's clear that this term has been incredibly productive.

We also launched the revision timetable and had to relocate the voluntary working lunch due to the increased number of participating students. This week, we celebrated these achievements in our half term awards assembly. We are delighted to announce that Elvin was awarded Student of the Half Term for his unwavering commitment to learning. His dedication to revision and positive attitude are exemplary.

As we head into the break, here are a few tips to support your child in their revision over the half term:

- Encourage your child to use the Year 11 revision timetable. Have they completed all the revision activities for their subjects?
- Choose a designated study space, free from distractions, to support concentration, such as a quiet area at home or a local library: <https://www.croydon.gov.uk/libraries-leisure-and-culture/libraries/find-your-library>
- Emphasise the importance of balancing relaxation and maintaining regular revision this half term. Discuss and decide on the days/times that they will complete their homework and revision, building in study breaks.

Thank you for your continued support as we guide and support Year 11 through this important time. We are very proud of them and look forward to next term.

As always, feel free to contact us to share any achievements, concerns, or questions..

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**Don't forget our additional offer for Year 11s:**  
breakfast revision, working lunch and champion's hour sessions

## Line-up shout outs!

Every day at lunch time line-up, we celebrate the Year 11 students who have been nominated by their subject teachers for brilliantly demonstrating one of our school values: excellence, integrity, collaboration, drive. Students receive a chocolate bar (and a round of applause from the year group!).

Year 11s who have received individual nominations this week:

- **Morgan, Landen, Dajoni** (Photography - nominated by Mr Murison for drive)
- **David, Jojo, Elvin** (Health & Fitness - nominated by Miss Hansford for excellence)
- **Ibrahim, Myles, Katelyn** (History - nominated by Mr Samsoondar for drive)
- **Khyann** (Chemistry - nominated by Mr Ramnarain for excellence)
- **Kadeeshia** (English - nominated by Ms Cooper for collaboration)
- **Sahail, Ketsia, Rohan** (Geography - nominated by Miss Coupland for excellence)
- **Ben, Tianna, Harvey** (Maths - nominated by Mr Mathys for excellence)

## Upcoming dates for Year 11

**26th February**  
PPE 2 begins

**8th March**  
PPE 2 ends

8th February  
**Year 11 rewards assembly (Period 0)**



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## Next week's revision timetable (February half term))

Congratulations to the Year 11 students who have made an excellent start in completing the revision activities from the first timetable launched last week. A special mention goes to last week's Revision Champions, Joel and Lashante, for their outstanding efforts!

The revision timetable continues during February half term.

### Year 11 revision timetable reminders:

- The timetable has been expertly designed by subject teachers at Orchard Park.
- The timetable gives students ONE topic to focus on revising for each of their subjects, every week. This supports students in making revision more manageable and allowing for in-depth understanding of the topic. Students have the flexibility to choose which days to complete the tasks, with the goal of completing as much as possible in the week.
- The timetable includes specific revision activities aligned with each topic.
- While some of the revision tasks may be set as part of subject homework, other parts may not be. We strongly encourage all Year 11 students to aim to complete every task for their subjects.
- Students are given a printed paper copy to track their progress. A digital copy is uploaded on to their Google Classroom page and the school website each week.
- Every revision activity brings students one step closer to achieving a fantastic GCSE grade.
- Link to the Year 11 revision timetable for next week (February half term): [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1zm\\_NC45kuPc-A8TZzkTMV8eYbp3SAIH0ABmD21jTFil/edit#gid=0](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1zm_NC45kuPc-A8TZzkTMV8eYbp3SAIH0ABmD21jTFil/edit#gid=0)

<div>(digital copy of this timetable can be found on the Year 11 Google Classroom page)</div>																	
Year 11 Revision timetable - Week beginning: 12th February (HALF TERM WEEK)																	
Subject:	English	Maths (Set 1) H	Maths (Set 2-4) H	Maths (Set 5-6) F	Biology	Chemistry	Physics	Combined Science	Geography	History	French	Spanish	Business	Computer Science	Health & Fitness (PE)	Religious Studies	Sociology
Topic to revise:	1. An Inspector Calls Characters 2. Power and Conflict Big Ideas 3. Unseen Poetry (Step by Step Approach)	Proof Questions Answers	Algebraic fractions Questions Answers	Sharing ratio Questions Answers	Photosynthesis	Bonding	Electricity	Photosynthesis, Bonding, electricity	Paper 2, Section C: Resource management + resources in the UK MRN: Pg 138-145, CGP: Pg 127-131, S: 142-152	P1 Migrants: 1500-1700 Review; 1700-1900 Content	General Grammar	Module 3 - People and Hobbies	Topic 1.3 Putting a business idea into practice	Defensive Design; Anticipating misuse, authentication . Input validation ; maintainability	Skeletal & Muscular System	Themes A, B and E	Research Methods - Concepts. Pg6-41
	Check Google Classroom. Compulsory activities from the Revision Booklets will be set and due on the same days as homework	Use the links OR 1) Go to MathsGenie 2) GCSE revision 3) Find the topic and open the booklet plus solutions	Use the links OR 1) Go to MathsGenie 2) GCSE revision 3) Find the topic and open the booklet plus solutions	Use the links OR 1) Go to MathsGenie 2) GCSE revision 3) Find the topic and open the booklet plus solutions	Watch the video of the topic on Kayscience. Answer the questions embedded in the video. Complete the quiz as do now. Answer the questions from the Kayscience online booklet. Mark your work. Raise any difficulty with your science teacher. 1. February PPE and summer exam Topic list link 2. Online revision booklet links: BOOKLET A and BOOKLET B 3. Link to folder of exam practice questions and answers.	Watch the video of the topic on Kayscience. Answer the questions embedded in the video. Complete the quiz as do now. Answer the questions from the Kayscience online booklet. Mark your work. Raise any difficulty with your science teacher. 1. February PPE and summer exam Topic list link 2. Online revision booklet links: BOOKLET A and BOOKLET B 3. Link to folder of exam practice questions and answers.	Watch the video of the topic on Kayscience. Answer the questions embedded in the video. Complete the quiz as do now. Answer the questions from the Kayscience online booklet. Mark your work. Raise any difficulty with your science teacher. 1. February PPE and summer exam Topic list link 2. Online revision booklet links: BOOKLET A and BOOKLET B 3. Link to folder of exam practice questions and answers.	Watch the video of the topic on Kayscience. Answer the questions embedded in the video. Complete the quiz as do now. Answer the questions from the Kayscience online booklet. Mark your work. Raise any difficulty with your science teacher. 1. February PPE and summer exam Topic list link 2. Online revision booklet links: BOOKLET A and BOOKLET B 3. Link to folder of exam practice questions and answers.	Check Google Classroom for the compulsory revision post and the additional revision post each week. The compulsory revision post is a quiz and a revision task - this is part of your weekly homework. The additional revision post contains more resources for revising the weekly topic.	1500-1700 Review 9-1200 1900: Reasons for migration 10-1700-1900: Experiences of migrants 11-1700-1900: Impacts of migration (Spring 2024)	Work your way up the "GCSE ladder", starting from step 1. Once you are confident in writing the grammar aspect from memory, tick it off and move your way up the ladder.	Revise vocabulary in booklet using Look, Cover, Write, Check. Practise writing answers to questions in booklet. Practise writing structures in booklet. Language nut for listening practice.	The Revision Program for Business is logged on Google Classroom. All the Resources and tasks are available for each task. Complete the Revision Question using the Revision Guide and then check your answers. Complete the short independent Quiz on the powerpoint. You then have to complete the Compulsory Quiz. This will be checked every week. You have to repeat the quiz until you achieve 100%.	Use the topic PP to refresh your understanding, then test your knowledge using the key terms worksheets and exam questions (all linked). To further challenge yourself please test yourself using the 'Fill the Gaps' worksheets and Work Packs that combine areas of knowledge	Check Google Classroom for the compulsory revision quiz and the additional revision each week. There will also be a 1/2 past paper, with some tasks from SENECA. These will be given each Friday and due the following Friday	Use the revision booklet. Revise, Practice and Review the topics in the workbook.	
How do I revise this topic?																	
Complete? (tick)																	

**"Success is the sum of small actions repeated every day."**